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Public Notice – WAMPO 5310 Call for Projects 5310 Enhanced Mobility of Seniors & Individuals with Disabilities

For Federal Fiscal Year 2023-2024 – Notice of Applicants with Intent to Apply

The intent of the 5310 Enhanced Mobility of Seniors & Individuals with Disabilities program is to improve mobility for seniors and people with disabilities by providing financial support, through programs planned, designed, and carried out to meet the transportation needs of these populations.

The Wichita Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (WAMPO) has opened the application period for 5310 program funding. The deadline for project application submission is January 24, 2025. All submitted projects will be screened based on the goals and objectives found in the local Coordinated Public Transit-Human Transportation Services Plan.

For more information visit: <u>www.wampo.org/wampo-5310</u> or contact Dora Gallo, WAMPO Transportation Planner at 316.779.1313 or email <u>Dora.Gallo@wampo.org</u>.

Transportation providers and other interested parties are hereby notified that the following entities are applying for a federal grant of up to \$1,355,859 under Section 5310 of Chapter 53 of Title 49, United States Code, for transportation projects designed to meet the needs of seniors and/or individuals with disabilities within the Wichita Urbanized Area.

- » Arrowhead West, Inc., 67801
- » Cerebral Palsy Research Foundation of Kansas, 67208
- » City of Haysville, 67060
- » Episcopal Social Services Inc. (Breakthrough), 67203
- » Goodwill Industries of Kansas, Inc., 67208
- » Heartspring, 67226
- » Kansas Elks Training Center for the Handicapped, Inc. (KETCH), 67211
- » Mulvane Senior Center, 67110
- » Rainbows United, Inc., 67220
- » Sedgwick County Department of Aging and Disabilities, 67202
- » Starkey, Inc., 67209
- » Wichita Transit, 67202

The purpose of this notice is to invite private for-profit bus, taxi, ambulette operators, and other interested parties to participate in the development of proposed grant project(s) and in the provision of enhanced transportation services to elderly individuals and individuals with disabilities. Please contact Dora Gallo, at <u>Dora.Gallo@wampo.org</u> within 12 calendar days of this public notice to request more information.

WAMPO fully complies with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and related statutes and regulations in all programs and activities. For more information or to obtain a Title VI Discrimination Complaint Form, see <u>www.wampo.org</u> or call 316.779.1313.

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