

MEDIA ADVISORY

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WeGo proposes service changes for Spring 2024 Public comment period open November 27–December 18

NASHVILLE – In a continuation of efforts to adjust public transit service in Nashville and Middle Tennessee in response to ridership needs, WeGo Public Transit will have an open public comment period starting Monday, November 27 through Monday, December 18, 2023.

During this time, customers will be able to view proposed Spring service changes, participate in meetings to provide comment directly to WeGo staff members, and submit feedback via mail, phone, and email as the agency works to ensure the changes proposed will meet the needs of the communities served.

Proposed Spring Service Changes

The proposed Spring service changes include improvements and adjustments to the following bus routes, specifically related to the anticipated opening of the new Dr. Ernest "Rip" Patton, Jr. North Nashville Transit Center (NNTC) in the Spring of 2024.

9 MetroCenter
14 Whites Creek
22 Bordeaux
41 Golden Valley
42 St. Cecilia/Cumberland
71 Trinity (New crosstown route connecting NNTC and Gallatin Pike)
75 Midtown
77 Thompson-Wedgewood

Public meetings about the proposed changes will occur as follows:

- Tuesday, November 28 from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. McGruder Family Resource Center, 2013 25th Avenue N., Nashville, 37208.
- Thursday, November 30 from 12 p.m. to 1 p.m. <u>Virtual meeting</u> (Webex); Access Code: 2492 123 2795; Password: MgpabmVJ875; Phone: 720-650-7664.
- **Tuesday, December 5 from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.** McGruder Family Resource Center, 2013 25th Avenue N., Nashville, 37208.
- Thursday, December 7 from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Trinity Community Commons, 204 E. Trinity Lane, Nashville, 37207.

Please note that attendance at the above meetings is not required for comments. Comments may be mailed to WeGo Public Transit Community Engagement, Attn: Public Meeting Comments, 430 Myatt Drive, Nashville, TN 37115; submitted by telephone by calling Public Comments at 615-862-5686; or emailed to WeGoTransit@nashville.gov through December 18, 2023.

For detailed information on proposed changes and meeting registration, visit <u>WeGoTransit.com</u> beginning November 22 or call Customer Care at 615-862-5950. Members of the public are encouraged to sign up for the WeGo newsletter, follow WeGo on social media, and visit WeGoTransit.com for continuous updates.

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About WeGo Public Transit

The Nashville Metropolitan Transit Authority (Nashville MTA) and the Regional Transportation Authority (RTA) are operating bodies of WeGo Public Transit, which serves 27 local bus routes, nine regional bus routes, and one train serving Davidson and Wilson Counties.

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