**ATTACHMENT 4: TPB/WMATA Request for Bus Stop Improvements for Livability Bus Program**

TPB and WMATA staff are assembling a regional package of bus stop improvements to compete for an FTA Livability Bus Program grant. Please identify potential components of this package and provide information on your proposed components according to the questions below.

The questions are derived from FTA guidance on the Livability Bus Program as published on December 8, 2009.

**Please submit all project information by COB on Wednesday, January 13, 2010 via email to Wendy Klancher at wklancher@mwcog.org.** Individual bus stop proposals will be compiled into a regional package to be presented for approval at the TPB meeting on January 20, 2010.

**Contact Information:**

1. Contact Name:
2. Implementing Jurisdiction:
3. Phone Number:
4. Email Address:

**Project Details:**

1. Short project description:
2. Total project cost:
3. Amount of local match being provided (must be 20%):
   1. Please provide the source of the match (note that a letter of commitment is also required):

***Location***

1. Project location(s) (please specify small areas or corridors)

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| The project is located in geographic areas identified in the Attachment 1 Map (i.e. Focus Areas or Census Tracks meeting 3 or 4 selection criteria). |  |

1. Please provide ridership numbers for all proposed areas (if available):
2. The project must be located in an area that meets **at least one of the following criteria**:

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| Have been identified as having a significant number of MetroAccess users AND/OR; |  |
| Have been identified as having transit dependent communities, AND/OR; |  |
| Have been identified as having persons with limited English proficiency |  |
| Areas with state/local economic development projects |  |
| HUD Empowerment Zones |  |
| CDBG project locations |  |
| Affordable/public housing |  |

1. Describe the improvements needed (s) (including current accessibility issues):

***Specific Improvements***

1. # of stops in each location:
2. Specify the improvements to be included in this project:

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| **Improvement** | **Number** | **Cost** |
| Addition or provision of designated bus stop area, such as unobstructed landing pads, where necessary |  |  |
| Addition of or improvement of existing bus shelters |  |  |
| Improved lighting |  |  |
| Addition of bus-stop amenities, such as benches, vending machines, and trash receptacles |  |  |
| Addition or provision of slip-resistance finishes, good grip, and sure footing to surfaces to ensure safety |  |  |
| Addition or provision of other amenities, such as bicycle storage, shopping cart storage, or daily lockers |  |  |
| Addition or provision of safety features, such as a police call box |  |  |
| New sidewalks |  |  |
| Curb cuts |  |  |
| Bulb-outs |  |  |
| New signage |  |  |
| Bus service information in a variety of languages and formats |  |  |

***Schedule***

Please specify anticipated construction start date:

Please specify anticipated completion date: