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To the Transportation Commission,
I'm very concerned about upcoming changes to the bus system to enable the proposed new Bus Rapid Transit (BRT). I'm concerned about cuts to needed routes because of lack of new funds for this new plan. We need clarity on whether and when federal funds will be available to make this plan possible. The hearing should do as broad an outreach as possible to reach the most people who ride the bus and will be adversely affected by some of the proposed changes. For example this commission should get articles/ notices in the Madison Times, Capital City Hues, Madison 365 and others. You should contact La Movida, WORT, WSUM and other area radio stations who may reach a more specialized audience. In that light you should advertise to publications and other media favored by people of color, people with disabilities and other vulnerable communities so they hear about and can make plans to attend this meeting. A hybrid meeting should be considered for those who are not computer oriented. Thank you for your work on this committee and your efforts to reach the broad community of people affected by these proposed bus changes.

Sincerely Yours,
-Harry Richardson
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Madison