

PASS Mobile Application Module

Presented to: Organizational, Services & Performance Monitoring Committee January 7, 2025

Project Overview

- GCRTA currently utilizes Trapeze PASS Software applications to manage its Demand Response Transit Services for Scheduling & Dispatch.
- GCRTA is seeking to purchase and implement the Trapeze PASS Mobile Application Module for its Demand Response Customers.
- Over 4,000 active Paratransit Clients took 670,000 passenger trips in 2024.

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Paratransit Mobile App Justification

GCRTA will launch a mobile app for Paratransit customers

- Allows customers to schedule, cancel, and track vehicle location
- Increases customers confidence and perceived safety
- Improves the Customer Experience
- Will improve Reservation and Dispatch Call Centers



Operational Priorities

- Leverage Scheduling Technology
- Improve the Customer Service Experience
- Modernize Communication Technology
- Increase on-time performance (OTP)
- Reduce on-board travel times (OBT)

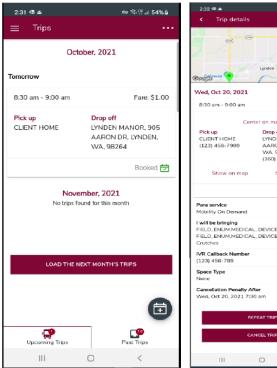
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Key Driver Analysis

Improvements in the "Areas of Opportunity" will most efficiently move the needle by bringing customers more satisfaction in what they value.



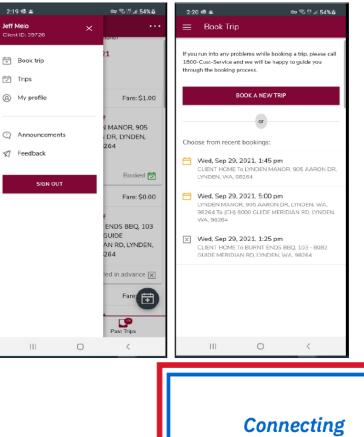
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Paratransit Strategic Roadmap

- Web scheduling upgrade project (estimated late summer)
- Paratransit App Implementation (late 2025)

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Non-competitive purchase with Trapeze Software Group, Inc.

- R.C. 306.43 (H)
 - Trapeze is the developer and original provider of the Authority's PASS software
 - Proprietary Software

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- Procurement requested a proposal August 16, 2024
- A proposal was received October 4, 2024
- A 0% DBE goal was assigned to this project
- Proposal was reviewed by representatives from Paratransit, Information Technology and Procurement.



Firm's Experience

- Pioneers in providing intelligent transportation systems
- Serving transit for over thirty (30) years
- Over forty (40) offices worldwide
- Support 135+ large transit agencies across North America

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Trapeze Software Clients

 GCRTA, Central Ohio Transit Authority (COTA), Capital Area Transit Authority (CATA), Southwest Ohio Regional Transit Authority (SORTA), Dallas Area Rapid Transit (DART), Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority (MBTA), Maryland Transit Authority (MTA), Nashville Metropolitan Transit Authority (WeGo) and Pace Suburban Bus (Suburban Chicago), among many others.

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Precursor – Upgrade to v.21 (required)

- Included in Maintenance Agreement
- Will run in parallel.

Trapeze Pass – App proposed costs are:

Item Description	Price (USD)	
1 License Fees	\$73,972	
2 Implementation Services	\$96,950	
Total Cost	\$170,922	
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Recommendation:

 Staff requests that the Organizational, Services & Performance Monitoring Committee recommend to the Board of Trustees the award for Trapeze PASS Mobile Application Module and services to Trapeze Software Group, Inc. in a negotiated contract amount not to exceed \$170,922.00.

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Questions

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