

RESOLUTION NO. 1980- 302

AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH TTSS INC. , FOR THE LEASE OF SELF-TRAIN EQUIPMENT ON A MONTH-TO-MONTH BASIS AT A MONTHLY COST NOT TO EXCEED \$3,100.00 FOR A TERM NOT TO EXCEED ONE (1) YEAR.

WHEREAS, the Authority is presently conducting a federally funded pilot project to evaluate an automated bus operator training system known as SELF-TRAIN, developed by TTSS Inc.; and

WHEREAS, preliminary results have shown that SELF-TRAIN can substantially improve operator training by permitting instructors to focus their efforts on passenger relations and revenue service and otherwise improve the effectiveness of instructors' time; and

WHEREAS, additional Federal support is being sought to fund the second phase of this project; and

WHEREAS, to permit the continuity of the project, an interim agreement with TTSS Inc. , to lease the SELF-TRAIN terminals, now located at Brooklyn District, Woodhill District and Cleveland Union Terminal is required until commencement of the second phase of the demonstration project is funded, sometime in 1981; and

WHEREAS, the monthly cost of leasing the terminals shall be \$3,100.00, commencing in October 1980;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority, Cuyahoga County, Ohio:

Section 1. That the General Manager be, and hereby is authorized and directed to enter into an interim agreement with TTSS, Inc. , for the lease of SELF-TRAIN terminals on a month-to-month basis commencing October 1, 1980, for a period not to exceed one year.

Section 2. That a monthly expenditure in the amount of \$3,100.00 for the term of the abovementioned agreement is hereby authorized.

Section 3. That the interim lease of the abovementioned equipment shall terminate upon commencement of the second phase of the SELF-TRAIN project. If the second phase of the SELF-TRAIN project does not receive Federal funding during 1981, staff will make a recommendation to the Board concerning the future direction of the SELF-TRAIN program.

Section 4. That this Resolution take effect immediately upon its adoption by the Board of Trustees.

Adopted: September 2, 1980

Attest:

William C. Lehman
Secretary-Treasurer

Wm. A. Berkeley
President