



Poughkeepsie-Dutchess County Transportation Council

Public Notice

Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Section 5310 Funding Availability

June 6, 2016

The three transportation councils within the Mid-Hudson Valley Transportation Management Area (TMA) –the Poughkeepsie-Dutchess County Transportation Council (PDCTC), the Orange County Transportation Council (OCTC), and the Ulster County Transportation Council (UCTC) – are pleased to announce a call for projects for the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Enhanced Mobility for Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities Program (Section 5310). This program supports improved mobility for seniors and individuals with disabilities by removing barriers to transportation services and expanding transportation mobility options.

FTA Section 5310 Funds are available to governmental authorities where no non-profit organizations are available to provide service. Total available funding is approximately \$85,000 for Dutchess, Orange, and Ulster counties, combined. These funds must be used to serve residents living within Dutchess, Orange, and Ulster counties, and support the goals of each locally developed [Coordinated Public Transit-Human Services Transportation Plan](#).

[Applications](#) in response to this grant solicitation are due by **July 1, 2016**. For more information about FTA Section 5310 funds or this grant solicitation, please see the [NYSDOT website](#).

Interested applicants may also contact the PDCTC with any questions or comments:

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About the PDCTC: Established in 1982, the PDCTC serves as the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for Dutchess County. Federal law requires that all Urbanized Areas, U.S. Census defined metropolitan areas with over 50,000 people, be represented by a MPO, which is responsible for ensuring that Federal transportation dollars (highway and transit) are committed through a locally driven, comprehensive planning process. The PDCTC includes representatives from local municipalities, the New York State Department of Transportation, and the Metropolitan Transportation Authority.