



# MEDIA ADVISORY

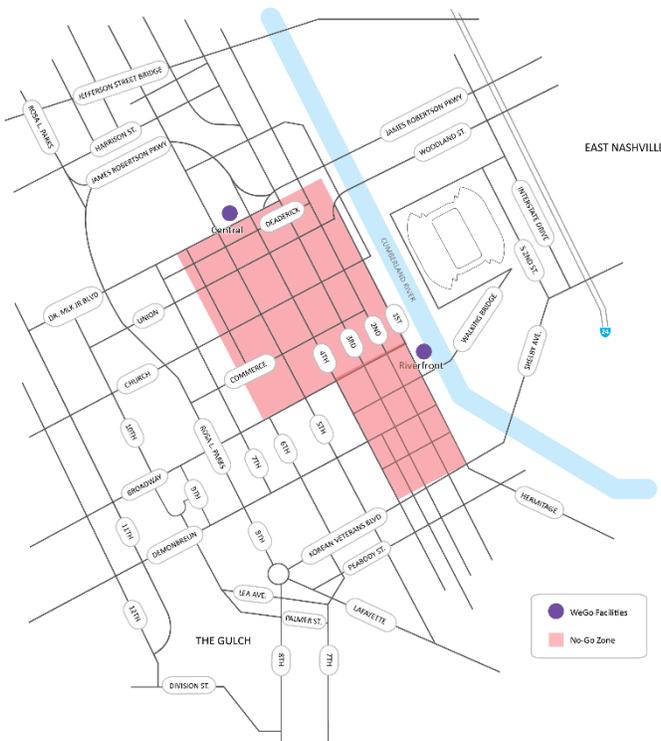
FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:  
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## WeGo to resume service with restrictions *Will operate around explosion zone*

**NASHVILLE** – Effective 5 a.m. Saturday, WeGo Public Transit will enact major detours through the downtown core. These operational conditions will remain in effect until further notice. Details attached.

No buses or Access trips will pick up, drop off, or operate Downtown between Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard and Korean Veterans Boulevard, from 1st Avenue North to 6th Avenue North. WeGo customers should expect delays in the areas surrounding this “No-Go zone” related to detours and road closures.

Customers are advised to stay out of this zone until further notice and board at WeGo Central (400 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.) or at another stop along the route outside of this zone.



Safety is our number one priority, so please be aware that there may be additional delays as bus operators respond to conditions on the ground, including changing road closures. Due to conditions, please plan for additional travel time regardless of your preferred route.

Members of the public are encouraged to follow on social media and visit [WeGoTransit.com](http://WeGoTransit.com) for continuous updates. Customers can also check one of the mobile real-time information tools such as Google Transit or the Transit App for detailed detour information once operations resume.

## Detours beginning Dec. 26 due to explosion investigation, clean-up

Beginning 5 a.m. Saturday, December 26 and continuing until further notice, eight bus routes will be on detour due to explosion investigation and clean-up. Buses will stop at every stop along their detour.

No buses will pick up, drop off, or operate Downtown between Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard and Korean Veterans Boulevard, from 1st Avenue North to 6th Avenue North. WeGo customers should expect delays in the areas surrounding Downtown related to detours and road closures.

**Please plan to board buses at stops before and after the detours.** Buses will pick up and drop off passengers at any designated bus stops provided safe operations are maintained. Please refer to the **Transit App** on your mobile device for more detour information.

**4 Shelby – From downtown:** Buses will detour from Central and resume the regular route on South 5<sup>th</sup> Street at Woodland Street. **To downtown:** Buses will detour on South 5<sup>th</sup> Street at Woodland Street to Central.

**6 Lebanon Pike – From downtown:** Buses will detour from Central and resume the regular route on Hermitage Avenue at Korean Veterans Boulevard. **To downtown:** Buses will detour on Korean Veterans Boulevard at Hermitage Avenue to Central.

**14 Whites Creek – From downtown:** Buses will detour from Central and resume the regular route on North 1<sup>st</sup> Street at Spring Street. **To downtown:** Buses will detour on Spring Street at North 1<sup>st</sup> Street to Central.

**18 Airport – From downtown:** Buses will detour from Central and resume the regular route on Lafayette Street at 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue. **To downtown:** Buses will detour on 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue at Lafayette Street to Central.

**23 Dickerson Road – From downtown:** Buses will detour from Central and resume the regular route on North 1<sup>st</sup> Street at Spring Street. **To downtown:** Buses will detour on Spring Street at North 1<sup>st</sup> Street to Central.

**34 Opry Mills (Local Trips) – From downtown:** Buses will detour from Central and resume the regular route on Hermitage Avenue at Korean Veterans Boulevard. **To downtown:** Buses will detour on 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue at Korean Veterans Boulevard to Central.

**52 Nolensville Pike – From downtown:** Buses will detour from Central and resume the regular route on Lafayette Street at 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue. **To downtown:** Buses will detour on 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue at Lafayette Street to Central.

**55 Murfreesboro Pike – From downtown:** Buses will detour from Central and resume the regular route on Lafayette Street at 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue. **To downtown:** Buses will detour on 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue at Lafayette Street to Central.

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