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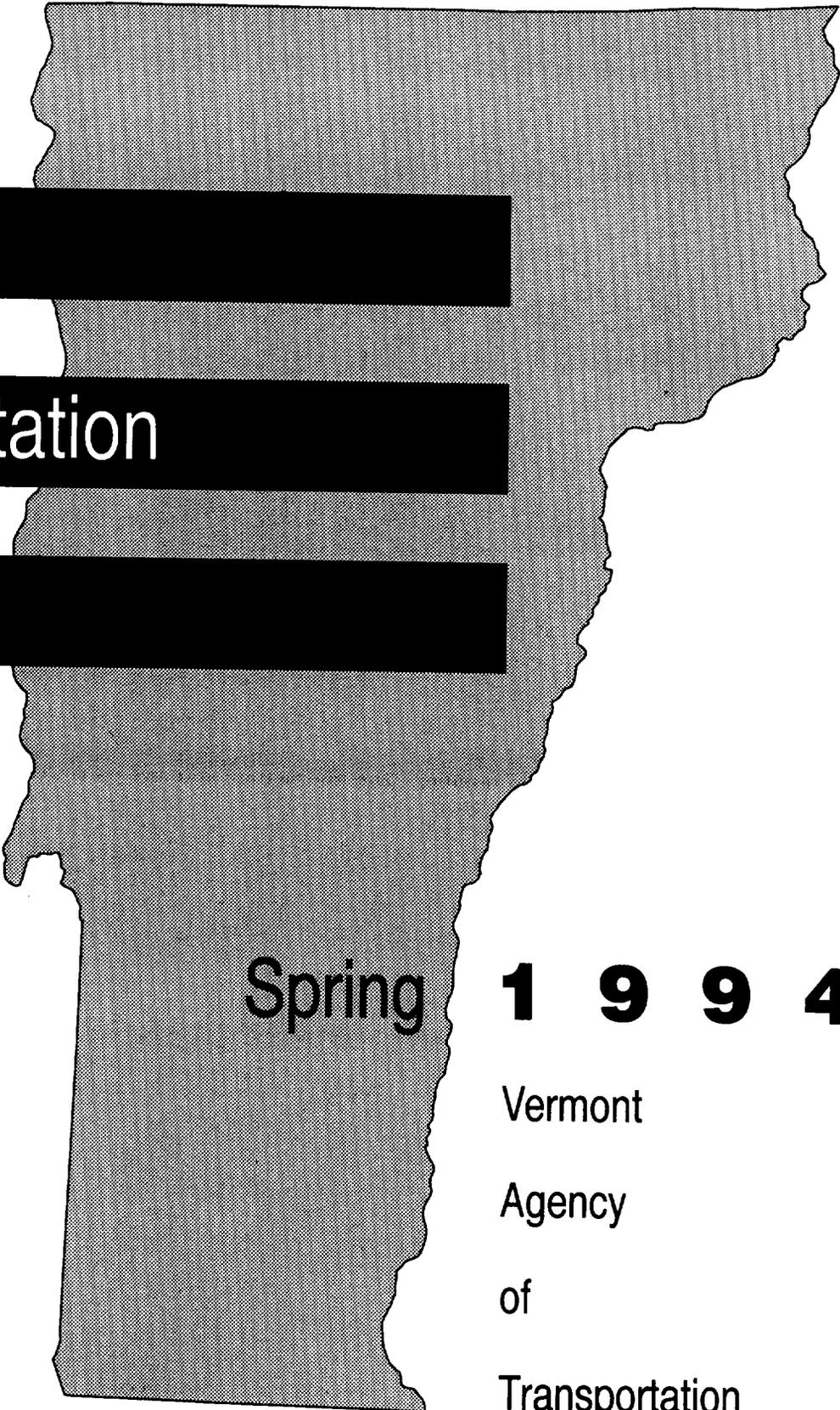
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Table 9-1 (continued)

**J. WHAT IS THE MOST IMPORTANT REASON YOU USE AN MTA BUS?**

- 1. 25.7 No car
- 2. 10.8 Don't drive
- 3. 34.6 Save money
- 4. 5.9 Someone else uses the car
- 5. 5.7 Avoid congestion
- 6. 14.5 Convenience
- 7. 2.8 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**K. WHICH AGE CATEGORY DO YOU FIT IN?**

- 1. 6.2 under 18
- 2. 10.5 18-24
- 3. 25.9 25-34
- 4. 23.8 35-44
- 5. 23.5 45-59
- 6. 5.1 60-65
- 7. 4.9 66 or over

**L. SEX** 1. 27.0 Male 2. 73.0 Female

**M. HOUSEHOLD SIZE (Including yourself)**

- 1. 26.0 one
- 2. 31.9 two
- 3. 32.1 three/four
- 4. 10.0 five or more

**N. EDUCATION (level completed)**

- 1. 4.4 Elementary
- 2. 44.8 High School
- 3. 43.0 College/Tech
- 4. 7.8 Graduate School

**O. EMPLOYMENT**

- 1. 87.5 Full time
- 2. 12.5 Part-time

**P. WHICH OCCUPATION BEST DESCRIBES YOUR JOB?**

- 1. 7.6 Managerial
- 2. 29.7 Professional
- 3. 24.4 Technical, Sales or Support
- 4. 20.3 Service
- 5. 2.1 Precision Production, Craft or Repair
- 6. 5.6 Operator, Fabricator or Laborer
- 7. 4.6 Student
- 8. 2.7 Retired
- 9. 3.0 Unemployed

**Q. HOW MANY CARS IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD?**

- 1. 20.9 None
- 2. 38.2 One
- 3. 30.2 Two
- 4. 10.7 3 or more

**W. WHAT DO YOU DISLIKE ABOUT TAKING THE BUS?**

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**X. ANY OTHER COMMENTS THAT WOULD HELP MTA STAFF MAKE YOUR RIDE MORE CONVENIENT AND COMFORTABLE?**

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**R. WAS A CAR AVAILABLE FOR THIS TRIP?**

- 1. 55.6 Yes
- 2. 44.4 No

**S. APPROXIMATE HOUSEHOLD INCOME**

- 1. 23.4 under \$15,000
- 2. 30.5 \$15,000 - \$25,000
- 3. 36.2 \$25,000 - \$50,000
- 4. 9.8 over \$50,000

**T. INDICATE YOUR HOME'S ZIP CODE BELOW:**  
50310 - 11.8

**U. HOW DO YOU GET INFORMATION ABOUT HOW TO RIDE THE BUS AND ABOUT CHANGES IN BUS OPERATIONS?**

- 62.8 published maps and schedules
- 10.4 telephone information from the MTA
- 11.3 bus driver
- 6.6 family or friends
- 1.5 newspaper
- 4.6 from my employer
- 0.2 radio
- 2.5 other, specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**V. WHICH THREE WOULD YOU MOST LIKE TO HAVE?**

- 1.9 route going nearer by house
- 0.6 route going nearer my final destination
- 1.1 more comfortable ride
- 1.0 cleaner bus
- 4.0 less crowded seating
- 2.1 other, specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- 3.5 buses running other days and times
- 1.9 Saturday evening
- 5.2 Sunday
- 10.7 Weekday evening
- 1.4 different frequency of buses

<u>Peak</u>	<u>Off Peak</u>
<u>1.2</u> every hour	<u>0.6</u> every hour
<u>1.7</u> every 45 min.	<u>0.3</u> every 45 min.
<u>4.6</u> every 30 min.	<u>3.9</u> every 30 min.
<u>4.8</u> every 20 min.	<u>1.0</u> every 20 min.
<u>14.9</u> every 15 min.	<u>0.5</u> every 15 min.
<u>1.3</u> other, specify: _____	

- 23.6 shelters at major bus stops
- 4.1 service center in Downtown area
- 4.7 other, specify: \_\_\_\_\_