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WMATA RECEIVES \$32.4 MILLION GRANT

Urban Mass Transportation Administrator Ralph L. Stanley today announced the award of \$32,402,329 to the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority, Washington, D.C.

The grant includes \$13,896,000 for Metrorail car reliability and rail improvements and \$18,506,329 for operating assistance.

"This grant illustrates the Reagan Administration's commitment to help improve transit service for our Nation's cities through efficient management of the Urban Mass Transportation Administration's formula program," Stanley said. Under UMTA's formula grant program, local transit authorities such as WMATA have the flexibility to determine their own priorities for capital project funding.

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