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SYMPOSIUM SCHEDULED ON MINORITY ISSUES IN PUBLIC TRANSIT

A symposium entitled "Minority Issues in Public Transit: Future Directions and Decisions", will be held in Washington, D.C. November 14-16, 1984, the Urban Mass Transportation Administration (UMTA) announced today.

This second annual minority issues symposium will be held at the University of the District of Columbia, Van Ness Campus, and is being co-sponsored by UMTA and the American Public Transit Association.

Workshops will include: Economic Development and Evolving Opportunities; Special Needs of Rural and Small Urban Areas; Social Dynamics and Equity Considerations; Future Opportunities for Disadvantaged Business Enterprises; Changing Skill Requirements and Training Needs; and, Impacting the Decision-making Process: Board, Labor, Management and others.

For more information about the conference, contact Mazie Holland or Deborah Lyons, University Staff Conference Coordinators at (202) 727-2530.

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