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### **The TMA Group Named a Top 300 Small Business in the South for 2011**

**Franklin, TN** – On June 21, 2011, TMA was named one of the Top 300 Small Businesses in the South for 2011 by Business Leader. In the Nashville market TMA ranked #10; in the South TMA ranked #75 out of 300 in the nine Southern markets of Atlanta, Nashville, Memphis, Miami, Tampa, Jacksonville, Raleigh, Greensboro and Charlotte. Business Leader recognizes the most dynamic small businesses that have exhibited strong historical financial results, have a positive impact in the local economy and are making a difference not only in business but also in the greater community.

“TMA is honored to receive this outstanding recognition,” states Julian L. Bibb, Chairman of The TMA Group. “Under the executive leadership of Debbie Henry, the experienced and dedicated TMA team members are committed each day to delivering programs and services with the goal for everyone, in every community, in every stage of life to have affordable and convenient travel options available to them. TMA’s programs positively impact our region’s commuters, businesses and residents in the areas of economic development, transportation, and environment.”

The TMA Group, located in Franklin, Tennessee operates and manages: the regional commuter vanpool programs throughout nine Middle Tennessee counties; Franklin’s public transit service on behalf of the Franklin Transit Authority; and the Clean Air Partnership programs of Williamson and Rutherford County.

Since 1989, Business Leader has focused on providing regional business profiles, business news, leader profiles, and best practices for executives and business owners.

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