



Staff Report

TO: City Council
FROM: Kari Mendoza, Administrative Services Director
DATE: June 6, 2023
SUBJECT: Adopt a Resolution Approving the City of Beaumont Transit Zero-Emission Bus Rollout Plan for Submission to the California Air Resources Board

Description A Resolution to Adopt the City of Beaumont Transit Zero-Emission Bus Rollout Plan.

Background and Analysis:

On April 4, 2023, the City Council approved the mixed-fleet fuel source technology for the development of the Zero-Emission Bus Rollout Plan. The Innovative Clean Transit Regulation adopted by the California Air Resources Board (CARB) requires all small transit agencies to submit a board-approved Zero-Emission Bus (ZEB) Rollout Plan by July 1st, 2023. City staff has participated in the development of this plan with the Riverside County Transportation Commission (RCTC) and the Center for Transportation and the Environment (CTE).

The City of Beaumont Transit's Rollout Plan provides information and outlines the strategy determined to be the best for Beaumont's own unique situation. This plan is a living document meant to guide the implementation of zero-emission buses, and it is meant to be revisited as technology advances. The components of the zero-emission bus rollout plans provide the state with crucial information, which will inform future policies, funding decisions and other ways state agencies can support transit agencies in this transition. The rollout plans will also inform fuel providers of transit agencies needs which will assist in the development of infrastructure plans.

Fiscal Impact:

There is no fiscal impact on the general fund for the adoption of this plan. A funding plan for the implementation of zero-emission technology will be developed and included in future Short Range Transit Plans.

The cost to prepare this staff report is estimated to be \$360.

Recommended Action:

Waive the full reading and adopt by title only, “A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Beaumont Approving the Zero Emission Bus (ZEB) Rollout Plan and Authorizing the Submission of the Plan to the California Air Resources Board (CARB) as Required by the Innovative Clean Transit (ICT) Regulation”

Attachments:

- A. Resolution
- B. City of Beaumont Transit Zero-Emission Bus Rollout Plan