

RESOLUTION / ORDINANCE EXECUTIVE SUMMARY ADDENDUM

<u>Title</u>

Approving a Funding Agreement Between the County of Kane and Pace for the Ride in Kane Program

Committee Flow:

Transportation Committee, Executive Committee, County Board

Contact:

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Budget Information:

| Was this item budgeted? Yes | Appropriation Amount: \$3,180,000.00 |
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| If not budgeted, explain funding source: N/A | |
| Was this item passed through the appropriate committee? Yes | |

Summary:

The Ride in Kane program provides curb-to-curb transportation services for Kane County residents who are seniors (65+), individuals with disabilities, and veterans.

This Intergovernmental Agreement with Pace will fund 50% of Ride in Kane operating costs, up to a maximum Pace subsidy of \$2,230,808. Kane County's budgeted participation for 2026 is \$3,180,000, and it is anticipated that these County expenses will be covered by the RTA through recently awarded Section 5310 funds.

Under this agreement, Pace will provide the vehicles, drivers, call center operations, billing functions, and subcontractor agreements needed to operate the service. The 2026 agreement also establishes a County-Wide Coordinated service model, streamlining administrative processes and transitioning rider registration to a single, unified system managed directly by Pace.

Staff recommends approval.