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The U.S. Department of Transportation announces the completion of two published reports in the field of urban mass transportation. The two reports cover the Shirley Highway Bus Project and the Pittsburgh Parking Strike. They are being made available to the public through the U.S. Department of Commerce's National Technical Information Service. (NTIS).

The Shirley Highway report is entitled: "The Shirley Highway Express Bus on Freeway Demonstration Project/First Year Results". It contains the results of the data collection and analysis effort of the National Bureau of Standards on the Shirley Highway express bus service. This service operates on an exclusive bus roadway and carries commuters from Northern Virginia into Washington, D. C. during peak commuting periods. The NTIS number is PB-214-333.

The other report is entitled: "The Pittsburgh Parking Strike" and was prepared by Carnegie-Mellon University. It analyzes the impact of a parking attendants strike during three days of August 1972, which closed most parking lots and garages in the Pittsburgh CBD. The effects on transit operations and CBD economic activity is covered. The NTIS number is PB-213-798.

The reports may be ordered from:

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