



June 4, 2019

NOTICE TO INTERESTED PARTIES

FY 2021 FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR FORMULA GRANTS FOR RURAL AREAS 49 USC SECTION 5311 AND ENHANCED MOBILITY OF SENIORS AND INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES 49 USC SECTION 5310

The New Mexico State Department of Transportation's Transit and Rail Division is accepting Letters of Intent from organizations interested in applying for the following grant opportunities:

- FTA Section 5311 Program (Rural/Non-Urbanized Public Transportation) which provides administrative and operating assistance, and includes Section 5339 Grants for Bus and Bus Facilities, which provides capital grants to support rural public transportation.
- Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Section 5310 Program (Enhanced Mobility of Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities) which provides capital grants to assist private non-profit organizations and, under certain conditions, public agencies, to provide safe, efficient, and coordinated transportation services for seniors and individuals with disabilities for whom public transportation is otherwise unavailable, insufficient, or inappropriate.

Descriptions of these and other grant programs are available at the FTA website: <https://www.transit.dot.gov/grants>

THIS NOTICE APPLIES TO FUNDING FOR THE 2021 FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR FOR SECTIONS 5311 and 5310 PROGRAMS BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2020 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2021. Interested parties wishing to apply for assistance under SECTIONS 5311 and 5310 **MUST return a signed Letter of Intent by mail or email postmarked by Friday, July 5, 2019 to:**

**New Mexico Department of Transportation
Transit and Rail Division
Deborah Bach – FY 21 Intent to Apply
P.O. Box 1149
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-1149**

Letters of Intent *must* include:

1. Organization Name, Address, and Telephone Number.
2. Name, phone number and e-mail address of contact person.
3. Specify which application opportunities you are intending to apply for (Section 5311 and/or Section 5310)

For further information on these programs, please contact Deborah Bach at Deborah.Bach@state.nm.us or 505-819-9112.

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