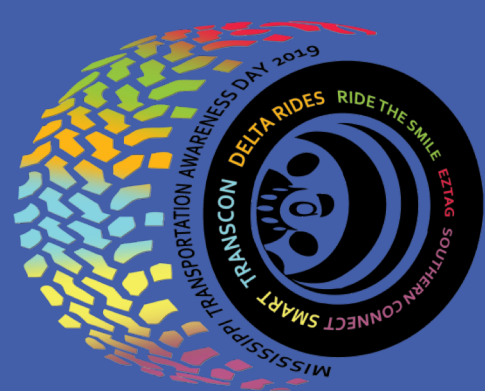




# Trans-Con Region-Mississippi- Community Transportation

Mobility Management: Statewide Transit Day

Machelle Kyles, NRoute Transit , Regional Mobility Manager



## INTRODUCTION

### Challenge :

Trans-Con's Involvement

### COUNTIES SERVED:

*Copiah, Hinds, Madison, Rankin, Simpson, Warren, and Yazoo Counties in Central Mississippi*

### VISION:

To secure all community transportation resources in every city, to have safe, affordable and reliable community transportation; ensuring sure these services are easily accessible across the State of Mississippi.

### Mission:

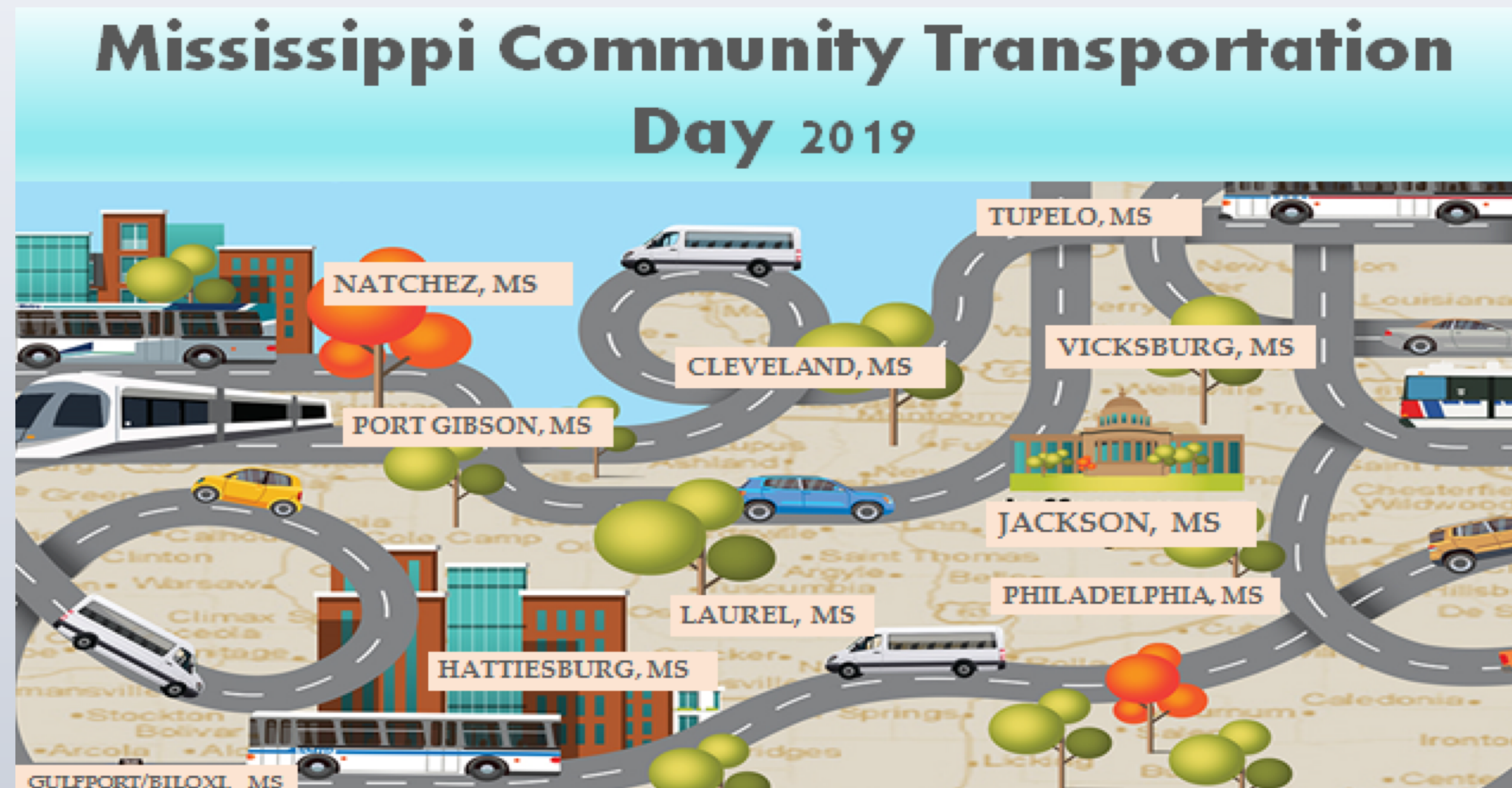
To bring awareness and education throughout the State of Mississippi ;the urgent need to participate and support community transportation.

## Trans-Con Partners -Community Participation

QRyde  
Ability Works  
AVA Personal Care, LLC  
City Of Jackson-Jatran  
Copiah County Human Resource Agency  
Express Transit  
Gladys Bunzy  
JSU College of Public Service  
Keys Transport  
Madison County Citizens Service Agency  
Dr. Crawford  
MS Coalition for Citizens with Disabilities  
MDHS-Workforce Dev  
MS Industries for the Blind  
MS Society for Disabilities  
MJS Transportation  
Nroute Transit Commission  
South Central Community Action Agency  
TAMAR Transportation  
TransDev  
Warren Yazoo Behavioral Health  
WeBase Management Solutions, LLC  
Willowood Development Ctr  
Yazoo County Human Resource Agency  
Jackson Medical Mall Foundation  
Rankin County Human Resource Agency  
Hinds County Human Resource Agency

## Challenge Solved By:

Trans-Con Community Involvement – Collaboration with Mississippi Public Transit Association



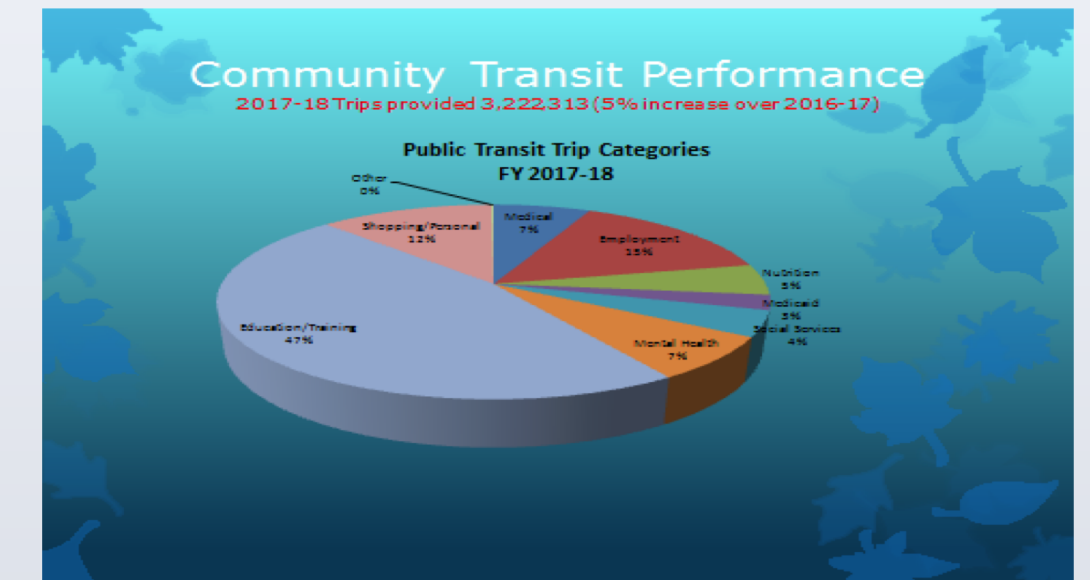
## COORDINATION OF CENTRAL MS PARTNERS

### STATE AGENCY COORDINATION:

CITY of JACKSON (JTRAN)  
COPIAH COUNTY HRA  
HINDS COUNTY HUMAN RESOURCES AGENCY  
MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICE AGENCY  
MICHAEL JORDAN TRANSPORTATION  
RANKIN COUNTY HUMAN RESOURCE AGENCY  
NROUTE TRANSIT COMMISSION



## MISSISSIPPI TRANSPORTATION EDUCATION AND AWARENESS STATE TRIPS



## PSA INITIATIVES/PARTNER TOOL KIT

### SAMPLE

#### PRESS RELEASE

##### For Immediate Release

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Robert County Council on Aging, Inc.  
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Re: Mississippi Community Transportation Awareness Day 2019

Mississippi Community Transportation Awareness Day (MPTA) will celebrate its 1st annual event in collaboration with National Dump the Pump Day on June 20, 2019. The tag line for the event is "Dump the Pump". The Mississippi Community Transportation Day 2019 will be an array of celebrations and awareness campaigns held across the State of Mississippi on the nationally celebrated date.

National public awareness day is sponsored by the American Public Transit Association (APTA) to encourage people to park their cars and ride a bus or train. The tag line for the event is "Dump the Pump". The Mississippi Community Transportation Day 2019 will be an array of celebrations and awareness campaigns held across the State of Mississippi on the nationally celebrated date.

Dump the Pump Day first began in June 2009 to highlight public transportation as a convenient travel option. It encourages people to save money and it relieves the stress of driving. This event encourages new public transportation riders and it gives existing riders the opportunity to save money at the gas pump and use a safe, reliable bus or rail service.

The bus provider, Delta Rides can help you "Dump the Pump". Delta Rides is a network of public and private transportation providers that covers 21 counties in the state of Mississippi. Delta Rides provides bus transportation that covers areas from the Tennessee state line to Jackson and from Alabama to Biloxi covering all points in between. It offers a broad range of solutions for transportation needs for individuals who don't have adequate transportation to educational facilities, employment and doctors' appointments.

To participate in Mississippi Community Transportation Awareness 2019, Dump the Pump Day, call Doris Green at 877-886-8272 to coordinate your ride on National Dump the Pump Day.

### PROCLAMATION

Whereas, the City of \_\_\_\_\_ Mississippi joins the national recognition of Community Transportation Awareness Day. This statewide event is in collaboration with the American Public Transportation Association (APTA), on June 20, 2019, The National Dump the Pump Day that was established to encourage people to ride public transportation.

Whereas, the city of \_\_\_\_\_ Mississippi, is committed to community transportation to serve the individual needs to serve transit for workforce, education, healthcare, personal business and pleasure.

Whereas, the importance of safe affordable community transportation to the people of the state is vital to well-being and

Whereas, the City of \_\_\_\_\_ Mississippi recognizes that it can collaborate with transportation providers and participate the promotion of community transportation and in the enrichment of the lives of individuals of every age by committing to the following:

- Secure transportation is available for people to maintain healthcare needs.
- Provide transportation for individuals to work, volunteer and educational needs.
- Encourage participation in community service activities and programs.

Now therefore, I, \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor of the City of \_\_\_\_\_ do hereby proclaim June 20, 2019 as

*Mississippi Community Transportation Awareness Day 2019*

in the City of Laurel and do hereby urge every resident to join me in taking time to ride to community transportation on this day and the people who work to serve this community with transportation services.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND CAUSED THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF LAUREL, MISSISSIPPI, TO BE AFFIXED THIS \_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2019

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor  
\_\_\_\_\_ City Clerk

## RESOURCES AND CONTACT INFORMATION

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Mississippi  
Community  
Transportation  
Awareness Day 2019

Thursday, June 20, 2019

