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TUCSON TALKS TRANSIT WITH JARRETT WALKER

Ward 3 Council Member Karin Uhlich is pleased to be one of the co-sponsors bringing Jarrett Walker, a distinguished transit planner and educator, to Tucson this week for a broad public discussion on how an improved transit system and good transit planning can enhance the quality of life in Tucson. On the importance of the upcoming event, Council Member Uhlich states, “Transit services are a key factor shaping Tucson’s economic and environmental future.”

Jarrett Walker is renowned as a public transportation planner and consultant, leader of major transit planning projects around the world, and a skilled facilitator of community dialogue. He is the author of the book *Human Transit: How Clearer Thinking About Public Transit Can Enrich Our Communities and Our Lives*. He also writes for the blog *Human Transit*.

The *Tucson Talks Transit* event details:

Friday, July 11, 2014

5:00 p.m. Sign-in and Reception
6:00 p.m. FREE Public Presentation

Tucson Electric Power Company
88 East Broadway in Downtown Tucson
(one block south of Ronstadt Transit Center)

Other co-sponsors include: the U of A’s Drachman Institute, Tucson Bus Riders Union, core-BaNC, Arizona Transit Association, Sun Tran, Tucson Department of Transportation, Tucson Electric Power, Living Streets Alliance, Southern Arizona Transit Advocates, Downtown Tucson Partnership, and the U of A’s College of Architecture, Planning and Landscape Architecture.

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