

Notice of Public Hearing

Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held at HIRTA at 9am on 4/28/2022, in the Conference Room at 2824 104th Street, Urbandale, IA. The purpose of this hearing is to discuss an application to the Iowa Department of Transportation for financial assistance for fiscal year 2023 as follows:

HIRTA will request the following financial assistance:

- State transit assistance of approximately \$593,879 for support of daily operations
- Federal transit assistance of approximately \$890,089 for support of daily operations

Federal statewide transit assistance to support capital equipment purchases. Which, if approved, will be matched with local dollars at 15%.

- Purchase 1 ADA Accessible 176 Light Duty Buses with surveillance for replacement – approximately \$107,760 Total Cost, \$91,596 Federal Funds
- Purchase 4 ADA Ford Transit with surveillance for replacement – approximately \$269,804 Total Cost, \$229,333 Federal Funds.
- Purchase 2 ADA Accessible 158" Light Duty Bus with surveillance for replacement – approximately \$203,400 Total Cost, \$172,890 Federal Funds.

These projects will not have a significant detrimental environmental effect on the area, and no persons or businesses will be displaced by these activities. The projects are in conformance with the statewide Transit Improvement Program.

Any interested person or agency is invited to attend this hearing and to speak for or against this application for funding.

Written comments will be through the date and time of the hearing specified above. These should be sent to HIRTA, Attention Julia Castillo, 2824 104th St. Urbandale, IA 50322 or emailed to jcastillo@ridehirta.com

This meeting is open to the public and any one requiring a reasonable accommodation to participate may contact HIRTA (515) 309-9282 at least two days prior to the hearing.