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Please discard any errors. Life is short and dictation is quicker as a blind person I'm trying to navigate the legislative council bureau, Nelis somewhat accessible website.; good morning to you, secretary of judiciary interim committee. Please consider this as my public comment. Thank you for everything that you all do behind-the-scenes I appreciate your kindness. Have a magnificent day.

#Nothing about us without us Good morning madam chair Miss Miller and the awesome members of this judiciary interim committee: This is Dora Martinez. I was trying to send my public comment to your secretary, however, it will not upload in the Nelis, so please excuse if I am stepping over somebody's toes, but I was wondering if you would acknowledge today is the day of celebration for people with disability. I would greatly appreciate it. Thank you for your valuable time. Have a great session stay hydrated respectfully Dora Martinez.

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RTC Celebrates the 34th Anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act by Offering Free Rides July 26

Reno, Nevada (July 24, 2024) – The Regional Transportation Commission (RTC) of Washoe County is offering free transit service on Friday, July 26 in honor of the 34th Anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).

"This important civil rights law works to ensure that people with disabilities have the same rights and opportunities as their peers," said Bill Thomas, Executive Director for RTC. "Here at RTC we work daily to make sure our disabled community is served with kindness, empathy and efficiency across all of our transit services, and that their needs are considered in our road projects."

In addition to ADA compliant improvements on road projects, RTC runs the ACCESS service – a paratransit shuttle that provides door-to-door, prescheduled transportation for individuals who meet the eligibility criteria for the Americans with Disabilities Act.

For more information on RTC ACCESS, please visit

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About RTC: The Regional Transportation Commission of Washoe County, Nevada serves the citizens of Reno, Sparks and unincorporated areas of Washoe County. As the federally designated Metropolitan Planning Organization for the region, the RTC provides leadership in planning and implements quality transportation systems to meet the community's present and future transportation needs. For more information about RTC projects visit [rtcwashoe.com](http://rtcwashoe.com) and sign up for email updates using MyRTC or call (775) 348-0400. Follow RTC on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and YouTube.

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Best,

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