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Cc: Legislator Shane Broadwell, Chairman

FROM: Diane Cooper-Currier, OCO Executive Director
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RE: Oswego County Public Transit Route 12 (OPT12)

DATE: February 27, 2018

We wanted to courtesy inform you of changes to OPT 12, which leaves from Fulton and primarily covers the Central Square and North Shore area in Oswego County.

Effective March 1, 2018, OPT 12 will change to accommodate concerns presented as a result of the last year's change in schedule for OPT 12. Based on concerns expressed, changes to OPT 12 include:

- Transportation services to the Constantia area.
- Springbrook residents using the bus will have longer to shop at Walmart due to eliminating stops noted in this memo.
- Elimination of stops at the Central Square Post Office and Central Square Pharmacy routine stops will be removed due to low demand for these stops. These stops can be requested as a "route deviation" to OPT 12 by passengers as needed
- Addition of a stop at the Parish Health Center so there is service to this area.
- Addition of flag stops in Amboy Center with specific stop times.
- Elimination of the 9:30 AM stop at Towpath Towers in Fulton, NY which allows for longer shopping times at Walmart in Central Square as well as improved route efficiencies due to very few to no riders at this hour from Towpath Towers.

Meeting the needs of the public is important to OCO. We critically analyze utilization of bus routes across the system, examine opportunities for efficiencies as well as listen to the feedback from customers and stakeholders which often results in adjustments to Oswego Public transit routes. Riders of OPT 12 have been notified through a required public notice and postings on the bus that operates along this route. We hope you find this notification helpful.