**Crawford County Transportation Authority Newsletter**

**Fast Facts:**

* Crawford County Transportation Authority riders can now access a new online trip planning tool, the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) is testing with various rural public transit agencies.
* Crawford County Transportation and an additional 13 transportation agencies in Michigan are part of Stage 2 of the pilot project.
* The project is funded through a [United States Department of Transportation SMART grant](https://www.transportation.gov/grants).

**Exciting News for Crawford County Transportation Authority Riders!**

We’re excited to announce that Crawford County Transportation Authority is now part of the Michigan Department of Transportation’s (MDOT) Office of Passenger Transportation Advancing Rural Mobility pilot project. This initiative introduces a new online trip-planning tool designed to enhance the travel experience for Crawford County residents. The tool represents a significant advancement in ensuring accessible, reliable, and efficient transportation for everyone in the county.

The trip planner is designed to help riders by providing personalized route options, easy connections to other transit services, and real-time updates. Whether you're traveling to work, a doctor’s appointment, or a community event, this tool is here to make the most of Crawford County Transportation Authority services.

Start [planning your trips today](https://www.mitripplanner.org/?m=44.5651474%2C-84.9005464%2C8) and experience how this innovative tool makes getting around Crawford County more convenient!