

## **NOTICE OF PROPOSED GUIDANCE DOCUMENT**

DTIM BTLRRH 40

Pursuant to Wis. Stat. s. 227.112, the Wisconsin Department of Transportation is hereby seeking comment on DTIM BTLRRH 40, FTA Section 5329, a proposed guidance document.

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS AND DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION**

Comments may be submitted to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation for 21 days by:

1. Department's website: <https://appengine.egov.com/apps/wi/dot/guidance-docs?guidDocId=DTIMBTLRRH40>

2. Mailing written comments to:

Division of Transportation Investment Management  
Wisconsin Department of Transportation  
4822 Madison Yards Way  
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### **WEBSITE LOCATION OF FINAL GUIDANCE DOCUMENT**

The final version of this guidance document will be posted at [wisconsindot.gov](http://wisconsindot.gov) to allow for ongoing comment.

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On August 11, 2016, the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) published the [Public Transportation Safety Program Final Rule](#) (Safety Program Rule). The rule establishes substantive and procedural rules for the administration of the Public Transportation Safety Program (National Safety Program) authorized at 49 U.S.C. § 5329, including FTA's authority to monitor and oversee transit safety and enforce transit safety laws. The rule also establishes Safety Management Systems (SMS) as FTA's foundational safety policy, which will support FTA in taking a risk-based approach to the development and implementation of the National Safety Program. Please see the resources provided in the links below for more information.

WisDOT currently has two different programs affected by the Safety Program Rule and the National Safety Program: [Bus Safety](#), and [Rail Transit Safety](#). Please see the links below for more information about each individual program.

- **Bus Safety** - Compliance and Safety
- **Rail Transit Safety** - State Safety Oversight (SSO) Program

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#### Resources

- [FTA Safety Management Systems \(SMS\)](#)
- [Public Transportation Safety Program Final Rule](#)
- [Public Transportation Agency Safety Plans](#)

#### WisDOT presentations

- [Transit Safety Presentation #1 | MAP-21 and Safety Management Systems \(SMS\)](#)
- [Transit Safety Presentation #2 | Safety Risk Management \(SRM\)](#)

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