

1 [Amendment to Paratransit Broker Agreement.]

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3 **Resolution approving Amendment No. 2 to Paratransit Broker Agreement, to improve**
4 **the ramped taxi program by leasing 24 ramped minivans to the Broker to be subleased**
5 **to taxicab companies participating in the Paratransit Program, with guaranteed lease**
6 **payments in the form of paratransit trips provided at no cost to the City; and to make**
7 **other amendments updating the Agreement.**

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9 WHEREAS, On May 8, 2000, the City entered into an Agreement with COMSIS
10 Mobility Services, Inc. dba Intelitran (“Broker”), pursuant to which the City engaged Broker to
11 perform special transportation services, including, but not limited to, subcontracting with van
12 and taxi providers for door-to-door paratransit service for persons with disabilities (“Paratransit
13 Program”); and

14 WHEREAS, On April 1, 2001, the Director of Transportation approved Amendment No.
15 1 to the Paratransit Broker Agreement, which incorporated an Incentive/Disincentive Program
16 into the Agreement; and,

17 WHEREAS, As part of the Paratransit Broker Agreement, Broker assumed the lease of
18 30 ramped minivans, which were subleased to taxicab companies participating in the
19 Paratransit Program, and which have not reached the end of their useful life; and

20 WHEREAS, Due to the success of the ramped taxi program, the City will be purchasing
21 24 additional ramped minivans (the “minivans”) through a State of California procurement so
22 that the minivans may continue to be used in the Paratransit Program; and

23 WHEREAS, The City desires to amend Agreement in order to lease the minivans to
24 Broker for use in the Paratransit Program, with guaranteed lease payments by Broker in the
25 form of trips provided at no cost to the Paratransit Program; and

1 WHEREAS, Broker intends to sublease the minivans to no less than two taxicab
2 companies participating in the Paratransit Program; and

3 WHEREAS, The City intends for the minivans to provide priority service to wheelchair
4 users in compliance with Police Code Section 1148.5; and

5 WHEREAS, By making these minivans available to taxicab companies, the City will
6 continue to provide incentive to such companies to include accessible vehicles as part of the
7 regular taxicab service; and

8 WHEREAS, The City and Broker have agreed to other amendments updating
9 Agreement, including a provision allowing the Broker to make twice monthly payments to taxi
10 companies, and provisions required by recently enacted ordinances; and

11 WHEREAS, On _____, the Municipal Transportation Agency passed
12 Resolution No. _____, which approved Amendment No 2 to Agreement, and urged
13 the Board of Supervisors similarly to approve the Amendment; now, therefore, be it

14 RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors hereby approves Amendment No. 2
15 to Agreement, a copy of which is on file in Board of Supervisors File No. _____,
16 which is hereby declared to be a part of this resolution as if set forth fully herein.

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