

## PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

**Section 5311 (ADTAP), 5310, 5339, 5307 and applicable State funding, or combination thereof.**

This is to inform the public that a public hearing will be held on the proposed Jackson County Community Transportation Program Application to be submitted to the North Carolina Department of Transportation no later than October 4, 2024. The public hearing will be held on September 17, 2024 at 6:25 pm before the Jackson County Board of Commissioners located at the Albert Carlton-Community Library, 249 Frank Allen Rd, Cashiers, NC 28717.

Those interested in attending the public hearing and needing either auxiliary aids and services under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) or a language translator should contact April Alm on or before September 13, 2024, at telephone number (828) 586-0233 or via email at aprilalm@jacksonnc.org.

The Community Transportation Program provides assistance to coordinate existing transportation programs operating in Jackson County as well as provides transportation options and services for the communities within this service area. These services are currently provided using NCDOT-sponsored vans. Services are rendered by Jackson County Transit.

The total estimated amount requested for the period July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026.

**NOTE: Local share amount is subject to State funding availability.**

<u>Project</u>	<u>Total Amount</u>	<u>Local Share</u>
5311 Administrative	\$ 212,321	\$ 31,849 (15%)
Combined Capital	\$ 241,200	\$ 24,120 (10%)
5310 Operating	\$ 165,000	\$ 82,500 (50%)
Non-STI Rural Expansion Vehicle	\$ 117,956	\$ 23,592 (20%)
<b>TOTAL PROJECT</b>	<b>\$ 736,477</b>	<b>\$ 162,061</b>

**Total Funding Request**

**Total Local Share**

This application may be inspected at Jackson County Transit, 1148 Haywood Rd, Sylva, NC 28779 from 8AM to 5PM. Written comments should be directed to April Alm before Friday, September 13, 2024.