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Macon, Georgia Transit System turns to Ultra LF to handle their transportation needs

Anniston, AL (December 2, 2007) – Macon Bibb County Transit recently took delivery of a number of Blue Bird Ultra LF buses produced by North American Bus Industries, Inc. in Anniston, AL. The passenger-friendly vehicles have already made an impact on the efficiencies of the transit authority.

“They are finding that these Ultra LFs offer lower operating and maintenance costs. Specifically, the energy efficient engine, independent front suspension and all wheel air disc brakes are great benefits,” said Buddy Cox, sales director private sector with North American Bus Industries, Inc. “We’ve had a long history with MT authorities, so they also know we will support what we produce.”

In Macon Bibb County, General Manager Carl Jackson said he discovered he needed new buses quickly when he recently took the position. The delivery of five 35-foot Ultra LF buses helped fill his needs. “I had done research, talking to other agencies here in Georgia,” Jackson said. “The Augusta Transit Authority said they have been getting good performance from their Blue Bird buses.” Jackson mentioned he wasn’t the only person involved in the decision process. “I talked with our drivers and mechanics. They had good things to say about the Blue Bird buses, too.”

Since receiving the buses, Jackson said North American Bus Industries, Inc. has been very good with their support response. He also said their passengers are enjoying the modern styling of the Ultra LFs. “Our passengers love the buses; we’re hearing a very positive response from them. In fact, one of our board members rode one, and mentioned how much he liked the passenger-friendly technology on the bus.” Jackson also said the Ultra LFs clean appearance and contemporary styling projects an image of technology and efficiency. “That’s also something our riders like.”

About Us: North American Bus Industries, Inc. markets three successful transit bus brands: NABI, Optima and Blue Bird offering a complete line of standard and low-floor, heavy-duty 30’, 35’, 40’, 42’, 60’ and 65’ (articulated) transit buses at its facilities in Anniston, Alabama. North American Bus Industries is the market leader with its sleek and most advanced designed BRT (Bus Rapid Transit) vehicles which offer a cost effective alternative to expensive light rail. The transit buses are available with clean diesel, CNG, LNG, or diesel hybrid-electric propulsion systems.

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