

City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Public Works

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: August 3, 2020

Re: Authorize an Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement with the Curators of the University of Missouri to Refund a Portion of the Fees Paid for 2019-2020 Tiger Line Shuttle Bus Service for reasons related to the COVID-19 Pandemic.

Executive Summary

Authorizing the City Manager to execute a Tiger Line Refund Agreement with the Curators of the University of Missouri for suspended shuttle bus service on campus during April and May of 2020 for reasons related to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Discussion

The University of Missouri-Columbia paid the City for Shuttle Bus Services on its campus during the 2019-2020 academic school year, but the campus was shut down during April and May of 2020 for reasons related to the COVID-19 pandemic. To resolve the matter and preserve the cooperative relationship for Bus Shuttle Services, the City agrees to provide, and University agrees to accept, a refund for payments made by University for these months.

GoCOMO did not experience any additional costs by not providing theses suspended services. Both entities agree that the City should refund the University Missouri the sum of Two Hundred Forty-Nine Thousand Five Hundred Eighty Five Dollars (\$249,585.00), as provided by the University of Missouri Invoice # 20200624.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: Per the agreement, the City will pay UMC \$249,585.00 as a refund for services not provided during April and May of 2020.

Long-Term Impact: none.

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Infrastructure, Secondary Impact: Secondary, Tertiary Impact: Tertiary

Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Infrastructure, Secondary Impact: Inter-Governmental Cooperation, Tertiary Impact: Mobility, Connectivity, and Accessibility



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Legislative History	
Date	Action
05/20/2019	Ord 23868 - Authorizing an intergovernmental cooperation agreement with The Curators of the University of Missouri for integrated shuttle bus service on campus for a 1-year period.
11/04/2013	Ord 21876 - Authorizing an intergovernmental cooperation agreement with The Curators of the University of Missouri for integrated shuttle bus service on campus for a 5-year period.

Suggested Council Action

Pass the ordinance authorizing the City Manager to execute a Tiger Line Refund Agreement with the Curators of the University of Missouri for suspended services of 2019-2020 shuttle bus service on campus due to the COVID-19 pandemic.