PUBLIC NOTICE

Montgomery Metropolitan Planning Organization Fiscal Year (FY) 2024 Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Funding Available for Public Review and Comment

Notice is hereby given that the City of Montgomery and The M Public Transit System will hold a public comment period concerning the Fiscal Year Federal Transit Administration (FTA) grants. More information about each grant follows: The City of Montgomery announces that the FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2024 FTA funds are available for public review and comment. These apportionment funds were allocated to the City of Montgomery's The M Public Transit System, with portions supporting the Autauga County Rural Transit System, and participating elderly and specialized transportation providers' services that include capital and operating expenses within the City of Montgomery metropolitan area. These projects were developed in accordance with the Federal Transit Administration's requirements and anticipated funding availability under the United Stated Department of Transportation. The public review and comment period will last for fourteen (14) days, from August 20, 2024 until September 3, 2024.

The budget for FY-2024 Federal Transit Administration programs are: Section 5307 Urbanized Formula Program for \$5,610,813.00 total dollars of which \$3,466,679.00 are Federal Transit Administration funds and \$2,144,134.00 are local matching funds paid by City of Montgomery and Autauga County Commission; Section 5339 Bus and Bus Facilities Program for \$352,896.00 of which \$282,317.00 are Federal Transit Administration funds and \$70,579.00 are local matching funds being paid by the City of Montgomery; Section 5310 Elderly and Specialized Citizens Transportation Program for \$551,435.00 total dollars of which \$352,483.00 are Federal Transit Administration funds and \$198,952.00 are local matching funds; Items being paid for are standard operating and capital needs. Comment forms can be downloaded from our website at https://www.montgomeryal.gov/government/government-transparency/city-planning under Planning News or on The Μ Public Transit System website at https://montgomerytransit.com/.

Federal Planning Program of Projects (POP) Requirement:

This public notice, public comment period, and overall opportunity to comment on the above described Program of Projects (POP) meets the requirements established by the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) pursuant to 49 U.S.C. (United States Code) Section 5307 (c). If there are no amendments to the proposed program of projects, they will become the final POP.

For more information or to comment by telephone, call the Montgomery MPO at (334) 625-2218 by September 3, 2024 by 5:00 p.m. Comments can be emailed to <u>rsmith@montgomeryal.gov</u> or sent by mail to:

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