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Ride Fare-Free to the NAACP's Thanksgiving Community Lunch

CCRTA is reducing transit as a barrier for event attendees on November 18th

(*Corpus Christi, Texas*) – Corpus Christi Regional Transportation Authority (CCRTA) will be offering fare-free service for those attending the NAACP Thanksgiving Community Lunch on Saturday, November 18th. **Riders should tell their Bus Operator that they're going to or coming from the lunch to ride fare-free.**

The annual event begins at 11:30am and will take place at the Oveal Williams Senior Center, located 1414 Martin Luther King Drive, Corpus Christi, TX 78401. **Registration for the event is required.** Contact the NAACP at 361-884-8541 or visit https://www.naacpcctx.com for more information.

"We're happy to provide a ride for anyone attending tomorrow's NAACP luncheon and look forward to seeing everyone on the bus" said Derrick Majchszak, CCRTA's Chief Executive Officer.

Anyone needing assistance with trip planning can download CCRTA's mobile app, GoPass at http://www.ccrta.org/gopass.

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