PUBLIC NOTICE OF THE STARK AREA REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY'S INTENT TO FILE A 2018 PROGRAM OF PROJECTS AND OFFERING AN OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

Notice is hereby given that the Stark Area Regional Transit Authority intends to apply for Federal Funds to carry out the projects outline below. The request will fund the Stark Area Regional Transit Authority's 2018 Program of Projects.

Information on the program is available at the office of the Authority at 1600 Gateway Blvd SE, in Canton, Ohio between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

PROPOSED STARK AREA REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY FISCAL YEAR 2017 PROGRAM OF PROJECTS

Total Funds Estimated for 2018 Projects \$24,708,470*

Project	Total Budgeted Cost	Federal Share
Transit Enhancements	\$78,489	\$62,791
Safety/Security	\$45,000	\$36,000
Mahoning Corridor	\$1,345,171	\$1,345,171
Operating Expense	\$1,600,000	\$800,000
ADA Operating Expenses	\$350,000	\$280,000
Mobility Management	\$279,281	\$202,628
2018 (1) - 40' CNG Buses	\$485,693	\$388,554
2016 CalStart Hydrogen Project Altoona	\$782,865	\$782,865
2018-2019 (5) - 40' Hydrogen Buses	\$7,916,732	\$7,262,928
Alternative Fuels Data collection/analysis	\$717,102	\$717,102
(8) < 30' Buses	\$2,106,023	\$1,684,818
Bus Equipment	\$41,406	\$33,125
IT Projects	\$338,008	\$270,406
Bus Radio Replacement Project	\$399,998	\$319,999
Preventive Maintenance	\$4,799,050	\$3,839,240
Fare Box Replacement Project	\$2,204,000	\$1,763,200
Power Project	\$625,000	\$500,000
5310 Subgrantees	\$594,652	\$594,652
Project Totals	\$24,708,470	\$20,883,480

Written public comment on the proposed Program of Projects will be accepted by the Stark Area Regional Transit Authority (SARTA) until the close of business on November 7th, 2017. All comments shall be addressed to Kirt W. Conrad, Executive Director, Stark Area Regional Transit Authority, 1600 Gateway Blvd SE, Canton, Ohio 44707. Comments received by the closing date will be considered in preparing and carrying out the Program. A public hearing is scheduled for November 8, 2016 at 4:00 p.m. in the Executive Board Room at SARTA's headquarters located at 1600 Gateway Blvd SE in Canton.

This program will become final and will be submitted to the Federal Transit Administration upon completion of the public participation process unless amended by action of the Board of Trustees of the Stark Area Regional Transit Authority.