

# City of Rochester Hills AGENDA SUMMARY NON-FINANCIAL ITEMS

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**TO:** Mayor and City Council Members

FROM: Keith Sawdon, Finance Director, Ext 2535

**DATE:** September 14, 2010

**SUBJECT:** FY 2011 – SMART Transportation Credit Transfer

#### **REQUEST:**

We are requesting that City Council consider and authorize the Mayor to execute the SMART (Suburban Mobility Authority for Regional Transportation) Municipal Credit Contract for FY 2011in the amount of \$64,681 between SMART and the City of Rochester Hills so that the funds can be transferred to the Older Person's Commission (OPC) on behalf of the City of Rochester Hills.

### **BACKGROUND:**

The City of Rochester Hills receives an annual municipal credit from SMART that can either be used for the operation of a transportation program (i.e. Charters, Van/Bus Program, Taxi Reimbursement) at the City or have the credits transferred to another qualified agency to administer a transportation program on behalf of the City.

OPC has requested that the City consider and authorize the transfer of our FY 2011 municipal credits to OPC for its transportation program which will benefit our senior residents. If approved, the municipal credits will be transferred to the OPC and the City will incur no cost. The City has transferred their credits to the OPC for the support of the Senior & Disabled Transportation Program for many years this request would be a continuation of that practice.

#### **BUDGET:**

The funds are to be transferred directly from SMART to the Older Person's Commission (OPC) on behalf of the City of Rochester Hills.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

We recommend that City Council authorize the Mayor to execute and deliver the SMART (Suburban Mobility Authority for Regional Transportation) Municipal Credit Contract for FY 2011 in the amount of \$64,681 between SMART and the City of Rochester Hills.

The funds are requested to be transferred directly to the Older Person's Commission (OPC) on behalf of the City of Rochester Hills.