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50	Measurement Tool for Prioritization of Community Priorities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preservation: Ensure that current transportation resources remain in place. • Unmet/Greatest Need: Meets the identified needs of the population. • Coordination: Assure non-duplication and coordination of resources • Effectiveness/Cost Efficient: Transportation resources are available, accessible and adaptable to meet the needs. Transportation resources provide community savings. • Assess Unmet/Greatest Need
50	Transportation Service Plan	<p>Preservation: e and expand transportation services for individuals with disabilities, older adults, youth, veterans, and individuals with low incomes.</p> <p>DEMAND RESPONSE TRANSPORTATION FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS Door to door transportation service is needed and requested in the rural and isolated areas of the county for special needs population. Demand Response Transportation services are needed to <u>be preserved to continue to provide</u> access to employment, healthcare, social services, education, shopping, and activities that improve their quality of life.</p> <p>FIXED ROUTE AND ROUTE DEVIATED TRANSPORTATION Preservation of consistent and reliable <u>fixed route and route deviated</u> transportation is needed for individuals with special needs and the general public to <u>continue to provide</u> access to human services, healthcare, shopping, education, employment, and social activities. by connecting isolated communities and connecting across counties.</p>
		<p>Coordination: e transportation and human services for increased efficiencies and utilization of resources.</p> <p>COORDINATE TRANSPORTATION SERVICES FOR SPECIAL NEEDS AND GENERAL POPULATION Maintain the MPACT committee Special Needs Coalition to provide on-going coordination of human services and transportation resources to serve more people without duplication of services. Coordinate reservations, maintenance, purchase and maintenance of equipment, staff training, and transportation service. Coordinate, develop and expand alternate transportation resources with volunteer drivers, re-licensing program, loans for automobiles, and van pools. Coordinate trips for individuals to include multi-purpose activities (e.g. medical appointment, shopping, and nutrition).</p>

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		<p>Coordinate transportation resources with centralized information and referral (such as 2-1-1).</p> <p>Coordinate transportation services with other Regional Transportation Planning Organizations.</p> <p><u>Purchase and support technology for dispatching, vehicle location, screening customers for eligibility and customer reservations.</u></p>
		<p>Effective/ Cost Efficient:</p> <p><u>ENSURE TRANSPORTATION RESOURCES ARE AVAILABLE, ACCESSIBLE, AND ADAPTABLE TO MEET IDENTIFIED NEEDS IN THE COMMUNITY.</u></p> <p><u>Purchase and support technology for dispatching, vehicle location, screening customers for eligibility and customer reservations.</u></p> <p><u>Provide community education and advocacy on transportation services that are available and how to access.</u></p> <p><u>Maintain and purchase ADA accessible vehicles to accommodate special needs transportation.</u></p> <p><u>Provide safe sites for bus stops with shelters, lights, and signage.</u></p> <p><u>Provide bike racks to accommodate options for access.</u></p> <p><u>Purchase technology for the safety of riders that include video cameras and radios.</u></p>
		<p>Assess Unmet/ Greatest Need:</p> <p><u>STUDY COMMUNITIES FOR MISSING OR UNDERPROVIDED SERVICE NEEDS.</u></p> <p><u>Determine where door-to-door transportation service is needed and requested countywide and assess what type of demand response best fits the need.</u></p> <p><u>Determine how underprovided services in fixed route and route-deviated service cause transportation barriers to access human services, healthcare, shopping, education, employment, and social activities.</u></p> <p><u>Determine how limited infrastructure causes transportation barriers to access human services, healthcare, shopping, education, employment, and social activities.</u></p>

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