



MEDIA ADVISORY

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WeGo to hold public meetings on triennial update of Title VI Program

NASHVILLE – WeGo Public Transit announces two public meetings regarding updates to the Nashville Metropolitan Transit Authority (MTA) and Regional Transportation Authority of Middle Tennessee (RTA) Title VI Programs. The meetings to provide comments directly to the agencies will be held on **Tuesday, August 27, 2019** in the WeGo Central Community Meeting Room, 400 Dr. Martin L. King, Jr. Blvd., 11 a.m.-1 p.m. and 4 p.m.-6 p.m.

Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 is a Federal law that protects persons from discrimination based on their race, color or national origin in programs and activities that receive Federal financial assistance. In response to Federal Transit Administration (FTA) requirements, WeGo Public Transit has developed documents that demonstrate how the MTA and RTA agencies are complying with the requirements of Title VI. Recipients of federal funding must update and submit their Title VI Programs to FTA every three years. The agencies' current Title VI Programs were last submitted in 2016.

Copies of the updated programs will be available for review at the public meetings. The updated documents will also be available for review at www.WeGoTransit.com and will be open for comment starting from **Thursday, August 1, 2019 until Sunday, September 1, 2019.**

Attendance at the hearings is not required in order to comment. Comments may be submitted by mail to WeGo Public Transit Community Engagement, Attn: Title VI Program Coordinator, 430 Myatt Drive, Nashville, TN 37115; by email to WeGoTransit@nashville.gov; or by phone to 615-862-4620 through September 1, 2019.

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