



MEDIA ADVISORY

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:
December 10, 2019

Catch a ride Downtown via WeGo bus and the Star Train

Select bus routes until 2:30 a.m.; New Year's Eve train tickets on sale Weds. at 10 a.m.

NASHVILLE – On Tuesday, December 31, WeGo Public Transit will once again provide transportation to Nashville's 11th Annual New Year's Eve celebration. Fourteen WeGo bus routes and the seventh annual WeGo Star special event train will be available as safe rides for those celebrating the new year.

WeGo Bus Service (Regular weekday service until 11:15 p.m., additional service begins at 12:45 a.m.)

Regular fares will be in effect throughout the evening. A full schedule of [fares](#) can be found online.

Regular WeGo bus service will operate until 11:15 p.m. All buses will operate on detours through Downtown but will resume regular routing once out of the downtown area. Additional service from downtown only will begin after the event on the following bus routes departing from WeGo Central at 12:45 a.m., 1:30 a.m., and 2:30 a.m.

3 – West End/White Bridge	14 – Whites Creek	23 – Dickerson	55 – Murfreesboro
4 – Shelby	18 – Airport	29 – Jefferson	56 – Gallatin
7 – Hillsboro	19 – Herman	34 – Opry Mills	
8 – 8 th Ave South	22 – Bordeaux	52 – Nolensville	

A detailed schedule of bus operations for the evening is available on wego-transit.com.

Park & Rides are available outside of Downtown and accessible by the select late night routes at the following locations:

Vanderbilt University parking lots on Natchez Trace
(Route 3)

Hickory Hollow Global Mall at The Crossings (Route 55)

Music Valley Village (Route 34)

Madison Square behind Job Billiards (Route 56)

Dollar General at Hickory Plaza (Route 52)

WeGo Service to Event (6:15 p.m. – 2:15 a.m.)

Effective 6:15 p.m., WeGo will operate a free bus exclusively between Commerce Street and the Bicentennial Mall. A stop will be located on Commerce Street between 5th Ave and 6th Avenues, and at Bicentennial Mall on James Robertson Parkway between 6th and 7th Avenues. These buses will run a continuous loop between Commerce Street and the Bicentennial Mall for event goers, leaving approximately every 10 minutes until 2:15 a.m.

New Year's Eve Train (arrives at Riverfront at 8 p.m., departs at 1:30 a.m.)

An allotment of 650 tickets will be available to the general public **starting Wednesday, December 11 at 10 a.m.** Round-trip tickets cost \$15 plus a \$1 processing fee and are available for purchase at ticketsnashville.com. Tickets will be on sale until **24 hours** prior to departure or until they are sold out, whichever comes first. Children age 4 and younger will not need a ticket to board; however, they will be required to sit in a parent's lap.

The New Year's Eve train schedule is as follows:

Lebanon – 7 p.m.

Mt. Juliet – 7:22 p.m.

Hamilton Springs – 7:07 p.m.

Hermitage – 7:30 p.m.

Martha – 7:13 p.m.

Donelson – 7:37 p.m.

Upon arrival at Riverfront Station, buses will be available to take customers directly to Bicentennial Mall.

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For the Star's return trip, buses will load on James Robertson between 6th and 7th Avenues and will proceed directly to Riverfront Station between midnight and 1 a.m. WeGo staff will be on hand to assist and direct passengers. The Star will depart at 1:30 a.m.

Weekday WeGo Star tickets and passes are not accepted on the New Year's Eve train. Folding chairs will be allowed onboard. Any items that will not fit underneath the seat, such as bikes and wagons, are not permitted on the train. Coolers of any size are not permitted on the train or at the event. All personal items are subject to search. See the house rules for additional information.

Anyone needing special accommodations to board should call 615-862-5950 prior to their trip.

For detailed bus service information, please consult the route schedules on our website at wegotransit.com. Customers can also check one of the mobile real-time information tools such as Google Transit or the **Transit App**, or contact Customer Care at 615-862-5950.

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