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List of Transportation Service Providers

Agency Name: Harrison County Public Transit

Transportation Service Type: Demand Responsive, advanced reservations, shared ride transportation service

Other Services Provided: Safe public transportation service to area residents in a timely, courteous, and cost-effective manner

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Hours: Monday – Friday, 5am-5pm, except Holidays

Service Area: Limited based on fares past 40 miles out of county

Eligibility Requirements: Harrison County Residents & Shared Rides are Required (same time same direction)

Web-site: <http://www.harrisoncountyohio.org/rural-transit>

The table below provides a summary of the characteristics of the participating transportation providers and organizations that purchase transportation on behalf of consumers.

Table 1: Organizational Characteristics

Agency Name	Directly Operates Transportation (Yes/No)	Purchases Transportation from Another Agency (if Yes, Who?)	Legal Authority (Private Non-Profit, Private For-Profit, Public Non-Profit)	Number of Annual One-Way Passenger Trips	Average Number of Trip Denials per Week	Are Vehicles Only Available for Human Service Agency Clients (Y/N)*
Harrison County Public Transit	Yes	No	Public	9,061	3-4 per month	No

* Answering “Yes” indicates that your agency is closed door. Your agency is considered closed door if you ONLY provide transportation to your facility as a courtesy or if you ONLY serve a particular clientele enrolled in your agency programs (i.e. members of a sheltered workshop, or residents in a nursing home). Answering “No” indicates that your agency is open door. This means the service is open to the public or a segment of the general public defined by age, disability, or low income. For example, if an agency provides general transportation for anyone in the community who is over the age of 60, they are

considered “open door.” For example, an individual who is 60 or over can request transportation to a doctor’s appointment or the grocery store regardless of their affiliation with your agency.

The participating organizations provide a wide range of transportation including fixed route, ADA paratransit, demand response, on demand, and human service agency fixed routes. One of the participating organizations provides services on weekdays. Zero operate transportation on Saturdays and Zero on Sundays. Evening services after 5:00pm are operated by zero organizations. The following table shows the transportation service characteristics by agency.

Table 2: Transportation Service Characteristics

Agency Name	Mode of Service	Days & Hours of Operation	Provides Medicaid-Eligible Trips (Y/N)	Level of Passenger Assistance Provided	Training Courses Required for Drivers
Harrison County Public Transit	Demand Response	Monday – Friday, 5a – 5p	Y	Door to Door Passenger Assistance Wheelchair Accessible	Yes

Transportation-related expenses and revenues also differ by organization. Contracts and farebox are common revenue sources for transportation operators in Harrison County. The table below provides a summary of expenses and revenues for public and non-profit transportation programs.

Table 3: Transportation-Related Expenses and Revenues

Agency Name	Fare Structure	Donations Accepted (Y/N)	Number of Full-Time & Part-Time Drivers	Number of Full-Time & Part-Time Schedulers/Dispatchers	Revenue Sources (most recent Fiscal Year)	Total Annual Transportation Expenses
Harrison County Public Transit	\$2 one-way in Cadiz Village; \$4 \$6 one-way in Harrison County; \$10 \$12 one-way per trip out-of-county within 40 miles; additional 25¢/mi past (40-50 miles). Trips over 50 miles are an additional \$1.00 per mile which will also include a \$7.50 per hour wait time fee after the first hour. Kids under 5 ride free; Aides to elderly and disabled – No Charge	N/A	13 part-time	2 full-time	Contracts, farebox	\$546,303.00

The following table provides basic information about transportation options other than the traditional public and human services transportation. Transportation options might include bike share, ride share, intercity, taxi services, and more.

Table 4: Alternative/ Active Transportation Options

Transportation Option	Availability	Cost	Usage	Service Area
Harrison County Public Transit	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

The following table provides basic information about local travel training program options.

Table 5: Transportation Resources

Transportation Resource	Availability	Cost	Usage	Service Area
Harrison County Public Transit	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

The following table illustrates the technology used by each transportation provider for scheduling, dispatching, and/or GPS tracking vehicles.

Table 6: Technology

Agency Name	Name of Scheduling Software	Do you have an App for Transportation (Y/N)?	Name of Dispatching Software	AVL System GPS (Y/N)
Harrison County Public Transit	Tripmaster CTS	N/A	Tripmaster CTS	Y

Assessment of Community Support for Transit

The community support of transit is directed primarily through Harrison County Public Transit. All other participating agencies that have any transit service provided, such as Harrison County Department of Jobs and Family Services and Harrison County Homes, is either contracted with Harrison County Public Transit or are served by them, respectively. Harrison County Veteran Services (see Appendix E) is covered completely by Disabled American Veterans (DAV) for their transportation services for all maintenance, insurance, and gas. **Harrison County Senior Center provides transportation to 60+ residents from Harrison County.**

Safety

All vehicles are provided with seat belts, fire extinguishers, and other safety equipment. All transit drivers provide assistance from the door of the trip origin to the door of the trip destination. All transit drivers are trained with demand-response transportation. The drivers are trained to assist the rider when boarding and alighting from the vehicle and will watch to make sure the passenger is safely within their destination before leaving. All drivers tie down wheelchairs, secure packages, and assist with seat belts. It is mandatory for everyone in the vehicle to wear seat belts when riding the Harrison County Transit system. Infants and children less than a certain weight require booster seats under the responsibility of the parent/legal guardian and each seat must have a date on it which is not past expiration.

Vehicles

Survey/Interview participants listed a combined total of ~~13~~ **21** vehicles. Approximately ~~77%~~ **81%** (~~10 of 13~~) (~~17-21~~) of the vehicles are wheelchair accessible. A vehicle utilization table is provided in Table 7.

Harrison County Public Transit provides at least ~~10~~ **16** wheelchair-accessible vehicles. Harrison County Public Transit provides wheelchair-accessible vehicles which are open to the general public. The lifts and tie-downs accommodate most all commonly utilized wheelchair models. As vehicles age, they require additional maintenance, may break down more often, and become costlier to operate. Vehicle replacement, based on age and condition, is vital to the overall cost effectiveness of the transportation services provided.

Harrison County Department of Job and Family Services, Harrison County Veteran Services, and Harrison County Home do not own any wheelchair accessible vehicles, nor do the agencies provide transportation services.

Table 7: Vehicle Utilization Table

Veh #	Make	Model	Year	Vin #	Capacity*	WC Capacity	Days of the Week Vehicle is in Service	Service Hours	Vehicle Condition
Harrison County Public Transit									
600 30	DODGE	MMV	2016	2C7WDGBGXGR372448	3+1,5+0	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Good
601 33	DODGE	MMV	2017	2C7WDGBGOHR718556	4+1 3+1,5	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Good
602 3	CHEVY/1500	TRUCK	2006	1GCEK14X76Z136871	3	N	M-F	5am-5pm	Good
603 21	DODGE	SMV	2011	2D4RN3DG6BR752914	7	N	M-F	5am-5pm	GOOD
603 22	FORD	LTN	2012	1FDEE3FL8CDA93000	2+3,8+0	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Good
605	DODGE	MMV	2014	2C7WDGBG1ER162298	3+1	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Good
606 26	DODGE	SMV	2014	2C4RDGBG7ER227634	6	N	M-F	5am-5pm	Good
607 25	DODGE	SMV	2014	2C4RDGBG5ER227633	6	N	M-F	5am-5pm	Good
608	DODGE	MMV	2015	2C7WDGB6FR634349	3+1, 5+0	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Good
609 27	FORD	LTN	2014	1FDEE3FL9EDA72725	6+2, 8+0	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Good
610 34	DODGE	MMV	2017	2C7WDGBG7HR718571	3+1,5+0	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Good
611 32	DODGE	MMV	2016	2C7WDGBGXGR372451	3+1,5+0	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Good
612	DODGE	MMV	2015	2C7WDGB6FR634352	3+1,5+0	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Good
613 31	DODGE	MMV	2016	2C7WDGBG9GR378287	3+1,5+0	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Good

Veh #	Make	Model	Year	Vin #	Capacity*	WC Capacity	Days of the Week Vehicle is in Service	Service Hours	Vehicle Condition
35	DODGE	MMV	2018	2C7WDGBG7JR216715	3+1	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Good
36	FORD	AV	2018	1FTYR2CMXJKB21949	7+1,2+3	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Good
37	FORD	AV	2019	1FTYR2CM2KKB39511	7+1,2+3	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Good
38	FORD	AV	2019	1FTYR2CM2KKB39512	7+1,2+3	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Good
39	DODGE	MMV	2019	2C7WDGBG9KR800843	3+1, 5	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Excellent
40	DODGE	MMV	2019	2C7WDGBG8KR798793	3+1,5	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Excellent
41	DODGE	MMV	2019	2C7WDGBG1KR793743	3+1, 5	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Excellent
42	DODGE	MMV	2019	2C7WDGBG8KR793741	3+1, 5	Y	M-F	5am-5pm	Excellent

*3+1, 5+0= 3 passanger and 1 wheelchair or 5 passanger and no wheelchair

Mileage as of 10/28/2021

3-???????? 33- 106,065
21- 169,872 34- 112,178
22- 205,646 35- 94,591
25- 182,451 36- 115,794
26- 187,489 37- 67,414
27- 166,268 39- 6,761
29- 137,246 40-22,528
30- 156,717 41- 1,327
31- 150,017 42- 1,782
32- 144,379

Summary of Existing Resources

Table 7 describes in detail the vehicles on our property. The vehicles in yellow represent the mechanic service truck and a van for office personnel. All vehicles in red are not used for transportation and are due to be sold. The remaining 13 vehicles are used by Harrison County Public Transit, the transportation provider for Harrison County.

Harrison County Public Transit is the only transportation provider that provides transportation service to the public in Harrison County. All the other agencies either Harrison County JFS and local nursing homes contract with Harrison County Public Transit. Harrison County Senior Center also offers transportation on a limited basis due to only having 2 drivers and 2 vans, only 1 is wheelchairs accessible. ~~or rely on voluntary transportation for their clients such as family, friends, or neighbors.~~ Harrison County Public Transit provides transportation services to any Harrison County resident and will charge them different rates depending on whether they have local in-county trips or regional out-of-county trips. Harrison County Public Transit operates Monday through Friday from 5:00am – 5:00pm. They have a total of ~~13~~ 19 vehicles in their fleet, ~~10~~ 16 of which are wheelchair accessible.