



## **BARTOW COUNTY TRANSIT**

### **TITLE VI CIVIL RIGHTS ACT**

#### **NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC – POLICY STATEMENT**

Bartow County assures that no person shall, on the grounds of race, color, national origin or gender as provided by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 49 CFR Part 21, and the guidelines of FTA Circular 4702.1B, published October 1, 2012, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity of Bartow County Government, whether or not those programs and activities are federally funded.

Bartow County's goal is not to discriminate against any person with respect to any County transit program or service. This commitment is incorporated into all public outreach efforts to engage in all segments of the population in the transportation planning process. Bartow County actively provides information regarding its Title VI obligations to the public using a variety of methods. Information, such as references to FTA and the Bartow County Title VI and LEP programs and complaint procedure is available upon request at the Transit office, the Bartow County Commissioner's office and on the website. The Bartow County Notice of Non-Discrimination Policy is included in all transit contracts, public meetings and bid advertisements.

Bartow County staff are educated on the Title VI requirements, including how to assist a person who has limited English proficiency. The FTA non-discrimination clauses are included in all consultant contracts and sub-grantee agreements. The Title VI Notice is shown in Appendix A and posted at the Frank Moore Administration and Judicial Center, on the website, at the Transit Office and on all County transit buses.