

TITLE: Consider/Discuss Low Income Rider Subsidy Options

**COUNCIL GOAL:** Enhance the Quality of Life in McKinney

MEETING DATE: August 30, 2017

**DEPARTMENT:** Housing and Community Development

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## **ITEM SUMMARY:**

- At the April 5, 2017 McKinney Urban Transit District (MUTD) meeting, the Board directed staff to research options for providing increased subsidies to low-income seniors and persons with disabilities.
- Staff is seeking direction from the MUTD on what criteria to use to provide an additional subsidy and at what amount.

## **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

- Taxi service for seniors and persons with disabilities, within the MUTD, is currently subsidized at 75%.
- For the lowest income individuals, this still presents a cost burden.

## SUPPORTING MATERIALS:

Collin County Transit Low Income Research
Collin County Transit Low Income Poverty Guidelines