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October 24, 2017

The Town of Miami Lakes:  
6601 Main Street  
Miami Lakes, Florida 33014

Dear Ms. Alejo:

In accordance with the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) legislation for sub-recipients of funding received through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Plan (ARRA) Economic Stimulus Grant, 'non-discriminatory use of Federal funds by recipients of FTA assistance including their sub-recipients and contractors is prohibited.'

In compliance with the FTA reporting requirements, the Department of Transportation and Public Works (DTPW) Office of Civil Rights and Labor Relations (OCR/LR) is responsible for ensuring that each participating municipality is in compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. Specifically, the Title VI Act of 1964 states, "No person in the United States shall, on the grounds of race, color or national origin, be excluded from, participation in, or be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving Federal financial assistance". Furthermore, federally supported transit services and related benefits must be distributed in an equitable manner.

Your existing Title VI Plan has been on file with the DTPW Office of Civil Rights- Title VI Office since October 8, 2013. Per FTA requirements your municipality plan must be updated and approved by your governing body every three years. Once your municipality Title VI Update has been approved by your governing body, please submit it to the DTPW Office of Civil Rights – Title VI Office as required.

Please provide your updated Title VI Plan to the DTPW Office of Civil Rights and Labor Relations – Title VI Office ([Allison.aristide@miamidade.gov](mailto:Allison.aristide@miamidade.gov)) no later than Monday, December 18, 2017. Please contact me at (786) 469-5473 should you have additional questions regarding this request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Allison Aristide".

Allison Aristide, Manager  
Office of Civil Rights and Labor Relations

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