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GRTC Announces Union Rejects Tentative Agreement

Richmond, VA (February 22, 2010) – John M. Lewis, Jr., CEO, GRTC Transit System, announced that the Amalgamated Transit Union, Local 1220, rejected the ratification of the tentative agreement on February 21, 2010. For now, business will continue as normal. In the event of labor action, we will notify you of temporary changes that may occur as a result of this action. The public will be notified as soon as the information is available. Updates will be available through customer service, 358-4782 as they occur. Thank you for your patience.

GRTC Transit System is the primary mass transit carrier in the Richmond region. GRTC is a non-profit public service corporation that was created by the City of Richmond and Chesterfield County and incorporated on April 12, 1973. GRTC operates an active fleet made up of 176 transit vehicles, 60 CARE vans and 21 C-VAN vans. The geographic region GRTC operates in consists of 35 routes and over 9 million passenger rides. RideFinders, the ride share component of the transit system, provides assistance to 869 car pools and 39 van pools.