

ORDINANCE NO. 96-9

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING
REVISIONS TO THE PARA-
TRANSIT PLAN FOR SERVICE
FOR DISABLED RIDERS UNDER
THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR
PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

WHEREAS, The Americans with Disabilities Act was enacted to acknowledge the civil rights of people with disabilities and prohibits discrimination against people with disabilities in all phases of health and welfare and accessibility and in particular affords them unhampered access to public transit; and

WHEREAS, Federal regulations require that an initial Plan setting forth a paratransit program be filed with the Federal Transit Administration; and

WHEREAS, Federal regulations also require that an annual update to the Plan be filed with the Federal Transit Administration setting forth any changes, modifications, additions and/or revisions to the initial Plan; and

WHEREAS, By Ordinance No. 92-²⁶~~69~~ the Chicago Transit Board adopted a Key Station Plan and a Paratransit Plan for Service for riders with disabilities under the Comprehensive Service Plan for People with Disabilities; and

WHEREAS, Staff has initiated and implemented changes and/or revisions to the Paratransit Plan for the year 1996; and

WHEREAS, Federal regulations further require that the program for public transit services for people with disabilities have formal approval of the corporate authority of the transit property; now, therefore:

BE IT ORDAINED BY CHICAGO TRANSIT BOARD
OF CHICAGO TRANSIT AUTHORITY:

SECTION 1. The Chicago Transit Board hereby adopts and incorporates as part of its Paratransit Plan for Service for Riders with Disabilities the changes and/or revisions contained in "The Chicago Transit Authority Service Plan for People with Disabilities - 1996 ADA Paratransit Plan Update" attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

APPROVED:


Chairman

PASSED:


Secretary

January 10, 1996

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