

## EXECUTIVE STATEMENT

### MISSION

The Broome County Department of Public Transportation's goal is to provide safe, clean, and affordable public transportation to the community in the most effective and cost efficient manner.

### PURPOSE

These Policies and Procedures are established by the Broome County Department of Public Transportation to promote safety, to facilitate the proper use of the transit facilities of the county, to protect the transit facility and their passengers, and to assure the payment of fares and other lawful charges for the use of the system.

### AUTHORIZATION

These Policies and Procedures may be amended or added to, from time to time, at the sole discretion of the Broome County Department of Public Transportation in accordance with law.

## DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES

The Broome County Department of Public Transportation (BC Transit) offers fixed route and para transit service within Broome County.

The fixed route serves the urbanized core of Broome County (City of Binghamton, Johnson City, Endicott, Endwell and Vestal). Fixed route is defined as buses that travel along a specified or fixed path; riders can board and exit the bus at designated bus stops or flag stops along this predetermined path. Service is offered weekdays, weeknights and on weekends. Specific time and route information can be found on our website at [www.ridebctransit.com](http://www.ridebctransit.com) or by calling our BC Junction office at 778-1692.

The BC Lift is an Americans with Disability Act (ADA) mandated dial-a-ride service that serves the urbanized core and up to three-quarters of a mile around the fixed route. It is a shared ride service that provides transportation to the disabled in Broome County's urban areas. Service is offered weekdays, weeknight and on weekends. Specific information can be found on our website or by calling our Administrative Office at 763-4464 option 3.

The Office for Aging Mini-Bus is a shared dial-a-ride service that provides transportation to the elderly in Broome County. Service is offered Monday through Friday. Specific information can be found on our website or by calling Office for Aging at 778-2411.

The BC Country is a shared dial-a-ride service that provides transportation to those living in the rural areas, traveling into the urban areas. These buses travel to different rural areas of Broome County including Whitney Point, Lisle, Port Crane, Harpursville, Kirkwood, Deposit, Windsor, Maine, Glen Aubrey, Chenango Forks, Chenango Bridge and certain locations in Vestal. Service is offered Monday through Friday. Specific time and route information can be found by calling our Administrative Office at 763-4464 option 3.