



To Amal Eltahir,

I would like to thank the City of Oskaloosa for your investment in Public Transportation. There are citizens in your community that do not have dependable transportation and rely on the City Bus Route. This FREE service that operates Monday-Wednesday-Friday provides an opportunity to get to work, go to a doctor appointment, shop around the community, or just visit a loved one. Public Transit provides Mobility, Opportunity, and Independence to your community.

This investment gives back into your community.

American Public Transportation Association

- Every \$1.00 invested generates \$5.00 in economic return
- Home values were up to 24% higher near public transportation
- 87% of trips have a direct impact on the local economy

This service since January 1<sup>st</sup> to October 31<sup>st</sup> , 2022 have transported 2,939 rides

Please approve \$10,000 in funding for FY24 and continue this service in your community.

Jay Allison

Director

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