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To: ADA Transit Subcommittee to the Transit & Parking Commission

From: Metro Staff

RE: Recommendation 31 Day Senior Disabled Pass Pilot

At the March 15, 2007 ADA Transit Subcommittee (ADATS) meeting, members approved a 1 year pilot for Metro to offer a 31 day pass for Seniors and people with disabilities on Fixed Route. The pass is half the price of a regular 31 –day pass. The pilot began in September of 2007.

Discussion from the March 2007 ADA TS meeting is attached. This meeting established a benchmark of 500 pass sales to define a successful pilot. Attached is a report of the pass sales through April 2008. 31 Day Senior/Disabled Pass sales were 2,246. There appear not to be any bulk purchases by institutions, agencies, or organizations.

Feedback regarding the passes has been favorable and many have requested additional availability at Metro outlets. Metro has added outlets for a total of 6 outlets. Additional outlets have requested to carry the pass.

Staff Recommendation:

Based on a successful pilot, Metro staff recommends that the Metro fare tariff be amended to include the 31 Day Senior/Disabled Pass for Fixed Route services.

Similar recommendations by the ADA Transit Subcommittee would be referred to the Transit & Parking Commission for action.