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Dear 5311 Transit Providers,

This is a reminder that the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) has launched an online application to collect information from recipients and subrecipients on the impacts of COVID-19. The FTA will use information submitted through the application to inform FTA actions in support of the transit industry's COVID-19 recovery efforts and implementation of the Federal mask requirement for public transportation. Information on the program can be accessed at this link:

<https://www.transit.dot.gov/COVID-19Data>

FTA requires recipients of Formula Grants for Rural Areas (Section 5311) grant funding to provide monthly updates on the impact of the COVID-19 public health emergency on their applicable subrecipients. Using FTA's new online application, Section 5311 recipients will provide monthly updates on behalf of these subrecipients.

In order to collect the necessary monthly data, we have developed a survey to collect this information. **Please click the following link: [FTA COVID-19 Impact Update](#) and enter your system's information by the deadline of **September 10th** by Close of Business.**

Please remember that when you are filling out staffing totals, please do not double count any employees and do not total your numbers in the 'Other' field. We automatically total them for you. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Thank you!

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