## **GO! Transit Capital Program**

Presentation to the ARC Regional Transit Committee 11/12/15



# **GO! Transit Capital Program (GOTCP) Background**

- \$75 million competitive funding program for transit capital statewide
- Eligible projects include buses, technology, maintenance facilities, shelters, etc.
- Final project awards by SRTA Board
- GRTA assisted with criteria development and will assist with application review

## **GOTCP Background**

- Projects best meeting program investment goals will be given the greatest consideration:
  - Increase economic competitiveness
  - Strengthen access and connectivity
  - Improve mobility and system integration
  - Maintain and optimize system assets
  - Improve safety, etc.
- Greater consideration also given for project readiness and larger match amounts (especially local funds)



## **Project Website**

**GO! Transit Capital Program** 



The GO! Transit Capital Program is a competitive funding program designed to address some of the critical capital-related public transportation needs throughout Georgia. During the 2015 Legislative Session, the Georgia General Assembly designated \$75 million in General Obligation bond funds for the program and identified the State Road and Tollway Authority (SRTA) to administer it. This website provides all relevant information, forms and guidelines related to the program. If you have any questions about the program, please send them to gotransit@georgiatolls.com.









#### Who Can Apply

Existing public transportation operators that are government units as well as local, regional, and state government units, including Community Improvement Districts, are all eligible to apply for the GO! Transit Capital Program.

#### How to Apply

The Application contains the instructions for submission, a checklist to assist with preparing the submission, and the detailed application form. Additionally, a Definitions document provides all key terminology used in the Program.

#### When to Apply

The application window opens on October 30, 2015 and will close on January 31, 2016.



## **Project Timeline**

### **December 10th**

October 26th

GOTCP website launched

GOTCP Staff to attend GA Transit Association Annual Conference February-April 2016

GOTCP Staff Evaluation Advisory Panel Review













October 30<sup>th</sup>

January 31st

**Summer 2016** 

Application Window Opened

Application Window Closes

SRTA Board Awards

