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## MEMORANDUM

**DATE:** June 9, 2025

**TO:** Section 5310 – Statewide Applicants

**FROM:** Bradley B. Lindsey, P.E.

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BY:

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**RE:** Fiscal Year 2026 Section 5310 Capital Award Application (Statewide)

The annual statewide application for federal capital assistance provided through the Federal Transit Administration (FTA), Section 5310 Enhanced Mobility of Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities Program is open for FY-2026. All projects funded through Section 5310 must be derived from a locally developed, Human Services Coordinated Transportation Planning process. ALDOT has designated the 12 Regional Planning Councils to coordinate transportation services in their regions.

Any eligible applicant can apply for an ALDOT Section 5310 capital award.

Due to funding limitations, the one-year sit out rule will apply for the FY-2026 Section 5310 program. Therefore, any eligible applicant(s) (see Section 2.6) that applied for and were approved for Section 5310 funding in FY-2025 for rolling stock, will not be eligible to apply for FY-2026 funding.

Please see the application and related documents on the Alabama Department of Transportation website at <a href="https://www.dot.state.al.us/programs/EnhancedMobility.html">https://www.dot.state.al.us/programs/EnhancedMobility.html</a> under the Section 5310 tab. Please read the application in its entirety as there are timesensitive requirements that need immediate attention.

Completed applications must be submitted before 5:00 p.m. on July 31, 2025, to the appropriate Regional Planning Council (contact information is found in Appendix C) in the geographic area of the state where Section 5310 transportation services are proposed.

Technical assistance is available on an as needed basis. If you have any questions or need technical assistance with the application development process, please contact Catrina Rollins at (334) 242-6766 or email at <a href="mailto:rollinscm@dot.state.al.us">rollinscm@dot.state.al.us</a>.

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