

TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

The Transportation Office is open on Tuesdays & Thursdays from **9:00 am to 12:00 pm** and offers the following services:

TRANSPORTATION TICKET SALES

AC Transit Senior Monthly Stickers (\$20)
 AC Transit 10-Ride Ticket (\$8.50)
 BART Discount Cards (65 & older or disabled) (\$9)
 EB Paratransit Ticket Books (10-tickets) (\$30)
 City of Alameda Taxi Program (\$2.50 each).

AARP DRIVER SAFETY PROGRAM

AARP Driver Safety Program is the largest classroom driver refresher course specifically designed for motorists who are 50 and older! This eight-hour course is taught in two, four-hour sessions over a two-day period and is offered **Wednesdays, July 11 & 18 and August 1 & 8**, from **9:00 am to 1:00 pm** in **Room D**. *Preregistration is a must.* There is a \$10 per person fee with checks (ONLY) made payable to AARP. *Ask your insurance agent about automobile insurance discounts.*

ALAMEDA COUNTY WHEELCHAIR BREAKDOWN SERVICE

Alameda County Wheelchair Breakdown Service, funded through Measure B, provides transportation countywide to people in wheelchairs in the event of a mechanical breakdown. The program will also pick-up a stranded wheelchair if someone is taken to the hospital in an emergency. For assistance, please call toll-free 1-877-50-WHEEL (1-877-509-4335).

PARATRANSIT SERVICES

The East Bay Paratransit Consortium provides transportation to individuals who are unable to use fixed-route public transportation, such as **AC Transit** buses or **BART** trains because of a disability or disabling health condition. Rides are provided for people who are certified as eligible for Paratransit under the rules of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). For more information or to find out if East Bay Paratransit is available to you, please contact Mastick Senior Center at **747-7506** or drop by the Office.

CITY OF ALAMEDA PARATRANSIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The City of Alameda Paratransit Scholarship Program, sponsored by City of Alameda Measure B monies, is available to assist individuals with transportation expenses. A limit of \$60 in matching funds per family is available each fiscal year, as funding is available. Eligible candidates must be Alameda residents, certified Paratransit riders, and meet the very low-income requirements. Applications are available in the Mastick office.

EMERGENCY TRANSPORTATION SERVICES DURING EAST BAY PARATRANSIT 21-DAY ELIGIBILITY PROCESSING

Limited funding through City of Alameda Measure B Funds is available to Alameda residents needing emergency transportation during the 21-day eligibility-processing period imposed by East Bay Paratransit. The East Bay Paratransit Consortium provides transportation to individuals unable to use fixed-route public transportation, such as AC Transit buses and BART trains, because of a disability or disabling health condition. If you feel that you may be eligible for East Bay Paratransit transportation services and need *emergency* transportation services due to a disabling health condition (e.g., dialysis, chemotherapy, and radiation therapy) *prior to completion of the 21-day eligibility processing period*, contact Mastick Senior Center, 747-7506.

MEDICAL RETURN TRIP IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (MRTIP)

MRTIP is designed to provide a more flexible method for returning home from medical appointments. The City of Alameda has contracted with Friendly Transportation to provide transportation services from medical appointments. Complimentary vouchers are provided to certified Alameda East Bay Paratransit participants. The program is made available through City of Alameda Measure B funding. For more information, contact the Mastick Office or call 747-7506.

“Those who bring sunshine into the lives of others cannot keep it from themselves.”

