

T State Fair!

960

Daily Aug. 25–Sept. 5, 2011
Express Bus Route

Downtown Minneapolis

Nicollet Mall
4th Street



**Downtown East/
Metrodome Station
State Fairgrounds**

All buses on this route are wheelchair accessible.



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**It's easy to ride to the
State Fair – Here's how:**

- 1 Look for the closest bus stop along the route.
- 2 Before getting on, check the route number in the sign above the windshield. Not sure the bus is the right one? Ask the driver.
- 3 Put your fare in the farebox next to the driver. You can use Go-To Cards, Metropasses, U-Passes, Go-To College Passes, SuperSavers, dollar bills, coins or tokens, but change is not available.
- 4 At the State Fairgrounds, wait until the bus comes to a complete stop before exiting. **If possible, exit through the back door.** Proceed across Como Avenue to Gate 9.

From the State Fair:

- 1 Return to the area where you were dropped off – on the south side of Como Avenue across from the Coliseum. Wait for your bus under the banner marked "Route 960."
- 2 Pay your fare. If you need to transfer to another route, ask the driver for a transfer. If you use a Go-To Card, Metropass, U-Pass, Go-To College Pass or SuperSaver a transfer is automatically embedded in your card when you pay your fare.
- 3 Take a seat and watch for your stop.
- 4 About one block from your stop, pull the cord above the window to signal the driver. **If possible, exit through the back door.**



**Buses and trains have free
storage racks so you can
bring your bicycle along.**

Look for instructions on the rack
or visit metrotransit.org/bike



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Metropolitan Transit Information

Call for assistance from a transit expert.

Hours:

Monday – Friday 6:30 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Saturday, Sunday & holidays

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Closed Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day.

NexTrip

Real-time and scheduled departure information

Customer Relations and Lost & Found

570 Sixth Ave. N., Minneapolis

Provide comments and suggestions or
check on lost items.

Hours:

Monday – Friday 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Closed holidays.

Rideshare, bicycling and employer programs

Carpool and vanpool services, Guaranteed Ride
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TTY service is available for the deaf and hard
of hearing. Call 612-341-0140 for routes and
schedules; call 612-349-7439 for Customer
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- NexTrip, real-time departure times
- online Trip Planner
- maps and schedules for buses and trains
- buy or add value to your Go-To Card
- carpool and vanpool services
- register for a free Guaranteed Ride Home
- bicycling resources

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Fare Information

	non-rush hours	rush hours
Adults		
Local Fare	\$1.75	\$2.25
Express Fare	\$2.25	\$3.00
(ages 13-64)		
Seniors (65+)		
Local Fare	\$.75	\$2.25
Express Fare	\$.75	\$3.00
Youth (6-12) & Medicare card holders		
Express Fare	\$.75	\$3.00
Persons with disabilities		
any trip	\$.75	\$.75

Rush hours Monday-Friday 6:00-9:00 am & 3:00-6:30 pm
Local fare is charged on light rail.

Reduced Fares

Please tell the bus driver **before you pay your fare** if you qualify for a fare listed below. On rail, be ready to show police officers you qualify for the reduced fare.

These fares apply only during non-rush hours:

Seniors (65+): To qualify, show a Minnesota driver's license/state ID with a **T** endorsement.

Youth: Ages 6-12 qualify for a reduced fare.

Medicare card holders: To qualify, show a Medicare card along with a Minnesota driver's license/state ID.

These fares are in effect at all times:

Persons with Disabilities: To qualify, show your Metro Mobility card or transfer, Metro Transit temporary ID with a photo ID or Minnesota driver's license/state ID with an **A** or **L** endorsement. For information on certification, call Customer Relations at 612-373-3333.

Children: Ages 5 and under ride free (limit 3) when accompanied by a paid fare.

Downtown Zone: Ride in the Downtown Zone for 50¢.

Young Adults: Students and workers ages 17 and under may qualify for a discounted Young Adult Card – contact your school or employer.

Fare Cards Save money purchasing fare cards at Metro Transit stores, 175 retail outlets or at metrotransit.org.

Fareboxes Buses accept U.S. bills and coins. Change is not available.

Transfers give you unlimited rides on buses and light rail – for 2 1/2 hours. Ask for one when you pay your cash fare. Transfers are automatically embedded on fare cards and light-rail tickets. To transfer from bus to light rail using a Stored Value Card, you must ask the bus driver for a light-rail transfer.

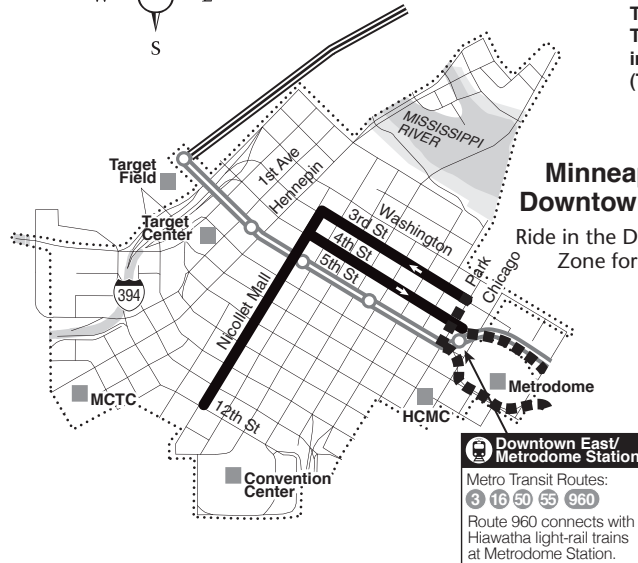
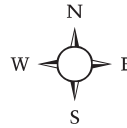
Route 960

Approximate Bus Frequency

Minutes between buses on this route every day of the State Fair:

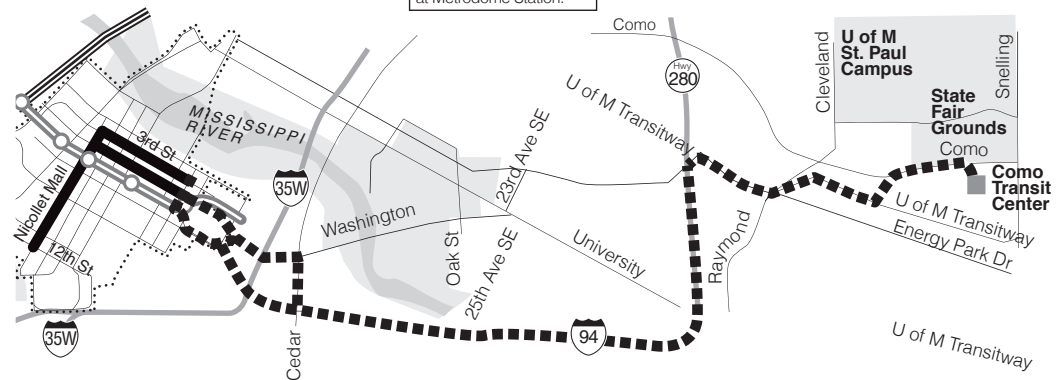
To the fair: 8 AM - 9 PM	Leaving the fair: noon - midnight
every 15 minutes	every 15 minutes

Note: • The first bus to the State Fairgrounds from Nicollet Mall is at **8 AM daily**.
• The last bus leaving the State Fairgrounds is at **midnight daily**.



Traffic and weather conditions may delay buses. This document is available in alternate formats to individuals with disabilities by calling 612-349-7365 (TTY 612-341-0140).

- Regular Bus Route**
Bus will pick up or drop off customers at any bus stop along this route.
- Non-Stop Service**
Bus does not pick up or drop off customers on these route segments.
- Light Rail**
Trains will pick up or drop off customers at any station along this route.
- Northstar Line**
Transfers from Northstar to light rail and buses are free. Transfers from light rail to Northstar require an additional fare.
- Light Rail Station**
Customers get on and off trains here. Buses connect with trains at stations.



Note: Buses operate non-stop between downtown Minneapolis and the State Fairgrounds. Travel time on non-stop portion is 22 minutes.