

DRAFT RESOLUTION 2021-11

ULSTER COUNTY TRANSPORTATION COUNCIL

**APPORTIONMENT OF FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021
SECTION 5307/5340 FORMULA FUNDS ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE KINGSTON URBANIZED AREA.**

WHEREAS, the Ulster County Transportation Council (UCTC) has been designated by the Governor of the State of New York as a Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) responsible, together with the State, for the comprehensive, continuing, and cooperative transportation planning process for the Kingston Urbanized Area and a portion of the Poughkeepsie-Newburgh Orange County Urbanized area; and,

WHEREAS, the federal surface transportation programs that are the responsibility of the Ulster County Transportation Council are authorized by the Fixing America's Surface Transportation (FAST) Act (Pub. L. 112-141, December 4, 2015); and

WHEREAS, the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) of 2021 Urbanized Area Apportionments (Section 5307/5340 Small Urban funds) have been allocated to the Governors of States having populated areas greater than 50,000 but less than 200,000; and

WHEREAS, the Governor has further delegated his authority to the Commissioner of the New York State Department of Transportation to distribute FTA ARPA §5307/5340 funds; and

WHEREAS, the UCTC desires to distribute its allocation of FTA ARPA §5307/5340 Small Urban funds to eligible public transportation operators in the metropolitan areas; and

WHEREAS, the Governor of New York State in accordance with the required FTA processes has identified Ulster County Area Transit as sole Designated Recipient eligible to receive transit funding; and

WHEREAS, the UCTC, in cooperation with the New York State Department of Transportation (NYSDOT) and public transit providers, has reviewed and documented compliance of its planning process with adopted *UCTC Operating Procedures*, UCTC public notice procedures, and all existing federal rules and regulations.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the UCTC agrees that the County of Ulster, as Designated Recipients of FTA ARPA §5307 Small Urban funds attributable to the Kingston metropolitan area, shall be awarded the total amount of **\$1,310,895** as identified in Table 1 of Attachment 1; be it further

RESOLVED, that the UCTC authorizes the UCTC Administrative Committee consisting of representatives of the Ulster County Planning Department; the NYS Department of Transportation Regional and Main Offices; the Federal Transit Administration, and the Federal Highway Administration authority to program FTA ARPA Section 5307/5340 Small Urban funds within the Kingston Metropolitan Area as agreed upon by the designated recipients eligible to receive these funds (Ulster County); be it further

RESOLVED, that the Director of the Ulster County Transportation Council authorizes the

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Secretary to transmit the TIP Amendment to the New York State Department of Transportation (NYSDOT) and Federal Transit Administration (FTA) for STIP approval.

CERTIFICATE, the undersigned, duly qualified Secretary of the Ulster County Transportation Council, certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by a vote on December 15, 2021.

Date

By _____
Lance MacMillan, P.E., Secretary,
Ulster County Transportation Council

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**FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION
 AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021
 SECTION 5307 AND SECTION 5340 FULL YEAR APPORTIONMENTS**

**Table 1: AMOUNTS APPORTIONED TO STATE GOVERNORS FOR URBANIZED AREAS
 50,000 TO 199,999 IN POPULATION**

New York State	
Urbanized Area	Dollar Share
Binghamton, NY – PA	\$2,353,574
Danbury, CT – NY	\$3,096,930
Elmira, NY	\$2,112,816
Glens Falls, NY	\$407,614
Ithaca, NY	\$7,136,606
Kingston, NY	\$1,310,895
Middletown, NY	\$125,700
Saratoga Springs, NY	\$512,072
Utica, NY	\$4,426,275
Watertown, NY	\$250,973
Total	\$21,733,455

**Table 2: DISTRIBUTION OF FFY 2021 FTA ARPA SECTION 5307/5340 URBANIZED AREA
 APPORTIONMENTS ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE KINGSTON URBANIZED AREA**

Designated Recipient	Dollar Share	Percentage Share
County of Ulster	\$1,310,895	100%