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### **MCAG seeking applications for committee appointments**

**MERCED** - Merced County Association of Governments (MCAG) is seeking applicants for appointment to the Social Services Transportation Advisory Council (SSTAC). The SSTAC is a nine-member council appointed by the MCAG Governing Board to solicit the input of transit-dependent and transit disadvantaged persons regarding transit needs in Merced County. The SSTAC is convened annually, at minimum, for the Unmet Transit Needs process as required by the Transportation Development Act.

SSTAC members are appointed to serve a three-year term. The council is comprised of a broad representation of social service and transit providers representing the elderly, the handicapped, and persons of limited means while striving for geographic and minority representation. Currently, MCAG is seeking candidates for appointment to the council in the following areas:

- Social Service Transportation Provider for the Disabled
- Local Social Service Provider for Persons of Limited Means
- Local Social Service Transportation Provider for Seniors

Applications for the SSTAC can be obtained at [www.mcagov.org](http://www.mcagov.org) or at MCAG, 369 W. 18<sup>th</sup> Street, Merced. For more information, please contact Natalia Austin at (209)723-3153 x 127 or [natalia.austin@mcagov.org](mailto:natalia.austin@mcagov.org).

MCAG is the regional transportation planning agency and metropolitan planning organization for Merced County. In addition to regional transportation planning, MCAG also manages The Bus, YARTS and the Merced County Regional Waste Management Authority. For more information, visit [www.mcagov.org](http://www.mcagov.org).

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