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SCAT Bus Lines See New Consistent Routes, Later Hours, and Fare Changes

SPRINGFIELD, OH — (May 13, 2016) — The City of Springfield, OH has updated their bus line (SCAT), which will be going into effect Tuesday, May 31st. More information can be found on Springfield's city website www.springfieldohio.gov/SCAT.

First Transit, Clark County Springfield Transportation Coordinating Committee (CCSTCC), and City staff will be at Market Square Bus Center to answer any questions about the new routes and schedules, and to assist riders in determining which routes they need to take. They will be on site Tuesday, May 24th from 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., Friday, May 27th from 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., and Tuesday, May 31st from 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Mark Beckdahl, the Finance Director for the City of Springfield, says the city is "...very excited about the coming changes to the SCAT bus system. The expanded weekday hours, route changes and improved signage should provide a better customer experience for our riders."

New Rider's Guides will be available beginning May 18th and the City Service Department will be installing new SCAT signs the week of May 23rd. The new signs will reflect the approximate time the buses will arrive at the location, thus making the system much more user friendly.

