

I have been a lifelong user/ supporter of public transportation. Now retired, my former occupation necessitated moving to about a dozen states in all. It was quite a challenge using public transit, along with lots of walking, in some smaller areas. One of the reasons I retired to Oregon (Hillsboro) is the very good service offered by Trimet.

Now at 77 I face a new challenge - serious health issues that greatly reduce my mobility. I have just been deemed eligible for the Lift program at Trimet. It will soon become an essential part of my life as tests, scans and other medical appointments occupy more of my days. As a non-driver with no immediate family left Lift will become literally a life saver. My limited experience so far with Lift has been one of caring, understanding people doing their best to help folks like me. I am so glad they are here.

Trimet, and other public transit services in the area, deserve decent funding as crucial necessities for so many of us, young and old. Please do all you can. Thank you.

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Sent from my iPhone