



## **PRESS RELEASE**

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### **THE PUBLIC WAVE BUS SYSTEM NOW CONNECTS NORTH AND SOUTH OKALOOSA COUNTY**

Beginning Monday, October 2, 2006, the Okaloosa County Public Bus System, the WAVE, will offer connecting service from Crestview to Fort Walton Beach.

The new service, called the WAVE Express, will make four convenient stops at the Crestview City Hall, Okaloosa Walton College's Niceville Campus, the Shalimar Courthouse Annex and Uptown Station in Fort Walton Beach.

Service hours are Monday through Friday with departures beginning at 6:30 a.m. at the Crestview City Hall and the final return trip scheduled to arrive in Crestview at 5:50 p.m. Wave Express fares are \$1.50 per trip or .75 per trip for senior and disabled riders. Monthly passes may be purchased for \$40 or \$20 per month for senior and disabled pass holders.

For further information on the new WAVE Express bus services, visit Okaloosa County Transit online at [www.rideoct.org](http://www.rideoct.org) or call 833-9168 in Fort Walton Beach and 689-7809 in Crestview.