



TRANSPORTATION ASSISTANCE APPLICATION

Westerville Senior Association

Westerville Senior Center, 350 N. Cleveland Ave.

(614) 901-6560 | www.westerville.org/seniorcenter

Applicant's Name (print) _____

Applicant's Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

About the Westerville Senior Association Financial Assistance Program

The Westerville Senior Association is a non-profit organization founded to assist the Westerville Senior Center with the understanding that Parks and Recreation services are essential for our residents' quality of life and that transportation and its associated fees are sometimes a basic required necessity. The Association offers financial assistance to Senior Center Program Pass holders residing within the City limits who may be experiencing financial hardship.

Westerville Senior Association Transportation Assistance Guidelines

- The program is limited to Program Pass holders who reside within the Westerville corporate City limits.
- Assistance is awarded for the transportation program only.
- Each application is considered on an individual basis for the amount to be awarded.
- The assistance award may not exceed \$200 per calendar year, per individual.
- Funds are limited and will be distributed by the Westerville Senior Association Advisory Board.
- Applicants must have an annual income which does not exceed 150% of the 2022 federal poverty level. To qualify for assistance for 2023, annual income in 2022 should be no more than \$20,370 for single, \$27,465 for couples.
- Assistance will be disbursed in quarterly installments.

How to apply for Westerville Senior Association Transportation Assistance

- Complete the top portion of this application form and sign the bottom
- Attached a letter explaining your circumstances
- Attach copies verifying proof of income: Federal Tax Return 1099, Social Security Statement or Social Security Disability Insurance, other income pensions, annuities or investments, etc.
- Return information to the Westerville Senior Center. Applications may be submitted at any time during the year. Financial assistance will be prorated depending on the quarter in which the applications are received.

A new application for assistance must be submitted annually. Applications will be reviewed as submitted by the Senior Center Manager and applicants will be contacted regarding their acceptance. For more information, contact the Westerville Senior Center at (614) 901-6560.

Those granted the full annual amount of \$200 worth of transportation will receive bus passes on a quarterly basis with the first two being awarded in the first quarter, one each in the remaining three quarters and three additional passes, if needed.

_____ Letter explaining circumstances

_____ Copy of Social Security Statement

_____ Copy of Federal Income Tax Return 1099 Form

_____ Copy of Social Security Disability Insurance

(not necessary if Social Security is only income)

Applicant's signature: _____ Date _____