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SUPERVISOR DIMITRIJEVIC: STATEMENT ON THIS MORNING'S RIDE ON BUS ROUTE SLATED FOR CUTBACKS

Riders send strong message to County Executive: No service cuts or fare increases

Milwaukee, WI – Milwaukee County Supervisor Marina Dimitrijevic released the following statement after joining her Bay View neighbors riding a Milwaukee County Transit System (MCTS) bus route into downtown Milwaukee this morning.

“A coalition of residents from Bay View and other South Side neighborhoods sent a message to County Executive Scott Walker this morning by riding the 7 a.m. Route 15 bus into downtown. I’m pleased that Milwaukee Alderman Tony Zielinski, who represents the Bay View neighborhood, also rode the bus in opposition to these proposed service cuts. I thank him for also being proactive on this important issue that affects the neighborhood we represent together.

Route 15 is one of the busiest routes in our system and plays a major role in the continued growth of our Bay View business district. Rather than cutting, we should reduce fares and increase service in hopes of attracting new riders and reducing traffic and pollution, critical components of a modern, progressive city.”

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