

FACT SHEET

MDOT'S PUBLIC TRANSIT DIVISION

Through the Office of Intermodal Planning, the MDOT is committed to coordinated planning and the collaborative allocation of local, state and federal resources to develop, implement and sustain transportation programs and projects.

The Public Transit Division has as its primary responsibility the development and administration of general public and specialized transportation program grants and contracts. These programs include *service delivery, technical assistance, and training* components. The Division administers U. S. Department of Transportation funds on behalf of the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) for rural and small urban areas of the state.

MISSION

The mission of the Public Transit Division is to plan, develop, implement and administer sustainable transportation programs, projects and plans that promote the most effective and efficient allocation of state, federal and local resources throughout the state.

GOALS

- ❖ Improve the availability and accessibility of public and specialized transportation resources for rural and small urban areas.
- ❖ Improve the level of coordination of transportation resources that are available through State Agencies, local community Action Agencies, other public bodies and the private sector.
- ❖ Incorporate technology solutions in public and specialized transportation program to increase efficiency and effectiveness.
- ❖ Develop and maintain a comprehensive transportation information data base.