

**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 virtually on the proposed Western Carolina Community Action, Inc. Community Transportation Program Application to be submitted to the North Carolina Department of Transportation no later than October 8, 2021. The virtual public hearing will be held on September 9, 2021 at 6:00 pm before the (*governing board*) Western Carolina Community Action, Inc.

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 Jeff Roper or Felicia Sanchez on or before September 9, 2021 at telephone number (828) 698-8571 or via email at [jroper@wcca.org](mailto:jroper@wcca.org) or [fsanchez@wcca.org](mailto:fsanchez@wcca.org).

The Community Transportation Program provides assistance to coordinate existing transportation programs operating in Henderson County as well as provides transportation options and services for the communities within this service area. These services are currently provided using Vans and Wheelchair equipped vans. Services are rendered by Apple Country Transportation.

The total estimated amount requested for the period July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023.

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

<u>Project</u>	<u>Total Amount</u>	<u>Local Share</u>
Administrative	\$ 174,623	\$ 26,193 (15%)
Operating (5311)	\$	\$ (50%)
Capital (Vehicles & Other)	\$	\$ (10%)
5310 Operating	\$ 70,416	\$ 35,208 (50%)
Other _____	\$	\$ ( %)
<b>TOTAL PROJECT</b>	<b>\$ 245,039</b>	<b>\$ 61,401</b>

**Total Funding Request**

**Total Local Share**

This application may be inspected at 526 7<sup>th</sup> Ave E Hendersonville, NC 28792 from 8:00 am-4:00 pm M-F. Written comments should be directed to Jeff Roper or Felicia Sanchez before October 8, 2021.