


**Durham–Chapel Hill–Carrboro Metropolitan Planning Organization**

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May 11, 2016

Regional Administrator  
Federal Transit Administration  
Atlanta Federal Center  
230 Peachtree Street, NW, Suite 800  
Atlanta, GA 30303-8917

Attn: Marie Lopez, Transportation Program Specialist

Subject: FFY15 and FFY 2016 Section 5339 Full Apportionment for Durham NC  
UZA

Dear Regional Administrator:

We have been advised that the FFY 2016 full apportionment for the Durham-Chapel Hill-Carrboro Urbanized Area for Section 5339 funds is \$756,821. Distribution of the FFY 2016 Section 5339 Durham UZA apportionment in the table below includes an allocation to the four fixed-route transit operators within the DCHC MPO.

	<b>FFY2016 Full Apportionment</b>
<b>Chapel Hill Transit</b>	\$427,229
<b>GoDurham (formerly Durham Area Transit Authority)</b>	\$ 10,684
<b>GoTriangle (formerly Triangle Transit)</b>	\$ 303,219
<b>Orange Public Transit</b>	\$15,689
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$756,821</b>

The DCHC MPO, as the designated recipient for the Durham UZA, requests that the Federal Transit Administration approve each operator's FFY 2016 FTA Section 5339 grant application in accordance with the amounts apportioned.

In addition, the FFY15 full apportionment for the DCHC MPO for 5339 funds is \$829,832. As indicated in the table below, all of these funds will be allocated to GoDurham and be managed in a grant by the DCHC MPO along with the GoDurham apportionment from FFY16.



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	<b>FFY2015 Full Apportionment</b>
<b>GoDurham (formerly Durham Area Transit Authority)</b>	<b>\$829,832</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$829,832</b>

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Sincerely,

Stephen M. Schewel, Chair  
MPO Board

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