

WANT TO RIDE the **WAVE** YEAR-ROUND?

NRTA Year-Round Bus Service Study

Goals and Objectives:

Goal 1: Determine the feasibility of year-round service

- Conduct a survey to gauge interest
- Evaluate existing operating conditions for each route
- Perform a demographic analysis to determine unmet need
- Project future demand for service

Goal 2: Examine impacts of year-round service on operations and the environment

- Determine new costs associated with operating service in the winter
- Estimate environmental impacts

Goal 3: Develop service alternative

- Develop 3 alternatives with service characteristics, costs, ridership projections, environmental impact and workforce needs
- Recommend a preferred alternative based on evaluation matrix scoring and public feedback
- Create a road map to implementing the preferred alternative
- Identify funding sources for the preferred alternative

Study Schedule:

