

**FEDERAL SECTION 5311  
CONSOLIDATED GRANT ASSISTANCE PROJECT**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Public notice is hereby made that the County of Orange is applying for federal financial assistance to provide operating assistance to the following transit services for Calendar Years 2015 and 2016: demand-responsive/fixed-route, dial-a-bus service in the Towns of Goshen and Chester operated by the Town of Goshen, the Towns of Montgomery and Crawford operated by the Town of Montgomery, the City of Port Jervis and the immediate surrounding area of the Town of Deerpark operated by the City of Port Jervis and the Town of Warwick operated by the Town of Warwick.

The transportation service will be available to the general public during all hours of operation. The project is expected to be financed by federal Section 5311 public transportation funds, with additional funds to be provided from the NY Statewide Mass Transportation Operating Assistance Program, the County of Orange, and the individual bus operators. The total federal share is expected to be \$604,500.

Comments on the proposed project are invited from the general public, private bus and taxi companies, other public transportation providers and human service agencies. Interested parties may comment on the project or obtain more details about the project by writing to:

Robert C. Parrington, Transit Planner  
Orange County Department of Planning  
124 Main Street  
Goshen, New York 10924  
(845) 615-3852  
(845) 291-2533 (fax)

Human service agencies that receive assistance from other Federal agencies for non-emergency transportation services are encouraged to participate and coordinate with the provider in the planning, design and delivery of transportation services. Agencies may obtain copies of the service proposal and submit proposals for service coordination. Private bus and taxi operators may request copies of the project service description from the above-named person and may submit comments on the service as described.

If you wish to comment on any aspect of the proposed project, submit a proposal or a request for service coordination you must make your interest known in writing within ten (10) days of the date of this publication and provide your comments within thirty (30) days of your receipt of the project service description. Your requests and/or comments must be forwarded to the above person.