

Notice of Public Hearing

Jackson County Mass Transit District

Capital Assistance Grant Application, Purchase Bus Expansion Vehicles for Jackson County (Carbondale and Murphysboro)

- I. Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held by the Jackson County Mass Transit District on August 18 at 10:00 AM at the Jackson County Mass Transit District Administrative Office located at 602 East College Street, Carbondale, IL. In recognition of the ongoing COVID pandemic and to increase public participation remotely via the following Zoom link. <https://zoom.us/j/98047419166?pwd=ay9OZzd4ajVTMEFhQUYzY3lwQk5ldz09> Conference Line: 312.626.6799 Meeting ID 980 4741 9166 Passcode: 926434

For the purpose of considering a project for which financial assistance is being sought from the Illinois Department of Transportation, pursuant to its Capital Grants Project. The Project is generally described as follows:

- A. Project Description: Purchase of additional buses to provide new residential service to Carbondale and Murphysboro communities.
 - B. Relocation: Relocation Assistance will not be required.
 - C. Environment: This project is being implemented to minimize environmental impacts.
 - D. Comprehensive Planning: This project is in conformance with comprehensive transportation planning in the area.
 - E. Elderly and Handicapped: All new facilities included in this project will be accessible to the elderly and handicapped.
- II. At the hearing, the Jackson County Mass Transit District will afford an opportunity for interested persons or agencies to be heard with respect to the social, economic, and environmental aspects of the project. Interested persons may submit orally or in writing evidence and recommendations with respect to said project.
 - III. The Jackson County Mass Transit District requests that any hearing impaired person wishing to attend this Public Hearing notify (Applicant Contact Person & Telephone No.) at least one week before the scheduled hearing date so that arrangements can be made to provide an interpreter.
 - IV. A copy of the application for a state grant for the proposed project will be made available for public inspection at Jackson County Mass Transit District's Office.

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