RESOLUTION NO. 2001 - 78

AGREEMENT WITH CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY TO ESTABLISH A STUDENT UNIVERSAL ACCESS FARE ("UPASS") PROGRAM

WHEREAS, public transit authorities elsewhere in the nation have entered into contractual relationships with institutions of higher education to provide students with easy and economical access to transit travel through "Upass" programs; and

WHEREAS, RTA seeks to encourage transit travel by college and university students; and

WHEREAS, Case Western Reserve University is located in University Circle, within a transit service corridor where frequent and convenient bus and rail service is already present;

WHEREAS, Case Western Reserve University has completed favorable administrative review and has conducted a student referendum indicating approval of RTA's proposal by a two-thirds affirmative vote; and

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

Section 1. That the CEO/General Manager be and is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement Case Western Reserve University to provide semester-long transit access for all undergraduate students at a mutually agreeable fee per student, payable along with tuition and other fees.

Section 2. That the program commence with the beginning of fall semester, 2001.

Section 3. That this resolution shall become effective upon adoption.

Adopted: May 22 , 2001

President

Attest:

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