

## **TITLE VI NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC**

### **The Law**

Title VI of the 1964 Civil Rights Act requires that “No person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance.”

### **Applicability**

Title VI covers all agencies receiving federal funds. Some examples include: student aid; employee training; grants; loans, property; loans of personnel, tax incentives; and technical assistance. Title VI applies to discrimination throughout an agency, not just actions involving federally assisted programs.

### **Filing a complaint**

Title VI complaints involving recipients and beneficiaries may be filed with the Title VI Coordinator by an individual, a class, or by a third party, within 180 days from the date of the alleged discriminatory act.

For additional information on Title VI or to file a complaint, contact:

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It shall be against the policy of Van Buren Public Transit to discriminate against an individual based upon that person’s race, color or national origin. This policy applies to applicants for employment and current employees as well as sub-recipients and subcontractors of Van Buren County Government Departments that receive Federal Funding.