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## CITYBUS EXTENDS 23 CONNECTOR TO SERVE NON-VIOLENT INMATES

LAFAYETTE, IN, April 14 – CityBus will extend its 23 Connector route to serve North 9th Street and Tippecanoe County Community Corrections, providing non-violent offenders with transportation to their jobs and medical appointments.

"Tippecanoe County approached us about providing service to the Community Corrections facility, and we were excited to say yes," said Bryce Gibson, CityBus Manager of Development. "We look forward to the opportunity to help inmates get to drug screenings, appointments, and jobs as they prepare to re-enter the community."

"We're extremely proud to partner with CityBus to provide a bus route to and from our facility to serve our population," said Jason Huber, Executive Director of Tippecanoe County Community Corrections. "This service will offer transportation to those who would otherwise have to find alternative means to get to work and appointments, and it will greatly reduce the number of our participants walking along North 9th Street."

"We are very grateful to CityBus for this route and look forward to this service continuing for many years to come," Huber said.

The Route 23 extension will go into effect on Monday, May 10, 2021. Buses will stop at the Community Corrections facility every 30 minutes May 10 through August 20 and every 20 minutes the remainder of the year, Monday through Friday.

## **ABOUT CITYBUS**

CityBus (Greater Lafayette Public Transportation Corporation) is a municipal corporation established in 1971. CityBus provides over 5 million annual rides for Greater Lafayette passengers, including ADA paratransit services for people with disabilities.

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