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C TRAN Launches the Ride C Tran app

Elmira, N. Y. -- Chemung County is pleased to announce that our public transit operator, First Transit, is launching the Ride C Tran app, a comprehensive bus tracking and ride scheduling platform.

The free Ride C Tran app is available for all fixed-routes allowing riders to easily track transit buses using a smartphone. In addition to tracking buses, transit riders can locate the nearest bus stop, look for route schedules and plan trips. The Ride C Tran app will be available on Androids, iPhones and tablets. Passengers that use Access Chemung will also be able to see the location of their ride on the app.

“We always want to look for ways to enhance the rider experience for the passengers of C TRAN,” said Jim Gorman, District Manager of First Transit. “The Ride C Tran app gives passengers the ability to have a total view of their ride.”

“Chemung County is excited to have real-time data available for our riders. We encourage existing and potential transit riders to download the app, which along with C TRAN’s automated fare cards will make the experience even more user friendly,” said Nicolette Wagoner, Director of the Elmira-Chemung Transportation Council.

Hearing feedback from riders, First Transit partnered with Bishop Peak earlier this year to make the app available. The Ride C Tran app is available on the Apple App Store and the Google Play store.

To learn more about C TRAN, the routes, system and SmartTAP bus passes you may also visit ridectran.com or contact the C TRAN Dispatch at 607-734-5211.