

**TITLE VI COMPLAINTS**  
**Civil Rights Compliance Posting**  
**Maricopa Association of Governments**

The Maricopa Association of Governments (MAG) hereby gives public notice that it is the policy of the agency to assure full compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987, Executive Order 12898 on Environmental Justice, and related statutes and regulations in all programs and activities. Title VI requires that no person in the United States of America shall, on the basis of actual or perceived race, color, or national origin, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity for which MAG receives federal financial assistance. Additional protections are provided in other federal and state statutes for discrimination based on income status, limited English proficiency, religion, sex, disability, age, gender identity (as defined in paragraph 249(c)(4) of title 18, United States Code) or sexual orientation.

Any person who believes they or any class of persons have experienced discrimination under Title VI has a right to file a formal complaint with MAG. Any such complaint must be filed with MAG's Title VI Coordinator within 180 days following the date of the alleged discriminatory occurrence. Complaints should, at a minimum, include the following information:

- Your name and address, and a number at which you can be reached during business hours
- A general description of the person(s) injured by the alleged discriminatory acts
- A description of the alleged discriminatory act(s) in sufficient detail to enable the Title VI Coordinator to understand what occurred, when it occurred, and the basis of the alleged discrimination complaint (race, color, national origin, etc.)
- The letter must be signed and dated by the person filing the complaint or by someone authorized to do so on his or her behalf.

For more information, or to file a complaint, please contact Amy St. Peter, the Title VI Coordinator by calling (602) 254-6300; by mail to 302 North 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue, #300, Phoenix, AZ 85003; or by emailing [TitleVI@azmag.gov](mailto:TitleVI@azmag.gov).

A complaint may also be filed with the Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT) Civil Rights Office, the Federal Transit Administration (FTA), the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), or the U.S. Department of Justice. If a transportation-related complaint is filed against MAG, the Title VI Coordinator is required to forward the complaint to the ADOT Civil Rights Office. All transportation-related complaints will be promptly investigated by the ADOT Civil Rights Office, the FTA, or FHWA as appropriate. Complaints that are not transportation-related will be forwarded to the appropriate agency.

Contact information for the ADOT Civil Rights Office: ADOT Civil Rights Office, 1135 N. 22<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor mail drop 154A, Phoenix, AZ 85009, (602) 712-7761. Information in languages other than English will be provided as needed and will be consistent with Department of Transportation Limited English Proficiency (LEP) Guidance. The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA) protects persons with mental or physical disabilities from discrimination in connection with the provision of transportation service and other MAG programs and activities.