

AT A GLANCE

General Services:

The Bisbee Bus Program is a deviated, flex route transit program serving the community of Bisbee with connecting service to Naco, AZ.

Applicant Status:

Local Government

Primary Service Areas:

Old Bisbee, Warren, San Jose and Naco area neighborhoods.

Service Days/Hours:

Mon-Fri 5:54 am – 6:40 pm Sat 9:30 am – 4:00 pm

Transportation Funding Sources:

5311, SEAGO AAA

No. of vehicles: 5

No. of vehicles under lien: 3

No. of service sites: 1

Providing transportation services since: 1998

Annual Ridership: 32,093

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THE CITY OF BISBEE

BISBEE BUS

The Mission of the City of Bisbee Transit Program is to provide transit services that benefit the residents of the City of Bisbee and the surrounding area. Its mission includes providing safe reliable and affordable transportation service which is cost- effective, reduces energy consumption and contributes to the culture and economic betterment of the residents of Bisbee and the surrounding area.

The Bisbee Bus Program is a deviated, flex-route transit program serving the community of Bisbee with connecting service to Naco, AZ and the Cochise Connections Route. It operates six days a week. Riders can request deviations from the route with a one day notice and be picked up and dropped off if the location is within one mile of the route.

The City of Bisbee has contracted with Douglas Rides to run the day to day operations of the Bisbee Transit Program. The program uses 5311 funds for its deviated flex route service. Additional support to elderly riders and the disabled is received from SEAGO Area Agency on Aging.

Bisbee Bus staff meets quarterly with the regional Transportation Advisory Councils (TAC), including the City of Douglas TAC, City of Sierra Vista TAC, and City of Benson TAC Transit/Transportation Coordination group.

Identified unmet needs include operating funds to continue the existing transit program that serves elderly and disabled riders with reduced cost passes for service between Naco and Bisbee. Capital funds are being sought in 2020-2021 for a new bus, video monitoring and GPS tracking service (a data collection system), benches, a vehicle diagnostic scanner, a lift for the buses, one shelter and 13 signs and posts.