

AUTHORIZING THE NORTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY (NIU) ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION FOR INTEGRATED TRANSIT SERVICES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,415,155.

WHEREAS, the City of DeKalb (the "City") is a home rule unit of local government and may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs pursuant to Article VII, Section 6, of the Illinois Constitution of 1970; and

WHEREAS, on October 22, 2018, the City and Northern Illinois University ("NIU") entered into an intergovernmental agreement for integrated transit services (the "IGA"), which was duly approved by the City's corporate authorities by Resolution 2018-138; and

WHEREAS, on January 22, 2024, the City and Northern Illinois University ("NIU") amended the IGA (the "Amended IGA"), which was duly approved by the City's corporate authorities by Resolution 2024-016; and

WHEREAS, the Amended IGA provides that NIU's annual contribution for integrated transit services shall be a minimum of 35% of total costs of fixed route and paratransit services; and

WHEREAS, the Amended IGA provides that the City and NIU shall approve a draft budget for NIU's annual contribution for FY2025; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DEKALB, ILLINOIS:

SECTION 1: Recitals. The recitals to this Ordinance are true, material, adopted and incorporated as Section 1 to this Ordinance.

SECTION 2: The City's corporate authorities authorize and approve a draft budget for NIU's annual contribution for integrated transit services for FY2025 as follows:

Public Transit	Estimated Cost	NIU Contribution
Contracted Services: Fixed Route and Paratransit	\$6,998,782	\$2,415,155

SECTION 3: This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval as provided by law.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL of the City of DeKalb, Illinois at a Regular meeting thereof held on the 12th day of November 2024 and approved by me as Mayor on the same day. Passed by a 6-0-2 roll call vote. Aye: Zasada, Larson, Smith, Perkins, Walker, Barnes. Nay: None. Absent: Powell, Verbic. Second Reading waived by a 6-0-2 roll call vote. Aye: Zasada, Larson, Smith, Perkins, Walker, Barnes. Nay: None. Absent: Powell, Verbic.




COHEN BARNES, Mayor

ATTEST:

Ruth A. Scott, Executive Assistant