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WATA to Hold Public Hearings on New Demonstration Route

WILLIAMSBURG, Virginia (February 8, 2017) – Williamsburg Area Transit Authority (WATA) will hold several public hearings to receive community input on its proposed new demonstration route. The proposed route would provide service to locations including the JCC Government Complex, Lackey Free Clinic, Riverside Doctors' Hospital, VA Peninsula Regional Jail, and the Naval Weapons Station, among others, and would offer connection to Hampton Roads Transit via Lee Hall. More information about the route will be posted online at www.goWATA.org for the public to review prior to the meetings.

Details of the public hearing dates, times, and locations are listed below.

Tuesday, February 21, 2017 - 4:30 p.m.

Yorktown Square Community Center

202 Barham Blvd. #9

Yorktown, VA 23690

Monday, March 6, 2017 - 4:20 p.m.

Riverside Doctors' Hospital

Conference Room AB

1500 Commonwealth Ave.

Williamsburg, VA 23185

Tuesday, March 7, 2017 - 2:30 p.m.

Lackey Free Clinic

1620 Old Williamsburg Road

Yorktown, VA 23690

Wednesday, March 8, 2017 - 6:15 p.m.

Stryker Center

Room 128

209 N. Boundary St.

Williamsburg, VA 23185

Saturday, March 11, 2017 - 4:15 p.m.

James City County Recreation Center

Room C

5301 Longhill Rd.

Williamsburg, VA 23188

The proposed demonstration route may be approved following the public hearings. The final route may also include other alternatives derived from public comment. WATA intends to begin service to the approved route on **July 5, 2017**.

Those unable to attend the hearings may submit written testimony postmarked through **midnight March 13, 2017**, the close of the public record.

Comments via letter should be directed to:

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Williamsburg, VA 23185
Attn: 2017 Demonstration Route

Comments via email should be directed to:

info@goWATA.org
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About the Williamsburg Area Transit Authority (WATA)

WATA provides public transportation to residents and visitors in James City County, Williamsburg, the Bruton District of York County, Surry County, and connection to Newport News. For more information about WATA, visit www.goWATA.org or call WATA at 757-220-5493.

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