

**CITY OF ALHAMBRA
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

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**AFFIRMATION THAT ALHAMBRA SENIOR RIDE IS THE ONLY PROGRAM READILY
AVAILABLE TO PROVIDE COORDINATED TRANSIT SERVICE FOR SENIORS AND
INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES**

NOTICE NO. N2M17-70

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Alhambra will conduct a public hearing on **Monday, July 24, 2017 at 7:00 p.m.**, or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard in the Council Chambers located at 111 South First Street, Alhambra, California to consider the following:

THE CITY OF ALHAMBRA, A CHARTER LAW CITY LOCATED IN THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, HERBY CERTIFIES THAT THERE IS NO NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION READILY AVAILABLE IN THE AREA TO PROVIDE COORDINATED TRANSIT SERVICE FOR THE ELDERLY AND INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES.

The Senior Ride Program provides a free local curb to curb transportation services for seniors (60+years of age) and disabled individuals of any age. The program has been in existence since 1979 as a joint venture between the City and California Lutheran Home. In 1982, the City took over the coordination of transit services utilizing Proposition A transit funds and expanding the service to include transit outside the City limits (up to two miles) for medical appointments. The California Lutheran home involvement was phased out and the City of Alhambra became the sole service provider. In addition to the daily transit service, staff coordinates special pick-up and return trips such as weekly grocery runs, monthly shopping mall outings and transit to city wide special events such as the 4th of July Celebration, the Summer Serenade Concert Series, and the Veterans Day Ceremony.

The City of Alhambra has applied for Enhanced Mobility of Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities grant administered by METRO to replace the Senior Ride program fleet vehicles. A requirement of the application process is to hold a public hearing to affirm that there is no non-profit organization readily available in the area that can provide free transit services for the elderly and disabled individuals.

Any person interested in this matter is invited to attend and present testimony either for or against the above item. If you challenge the proposed action in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice or in written correspondence delivered to the City Council at or prior to the public hearing.

**LAUREN MYLES, CMC
CITY CLERK**

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