



**BOARD RESOLUTION
CAR PURCHASE PROGRAM REINSTATEMENT & PURCHASE PRICE**

At the April 28, 2022 meeting of Board of Directors of the Society of St. Vincent De Paul Archdiocesan Council of St. Louis the following recommendation was proposed and approved.

WHEREAS, the Car Purchase Program was established in July 2014; and

WHEREAS, the District Presidents elected to halt the program at the beginning of the COVID pandemic; and

WHEREAS, the Car Purchase Program has been reinstated in the Festus, Northwest, Southeast, and West Districts; and

WHEREAS Vincentians throughout the Archdiocese desire to purchase cars for their Neighbors who need them for employment and other extenuating circumstances reviewed and approved by the Conference and District President; and

WHEREAS, the pandemic has made it increasingly difficult to find used automobiles within the current program spending guideline of \$6,000.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, to reinstate the SVdP of St. Louis Car Purchase Program throughout the Archdiocese, with the St. Louis SVdP Council paying 50% of the total purchase price up to a maximum of \$4,500 per car for Conferences requesting Council support.

Joe J. Lutz
Board Secretary

4/28/2022
Date