# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY Reports and Presentations Item 6C Collier Area Transit Regular Route Schedule

# Objective:

To advise the committee about the implementation of the Collier Area Transit (CAT) regular schedule taking effect April 1<sup>st</sup>.

# Considerations:

Due to the seasonal influx of traffic annually during the months of November to March which effects the on-time performance of the service, CAT implemented a seasonal schedule which portrayed more realistic arrival times for each route. Passengers were very happy with the changes and as a result on-time performance improved from average of 69% to 78% during this past season.

The seasonal schedule was in effect November 1<sup>st</sup> to March 30<sup>th</sup>. A separate time schedule will be utilized from April 1<sup>st</sup> to October 31<sup>st</sup> which reflects the adjustment in the traffic patterns during the off-season month. To avoid confusion from the public, the bus schedule will look differently than the seasonal schedule and contain the effective dates. Some of the route scheduled times will mirror the previous year's schedule with minor changes to increase on-time performance.

### Recommendation:

To endorse the proposed schedule modifications.

## Attachments:

A. Regular Route Bus Schedules

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