Valley Transit Title VI Policy Statement and Mission

Valley Transit is committed to ensuring that no person is excluded from participation in, or denied the benefits of, or be subject to discrimination in receipt of its services or programs on the basis of race, color, national origin, or any other characteristic protected by law, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended. Further, under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990, no entity shall discrimination against an individual with a physical or mental disability in connection with the provision of transportation services.

Valley Transit's primary goal is to ensure all management, staff, contractors, local agencies, and service beneficiaries are aware of the provisions of, and responsibilities derived from Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Circular 4702.1B of 2012.

Valley Transit's Title VI policy is responsible for providing leadership, direction, and policy to ensure compliance with Title VI, Environmental Justice, and Limited English Proficiency principles. This policy also ensures that social impacts to communities and people are recognized and considered throughout the transportation planning, and decision-making process.

To obtain more information on Valley Transit's nondiscrimination obligations or to file a Title VI complaint, contact Valley Transit's Title VI Coordinator at:

Title VI Coordinator 1401 West Rose Street Walla Walla, WA 99362 Email address: <u>info@valleytransit.com</u> By phone: 509-525-9140 By Fax: 509-525-9142

You may file a written complaint no later than 180 days after the date of the alleged discrimination.

Information on non-English alternative formats may be obtained from the Administrative Department at 509-525-9140.

La información sobre formatos alternativos que no están en inglés se puede obtener del Departamento Administrativo al 509-525-9140

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