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**STARS CHANGING DIAL-A-RIDE SERVICE CAPACITY**

Starting October 28, 2018, STARS will be closing their EXPRESS dial-a-ride service on Sundays at 3AM and reopening on Mondays at 4AM.

STARS EXPRESS is the 24/7 curb-to-curb transportation service for \$5.25 within the service area. This program is often at or near capacity, getting hundreds of Saginaw residents get to work, medical appointments and school every week. *“After a year, we have assessed our ridership across the week and we’ve decided that the drivers on Sundays would be better relocated to busier times in the week. We need better coverage at other times. It’s smarter business,”* says Executive Director Glenn Steffens.

This service change will not result in any layoffs or reduction in staff hours.

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