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## **COMPASS Seeks Public Comment on Coordinated Mobility Plan Public Comment Period: April 15 – May 15, 2022**

*Meridian, ID* – The Community Planning Association of Southwest Idaho (COMPASS) is seeking public comment on the draft *2022 Coordinated Public Transit-Human Services Transportation Plan for Ada and Canyon Counties* (“Coordinated Plan”).

The Coordinated Plan identifies transportation needs of older adults and individuals with disabilities, low incomes, and limited English proficiency, then outlines strategies to meet the highest priority needs. Those strategies will be used to help identify and prioritize public transportation projects for funding. COMPASS has worked closely with Valley Regional Transit to develop the plan.

COMPASS is looking for feedback on the draft plan — particularly the identified needs and strategies — before the plan is finalized. Public comments will be accepted from April 15 through May 15, 2022.

“If you, or a family member or friend, rely on public transportation to meet your daily needs, this plan is for you,” explains COMPASS Assistant Planner Lila Klopfenstein. “Review the needs that have been identified and let us know if they match yours, then check out the strategies to meet those needs. Did we miss anything?”

There are many ways to learn more and submit comments:

- Review materials and comment online:
  - [www.compassidaho.org](http://www.compassidaho.org); follow the link to “public comment”
- Attend a virtual presentation
  - Tuesday, April 19, 12:00pm; [facebook.com/COMPASSIdaho](https://www.facebook.com/COMPASSIdaho)
- Attend an open house (3:30pm – 6:30pm)
  - Wednesday, May 4, Main Street Station, 777 W Main St., Boise
  - Thursday, May 5, Nampa Public Library, 215 12<sup>th</sup> Ave, South, Nampa
  - Learn about Valley Regional Transit’s *Transit Development Plan* at the same time!
- Ask questions, request paper copies of the plan and comment materials be mailed to you, or request the plan in another format:
  - Call 208/475-2229 or email [info@compassidaho.org](mailto:info@compassidaho.org)

Comments must be received no later than 11:59 pm, Sunday, May 15, 2022.

Those needing assistance in submitting comments should contact COMPASS at 208/475-2229 or [info@compassidaho.org](mailto:info@compassidaho.org).