

North Central Alabama Regional Council of Governments

Public Notice

NARCOG Regional Transit Agency Proposed Program of Projects for Fiscal Year 2020

The North Central Alabama Regional Council of Governments is applying to the Alabama Department of Transportation for an administration, operating, planning, and capital assistance grant under 49 U.S.C. Section 5311 of the Federal Transit Laws, as codified. The operating grant will provide financial assistance for public transportation service for the residents of Lawrence County and Morgan County during FY-2020. The service currently operates Monday through Friday, 7:00 am to 5:00 pm. All residents, including wheelchair users, must schedule service at least one day in advance, before 2:00 PM. Fares are \$2.00 for 0 to 5.0 miles; \$4.00 for 5.1 to 10.0 miles; \$6.00 for 10.1 to 15.0 miles; \$8.00 for 15.1 to 20.0 miles; \$10.00 for over 20 miles and up to the extent of the NARCOG Transit service area. Fares for trips outside of the NARCOG Transit service area are calculated at \$1.00 per mile, round trip, beginning at NARCOG Transit office, located at 401 2nd Ave SE, Decatur, AL, 35602. Trips outside the service area are generally restricted to medical or other charter exempt trips, and are limited to one stop. No service changes are planned for FY 2020.

The capital grant may also provide financial assistance to purchase no more than two wheelchair lift equipped vehicles for the NARCOG Regional Transit Agency public transportation service during FY-2020.

Copies of the detailed service description and project budget may be obtained at NARCOG Transit, 401 2nd Ave SE, Decatur, weekdays between 8:00 AM and 4:30 PM.

A public hearing will be held on **Monday, June 10, 2019 at 2:00 PM in the Boardroom at NARCOG, 216 Jackson Street SE, Decatur** to receive public comment. This notice shall constitute the final program of projects for NARCOG unless the scope of the project changes as a result of input gathered during the public hearing.

If there are any questions or comments or if information is needed in another language or alternative formats, contact:

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