

**PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS RECOMMENDED FOR FISCAL YEARS 2010 AND 2011 FUNDING  
JOB ACCESS & REVERSE COMMUTE (JARC) AND NEW FREEDOM (NF) PROGRAMS**

**December 16, 2011**

The South Florida Regional Transportation Authority (SFRTA), in partnership with the Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPOs) in Broward, Miami-Dade, and Palm Beach Counties conducted a publicly announced competitive selection process to select projects in the Miami Urbanized Area for the Job Access & Reverse Commute and New Freedom Program funds for Fiscal Years 2010 and 2011. These Federal Transit Administration program funds are available for projects that improve transportation for low-income individuals, welfare recipients and/ or people with disabilities.

After initial screening of applications by SFRTA staff to determine eligibility and completeness, the SFRTA's Planning and Technical Advisory Committee (PTAC), which consists of representatives from local transit, transportation and social services agencies, evaluated the applications. The ranked projects were then submitted to the SFRTA Governing Board for approval at the December 16, 2011 meeting. The SFRTA Governing Board approved the PTAC evaluations and recommended that the following projects be submitted to the FTA for final determination of funding:

JARC Projects:

- Continuation and Expansion of the City of Opa-Locka Bus Shuttle (North City Area) by the City of Opa-Locka
- Continuation of the Tri-Rail Shuttle/Community Bus Service in Opa-Locka (South City Area) by the South Florida Regional Transportation Authority
- City of Lauderhill Shuttle Bus Service by the City of Lauderhill
- Tri-Rail Shuttle Bus Service by the South Florida Regional Transportation Authority
- Continuation and Expansion of fixed routes for JARC by Miami-Dade Transit
- Ways to Work by the South Florida Urban Ministries
- Trolley Purchase by the Fort Lauderdale Transportation Management Association
- Boynton Beach Shuttle Service by the South Florida Regional Transportation Authority
- Downtown Commuter Transit Route by the City of West Palm Beach

New Freedom Projects:

- The LIFT On-Demand Service by the Volen Center
- Community Bus and Mobility Manager by the Housing Authority of the City of Fort Lauderdale
- Community Mobility Manager by the Volen Center
- Pompano Beach Green Station Demonstration Project by the South Florida Regional Transportation Authority
- GETTING THERE by the Coalition for Independent Living Options
- Accessible Taxi Program by Metro Taxi
- Accessible Vehicles Program by Zuni Transportation