## Proposed Updates to Lift Line Paratransit Services

## Revise the Application & Certification Process

- The application will be revised so that we have more complete information about each applicant's specific needs
- Customers who have permanent, chronic or developmental disabilities will no longer have to be re-certified for service every three years
- Conditional eligibility will now extend from October 1 through April 30
- Customers who do not qualify for recertification will be provided with 3-month temporary eligibility if they have used Lift Line service in the prior 6 months

## Streamline Subscription Service Requirements

As part of the proposed paratransit plan, Lift Line would create a subscription pool for customers who travel to and from the same destinations at the same days and times on a weekly basis. The benefits for customers in the subscription pool include:

- No need to make an advance reservation—customers' regular trips are already scheduled
- Customers only call Lift Line when they need to cancel a regular trip or schedule a different trip
- Faster, more efficient service for all customers

## Provide new scheduling options and new interactive voice response (IVR) phone system

We're offering new options to schedule and confirm rides. Key benefits for customers include:

- Schedule rides one to seven days in advance
- Shorter hold times to talk with a Lift Line scheduler
- Receive "night-before" phone calls, reminding you of a scheduled ride
- Confirm or cancel a ride quickly and easily 24 hours a day, 7 days a week

