

**Request for Council's Consideration**

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**Date of Council Meeting: August 14, 2012**

**Subject: Free Transit Day for Seniors**

**Motion for Council to Consider:**

**“That Halifax Regional Council approve the implementation of a pilot project – Metro Transit once weekly Free Transit Day for Seniors, beginning in September 2012 and continuing for three months on Tuesdays, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. and resuming after 6:00 p.m., on all regular scheduled transit routes.”**

**Reason:**

**To lessen the financial burden for senior residents of HRM by providing the opportunity to travel to their medical appointments, carry out their banking, shopping, etc. one day per week on Metro Transit without cost.**

**Outcome Sought:**

**That the proposed pilot project be implemented.**

*Councillor Blumenthal*

*District 11 – Halifax North End*