

Northern Mille Lacs County Residents – Public Transit Survey



We would like a few minutes of your time and your ideas about transportation – specifically, extending public transit within **northern Mille Lacs County**. We are exploring the possibility of bringing convenient, handicap accessible, affordable transportation options to the area. There is no guarantee that public transit services *will* be developed, but we want to understand the need for transit in an effort to explore existing and future opportunities.

Your answers will help guide our work.

We ask that this survey is filled out by an adult and can be filled out by an adult on behalf of a minor.

Questions about Tri-CAP routes in Mille Lacs County? Please call: [888-765-5597](tel:888-765-5597) or [320-251-1612](tel:320-251-1612)

Thank you!

1. How frequently do you (or others in your household) have challenges getting where you/they need to go?

Always

Sometimes

Never

2. If Tri-CAP Transit provided expanded services in northern Mille Lacs County, please respond: (check all that apply)

I would use this service

I have family/friends who would use this service

How many? _____

I do not know anyone who might use this service, but I believe it may be beneficial to have in northern Mille Lacs County

Expanded Service is not necessary

3. Where do you live?

Bayview Cove Isle Johnsdale Milaca Onamia Princeton Wahkon Other: _____

4. Where do you need to go? (check all that apply)

Bayview Cove Isle Johnsdale Milaca Onamia Princeton St. Cloud Wahkon

Other: _____

5. Where are you likely to need transportation services? (check all that apply)

Work Job Hunting Volunteering Shopping Running errands School/Class Social activities

Getting kids to activities Visit government offices Medical appointments Visit family/friends

Social activities Church Community meals Other: _____

Transportation to work, arriving at _____; picking up at _____.

Work name/address: _____

6. What days do you usually need to get there? (check all that apply)

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday

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7. At what times do you need to get there and/or return? (check all that apply)

6AM to 9AM 9AM to noon noon to 3PM 3PM to 6PM 6PM to 9PM

8. How do you get to where you need to go now? (check all that apply)

I don't go Drive my own car Ride with someone else Walk Bicycle Motorcycle Taxi Cab Other: _____

9. Check the public transit options that would be important to have in northern Mille Lacs County:

Dial-a-Ride is curb-to-curb transit services available throughout the Tri-CAP service area. All you have to do is call and schedule an appointment and they will take care of the rest.

Deviated Route follows a daily regular route, but can do off route pick-up to a small degree.

Dial-a-Ride service one to three days a week

Dial-a-Ride service four to seven days a week

Deviated Route one to three days a week

Deviated Route four to five days a week

10. Please check the area where you currently live:

- within the city limits
 where it's more rural

11. Please note any other barriers to transportation that you experience:

12. My age is: Student (under 18) 19 - 26 Between 26 and 65 Between 65 and 89 90 or over prefer not to respond

THANK YOU for taking the time to fill out this survey.

Please bring the completed survey to a drop-off location near you by **November 15th, 2020**.

The Survey can also be mailed to: East Central Regional Development Commission,
ECRTCC Mille Lacs Survey, 100 So. Park St., Mora, MN 55051

If you prefer an on-line survey, you can find it here: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/northernmillelacstransit>

SURVEY DROP OFF LOCATIONS:

- * **Tri-CAP Buses** * **Mini Mart** (formerly known as Morningstar Market) Wahkon * **City Hall** Wahkon *
* **Mille Lacs Health System** Onamia and Isle * **Hardware Hank** Onamia * **Thompson's Lake Country Drug** Isle * **Teals Market** Isle *
* **City Hall** Onamia * **Cedarwood Dining** Onamia *

OPTIONAL PRIZE DRAWING

Would you like to put your name "in the hopper" for a chance to win some local business gift certificates? If so, please provide the following information (optional):

Your name _____ Your Telephone # _____

YOU WILL NOT BE CONTACTED FOR ANY REASON OTHER THAN TO NOTIFY OF PRIZE WINNINGS.

Thank you!