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**Call for Projects for Transportation Capital and/or  
Programs Designed to Enhance Mobility  
for Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities**

**NAPA, CA-** The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) Division of Mass Transportation is soliciting projects for the Federal Transit Administration's (FTA) Enhanced Mobility of Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities Program (40 USC Section 5310) for the FY 2013 and FY 2014 federal apportionments. The Section 5310 program makes funding available for transportation operating and capital projects that support improved mobility for elderly and disabled persons.

The Federal Transportation Authorization Legislation, Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century (MAP-21) made changes to the Section 5310 program by consolidating it with the New Freedom program. Under the new program, 55% of the available funding must be set aside for traditional FTA Section 5310 capital projects (vehicles, wheel chair restraints, and communications equipment). The remaining 45% can be used for projects eligible under the former New Freedom program. This includes capital and operating projects that improve mobility for elderly and disabled persons and that go beyond those required by the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Applications and detailed information about the program can be located at <http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/MassTrans/5310.html>.

A grant workshop will be held in Woodland, CA on Wednesday, October 29 from 9 AM to 1 PM. The purpose of the workshop is to assist agencies in understanding the grant cycle process by reviewing the general requirements and the entire application step by step. To register for the workshop contact FTA Section 5310 staff toll-free at (888) 472-6816.

Project scoring is completed at the local level and program priorities are submitted to Caltrans for further review and development of state priorities. Project sponsors located in Napa County must submit completed applications by 5 PM, Friday November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2014 to:

Napa County Transportation and Planning Agency (NCTPA)  
c/o 5310 Grant Program  
625 Burnell Street  
Napa, CA 94559

If you have questions or require additional information, please contact Tom Roberts, NCTPA Manager of Public Transit, NCTPA 707-259-8635 or [troberts@nctpa.net](mailto:troberts@nctpa.net)

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