# TALBOT COUNTY TRANSIT ADA/Title VI Complaint Form

## **Talbot County Transit/TITLE VI COMPLAINT FORM**

#### **Background**

Recipients must create and make available an Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) / Title VI Complaint Form for use by customers who wish to file an ADA / Title VI complaint. The complaint form shall be available on the recipient's website. A recipient's ADA / Title VI Complaint Form shall specify the type of complaint, ADA or Title VI.

The Civil Rights of 1964 (Title VI) identifies the three classes protected by Title VI—race, color, and national origin—and allow the complainant to select one or more of those protected classes as the basis/bases for discrimination.

If any of the Limited English Proficient (LEP) populations in our service area meet the Safe Harbor threshold (see Chapter III), then the procedure will be provided in English and in any other language(s) spoken by LEP populations that meet the Safe Harbor Threshold

This form is also used for Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) complaints. The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA), provides protection that no individual with a disability shall on the basis of disability, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any GoRaleigh program, service or activity.

Talbot County Transit is committed to providing non-discriminatory service to ensure that no person is excluded from participation in, or denied the benefits of, or subjected to discrimination in the receipt of its services on the basis of race, color, or national origin as protected by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (Title VI) as well as providing protection that no individual with a disability shall on the basis of disability, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination as stated in the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA).

If you feel that you have been discriminated against, please provide the following necessary information to facilitate the processing of your complaint. If assistance is required to complete the form, or if you have questions, please do not hesitate to call the ADA/Title VI Coordinator at (919) 996-3030. Once completed, return a signed and dated copy to:

ADA / Title VI Coordinator Talbot County Transit PO Box 56 Talbotton, GA 31827

Note: The following information is necessary to assist us in processing your complaint. Should you require any assistance in completing this form, please call (919) 996-3030.

ADA or Title VI	ū
[FOR OFFICE USE ONLY]	
Complaint No.	
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Part I.	
Name	
Address	
Telephone (Home) Telephone (Work)	
Electronic Mail Address:	
Accessible Format Requirements?	
TDD Large Print Audio Tape Other	
Part II.  Are you filling this complaint on your own behalf? Yes* No *If you answered "yes" to this question, go to Section III.	
If not, please supply the name and relationship of the person for whom Please explain why you have filed for a third party:	you are complaining:
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Please confirm that you have obtained the permission of the aggrieved party if you are filing on behalf of a third party.	No
Part III.  I believe the discrimination I experienced was based on (check all that apple)  [1] Page [1] Color [1] National Origin	y):
[ ] Race[ ] Color [ ] National Origin	
Date of Alleged Discrimination (Month, Day, Year):	

Explain as clearly as possible what happened and why you believe you were discriminated
against. Describe all persons who were involved. Include the name and contact information of
the person(s) who discriminated against you (if known) as well as names and contact information
of any witnesses. If more space is needed, please use the back of this form.
* You may use the back of this document for addition comments or attach any written
materials or other information you think is relevant to your complaint.
Part IV
Have you previously filed an ADA / Title VI complaint with Yes No
this agency?
Part V
Have you filed this complaint with any other Federal, State, or local agency, or with any Federa
or State court? [] Yes [] No
If yes, check all that apply:
[] Federal Agency [] Federal Court [] State Agency [] State Court [] Local Agency
Please provide information about a contact person at the agency/court where the complaint w
filed.
Name:
Title:
Agency:
Address:
Telephone:

### Part VI

Name of agency complaint is against:
Contact person: Title: Telephone number:
To protect your rights, your complaint must be filed within $\underline{180}$ days following the date of the alleged discrimination. Failure to file within $\underline{180}$ days may result in dismissal of the complaint.
You may attach any written materials or other information that you think is relevant to your complaint.
Signature and date required below
SignatureDate
Please submit this form in person at the address below, or mail this form to:
ADA/Title VI Coordinator
Talbot County Transit PO Box 56
Talbotton, GA 31827

## **ADA / Title VI Complaint Form**

Talbot County Transit ADA / Title VI complaint form information is available in English on the Talbot County Transit website and presented in this report. The Talbot County Transit website also provides access to translation of the ADA / Title VI complaint form into other languages if needed.