

## Public Notice

Public notice is hereby given this 13th \_\_\_\_\_ day of April \_\_\_\_\_, 2026 that

The Building Bridges Developmental and Community Services, Inc \_\_\_\_\_  
(Applicant's Agency's Name)

of PO Box 980, Lonoke, AR 72086 \_\_\_\_\_ has made application for funds  
(Applicant's mailing address, city, state, zip)

through Section 49 U.S.C. Section 5310 for the purchase of the following type of passenger transportation

vehicle:Qty of 2 ArDOT #10 22' Small Butaway Bus w/Lift (10/0 or 8/1) \_\_\_\_\_

This vehicle will be used primarily for the following purposes: **Transporting consumers to and from the center providing services for habilitation, speech, occupational. developmental therapies, work activity programs, and social activities.** \_\_\_\_\_

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Purchase of the above vehicle is considered essential to the efficient operation of this organization in provision of public transportation services to seniors and individuals with disabilities. There is no intent to infringe upon, or compete with, existing public or private transit operators, including Section 5307, urban public transit operators and Section 5311, rural public transit operators.

(Applicant's Agency's Name) is requesting a vehicle that is not compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act. However, (Applicant's Agency's Name) does meet the "equivalency of service" requirements to individuals with disabilities in the community.

Any objection should be submitted in writing only to persons listed below. All comments will become a part of this organization's application and will be a matter of public record. All written comments must be submitted within 30 days of the date of this notice. Any person wishing to request a public hearing on the proposed project must submit a request in writing within 10 days of the date of this notice to the persons listed below:

Carrie Weatherley  
Human Resources/Compliance Manager  
Building Bridges Developmental and Community Services, Inc  
PO Box 980  
Lonoke, AR 72086

and to:

Latina Sisco, Section Head  
Public Transportation Programs Office  
Arkansas Department of Transportation  
P.O. Box 2261  
Little Rock, AR 72203-2261