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Dear County Supervisor,

The Advocacy Committee of the Milwaukee County Commission on Aging is writing to express support for continued funding of the Milwaukee County Transit System (MCTS) Transit Plus Taxi Service within the 2023 County budget.

We recognize that MCTS must take the necessary steps to bring the Transit Plus Taxi Service into compliance with federal regulations and that these steps may increase the cost of the service. However, the Transit Plus Taxi Service provides County residents with disabilities accessible and on-demand transportation, enhancing these residents' abilities to live independently, enjoy a greater quality of life, and participate meaningfully within their communities.

We urge the County to approve of the continuation of funding for the Transit Plus Taxi Service contract through December 2023, and furthermore, urge the County to work with local and state partners to find creative funding solutions that allow the Transit Plus Taxi Service to remain beyond 2023.

Sincerely,

Chair, Commission on Aging

Legislative Officer



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