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serve greater numbers of people, but it would be humanly impossible to accomplish this without inconveniencing a few, thus the resulting complaints.

This summer, some vehicles had air conditioning problems but rather than discontinue service to our clients, which was the only other alternative, EOB continued to operate to a maximum capacity so that our passengers could still get around and meet doctor's appointments, shopping, and entertainment.

EOB is also hampered by the legal entanglements of the Federal Government that has held up \$1.4 million funding for an additional 29 vehicles that were specifically earmarked for EOB's system. The rapid increase in ridership occurred when the Federal Government mandated that EOB could no longer prioritize rides for medical and nutrition trips but must respond to trip requests to any destination. This "de-prioritizing" has resulted in the explosion in ridership, causing complaints from those who previously had less competition in using the system.

The very small number of complaints received addressing such issues as having to wait too long for buses, buses filled at an early hour, etc., is obviously being exploited by this weekly publication in an effort to discredit and embarrass EOB Transportation.

The Economic Opportunity Board has provided transportation services to seniors and handicapped for almost 18 years. We know we have done the job effectively and are proud of all that has been accomplished. The complaints of a few are being fueled by biased reporting which is an injustice to a program that has served so many so well.

The Economic Opportunity Board is a longtime respected community agency, and its employees and board members are very proud of the work we do.

Verlia G. Davis, Vice Chair
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and the that the body was infected with the AIDES virus and it was so identified (verified) by the Coroners Office and prior to the Coroners Office having located the body, that the body had been dead for approximately twelve to fourteen hours prior to being transported to the Coroners Office. It remained there for approximately four hours and during that process the Coroners Office had began to refrigerate

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