

ORDINANCE NO. 012-75

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A
CONTRACT WITH NEW FLYER OF
AMERICA, INC. FOR THE PURCHASE
OF TWO LOW FLOOR, ACCESSIBLE,
FORTY FOOT, ELECTRIC, AIR
CONDITIONED TRANSIT BUSES

WHEREAS, The Authority desires to experiment with the viability of electric transit buses; and

WHEREAS, The Authority issued a request for proposal (RFP) for up to two (2) thirty-five to forty foot, low floor, air conditioned, accessible electric buses; and

WHEREAS, Four manufacturers submitted proposals in response to the RFP; and

WHEREAS, The proposals were reviewed by an evaluation committee; and

WHEREAS, Two proposers were found to meet the Authority's qualification requirements; and

WHEREAS, The proposal by New Flyer of America, Inc., was deemed the most advantageous to the Authority; and

WHEREAS, The current capital funding program allocates \$2,490,626.55 to purchase electric buses; and

WHEREAS, Staff recommends that a contract for two (2) electric buses be awarded to New Flyer of America, Inc.; now, therefore:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CHICAGO TRANSIT BOARD
OF THE CHICAGO TRANSIT AUTHORITY:

SECTION 1. That the Chairman of the Board, or his designee, is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with New Flyer of America, Inc., for the purchase of two (2) low floor, accessible, 40-foot, air conditioned, electric buses (including spare parts), under Requisition No. C11FT101141639, at a cost not to exceed Two Million Four Hundred Ninety Thousand Six Hundred Twenty-six Dollars and fifty-five cents (\$2,490,626.55).

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SECTION 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

APPROVED:

PASSED:

Chairman

June 13, 2012

Assistant Secretary

June 13, 2012