

RIDER NEWS

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Public Comment Invited on Transportation Improvement Program



Intercity Transit seeks rider and community-member comment on its Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). The comment period ends with a public hearing on **Wednesday, June 1, 5:30 p.m.** at the Intercity Transit Business Office, 526 Pattison Street, Olympia. If you need special accommodations to participate in the hearing, call us at 360.705.5860 three days prior to the meeting.

Please consider riding the bus, bicycling, or walking to attend the hearing. Routes 62A, 62B, 66, and Dial-A-Lift (for certified riders) serve stops near this location.

What is the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)?

The TIP represents our complete program of potential federally funded projects for 2017-2020. It includes projects also programmed through the Thurston Regional Planning Council (TRPC) and the Puget Sound Regional Council (PSRC).

Where Can I Get Materials?

You can get a draft copy of the TIP on our Web site or by contacting our business office at 360-786-8585.

Other Ways to Comment

If you cannot attend the public hearing, you can provide comment by:

- Mail: P.O. Box 659, Olympia, WA 98507.
- E-mail: ephillips@intercitytransit.com.
- Phone: 360-705-5885.

All comments must be received by 4 p.m. May 31, 2016 to be considered.

Memorial Day Bus Service



Intercity Transit will operate on **Sunday-level service** on **Memorial Day, Monday, May 30**. You can get schedule information at Customer Service, online, and in the transit guide.

Customer Service at the Olympia Transit Center will be open from **9 am to 7 pm** on the holiday.

Bicycle Commuter Contest (BCC) Reminders:

- Turn in your mileage log by **Sunday, June 5**
- Come to the **BCC Prize Hoopla**
Saturday, June 25, 9:30-10:30 a.m.
Olympia Farmers Market
- Keep pedaling!



Parents!

Your kids don't have to be **#StuckAtHome** this summer.
Get them a **Youth Monthly Pass . . . just \$15**
for an entire month of rides!

We even offer **FREE travel training** for new riders, teaching them the practical skills for riding our bus system safely and confidently. Contact Travel Training at 360.705.5879 or traveltraining@intercitytransit.com for details. Contact Customer Service for monthly pass information.



Rider Safety Reminders

Safety is our number one priority. Thanks for your attention to these reminders:

- ▶ **After exiting the bus, please watch for oncoming traffic and do not cross in front of the bus.**
Unlike for school buses, traffic does not stop for transit buses. Also, our drivers are focused on safely yielding back into traffic and may not see you.
- ▶ **When riding the bus with your bike on the rack, exit through the front door and let the driver know you plan to remove your bike.**
This ensures the driver sees you and waits for you to safely remove your bike.



For a complete list of Rider Rules, see page 7 in the Transit Guide.

Park Free & Catch a Ride!

Did you know you can park free for the day at any area park & ride lot? You don't need a special permit; parking is free and open to the public.

Park at any of the lots listed below to meet your vanpool, catch up with friends to carpool to an event, or catch a bus.

Martin Way Park & Ride

off I-5, exit 109 at Martin Way
4800 Martin Way E, Lacey

Hawks Prairie Park & Ride

off I-5, exit 111 at Marvin Road
2548 Hogum Bay Road NW, Olympia

Centennial Station Park & Ride

(behind Amtrak Station)
6600 Yelm Highway SE, Olympia

For more information and regional park & ride options, visit our Web site.

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*Agency page: **Intercity Transit**

Bicycle Commuter Contest page:

Thurston County Bicycle Commuter Contest

Youth Education page: **Walk N Roll**

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For questions, contact Intercity Transit's Development Director at 360.705.5885 or ephillips@intercitytransit.com.