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EATRAN to resume Connector service

Improved routing, expanded hours to begin Jan. 15

EATON COUNTY, MI – Eaton County just got more mobile thanks to recent action by the Eaton County Transportation Authority (EATRAN) Board.

Starting Monday, Jan. 15, EATRAN will resume its Connector service, which offers improved routing and expanded service hours. The Connector service will operate from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday through Friday with Saturday service from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

“We are thrilled to offer expanded coordinated public transit to our community,” said Terrance Augustine, Eaton County Commissioner and EATRAN Board Chair. “Regional mobility is critical but often a difficult thing to accomplish. We look forward to launching more Connector services for our county residents in the near future.”

Buses will serve stops at the new courthouse on Independence Boulevard in Charlotte, the old courthouse on Bostwick Street in Charlotte, and Walmart on Marketplace Boulevard in Delta Township. The 30-minute route will travel along I-69 and I-96 between the two cities. Commuters can connect to CATA’s Route 3 on Marketplace Boulevard for continued eastbound travel in Delta Township or downtown Lansing. The expanded Connector service will result in 14 additional hours of service each week for EATRAN.

Scheduled departure times will be posted at bus stops. If arranged 24 hours in advance, Connector buses will deviate up to three-quarters of a mile from the established route for pickups beyond designated bus stops. Call 517-543-4087 to schedule a ride, or visit eatran.com for more details. Residents can visit cata.org for Route 3 fare and service information.

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