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Effective 09/10/05
Express Bus Route

Serving:
Downtown Minneapolis
West St. Paul
Oakdale Ave.
Highway 110
Mendota Heights
Parkview Plaza

All buses on this route are wheelchair accessible.

Metro Transit
a service of the Metropolitan Council
612-373-3333
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It's easy to ride – Here's how:

Bus:

1 Arrive at your stop a few minutes early.

2 Check the sign above the windshield for the route number and letter. Unsure it is the right one? Ask your driver.

3 Pay your fare with:
Cash: Put bills, coins or tokens in the farebox. Change is not available. If you need to change buses or ride rail, ask for a transfer.
Go-To Card: Touch your card to the reader. A transfer is embedded.
SuperSaver 31-Day Pass: Insert it in the reader. A transfer is embedded.
SuperSaver Stored Value Card: Insert it in the reader. A bus-only transfer is embedded. To transfer to rail, ask for a rail-only transfer.

4 Take a seat and watch for your stop.

5 About one block from your stop, pull the cord above the window to signal the driver. If possible, exit through the back door.

Rail:

1 Arrive at your station a few minutes early.

2 Purchase a ticket from the station's vending machine or touch your Go-To Card to the station's card reader before boarding.

3 You must have a valid ticket, transfer, Go-To Card or an activated SuperSaver 31-Day Pass to ride. A fare inspector randomly will ask to see proof of payment. A SuperSaver Stored Value Card cannot be used on rail.

4 Move toward the closest door as the train nears your station. Push the blue button to open the door.

These rules apply for the comfort and safety of all customers:

- No eating, smoking, alcohol or littering. Beverages in covered containers are allowed.
- Anything that interferes with safe operation of the vehicle is prohibited.
- Those who try to ride without paying a fare will be charged with a misdemeanor and fined $180.

Go here for Upass
http://buspass.umn.edu
and Metropass details!

Monday–Friday Eastbound

from downtown Mpls.
to Parkview Plaza via I-94

route number	7th St Garage Transit Center	6th St and Hennepin Ave	Oakdale Ave & Wentworth Ave	Parkview Plaza
	Downtown Minneapolis			
	1	2	4	5
	PM			
452	4:12	4:15	4:49	5:01
452	4:42	4:45	5:19	5:31
452	5:12	5:15	5:49	6:01

Shaded times denote rush-hour service. See fare panel on other side for rush-hour fares.

Monday–Friday Westbound

from Parkview Plaza
to downtown Mpls. via I-94

route number	Parkview Plaza	Arrive Oakdale Ave & Wentworth Ave	Depart Oakdale Ave & Wentworth Ave	7th St and Hennepin Ave
				Downtown Minneapolis
	5	4		3
	AM			
452	6:28	6:38	6:40	7:15
452	6:59	7:09	7:11Ⓐ	7:45
452	7:26	7:36	7:38Ⓐ	8:15

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Ⓐ Westbound buses stop on demand at Huron Station for transfer to Minneapolis Route 50.

Service operates Monday through Friday except on the following holidays: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Metro Transit may operate reduced service on days before or after Independence Day, Thanksgiving or Christmas. Look for details in *TAKEOUT* on buses and trains prior to these holidays.

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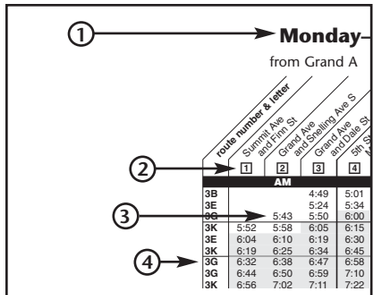

Reading a schedule
a step-by-step guide

1 Find the schedule for the **day** of the week and the **direction** you plan to travel.

2 Find the **timepoints** nearest your origin and destination. Timepoints are shown on the route map. Bus stops may be between timepoints.

3 Read downward in a column to see **times** when a trip will be at a given timepoint. Read the times across to the right to see when the trip reaches other timepoints. If no time is shown, that trip does not serve the area of that timepoint.

4 The route number in the left column will appear in the sign above the windshield.

Schedule subject to change.

Traffic and weather conditions may delay buses.

Please have exact fare ready. Bus fareboxes and drivers do not make change.

This document is available in alternate formats to individuals with disabilities by calling 612-349-7365 (TTY 612-341-0140).

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One call links you to all the information you need to use the transit system, including:

Metropolitan Transit Information
Talk to a representative about routes and schedules

Hours:
Monday-Friday 6:30 am - 9:00 pm
Saturday, Sunday & holidays 8:00 am - 5:00 pm
Closed Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day

24-hour Automated Schedule Information
Direct Dial: **612-341-4287**

Customer Relations and Lost & Found
570-6th Ave. N., Mpls.

Give us your comments and suggestions or check on lost items

Hours:
Monday-Friday 7:00 am - 6:00 pm
Closed holidays

Programs for Commuters
Carpool registration and matching, Guaranteed Ride Home and bike lockers

Fare Hotline

Call for a postage-paid order form by mail:
612-349-7681

TTY Service

TTY service is available for the deaf and hard of hearing. Call 612-341-0140 for route and schedule information; call 612-349-7439 to reach Customer Relations/Lost & Found.

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Visit us online for riding tips, fare information, maps, schedules, route planning and to purchase transit passes for all regional routes.

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560 Sixth Avenue North
Minneapolis, MN 55411-4398

Fare Information

		non-rush hours	rush hours
Adults	Local Fare	$1.50	$2.00
(ages 13-64)	Express Fare	$2.00	$2.75
Seniors (65+)	Local Fare	$ .50	$2.00
Youth (6-12) & **Medicare card holders**	Express Fare	$ .50	$2.75
Persons with disabilities	any trip	$ .50	$ .50

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 fare inspectors 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 Medicare card along with photo 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

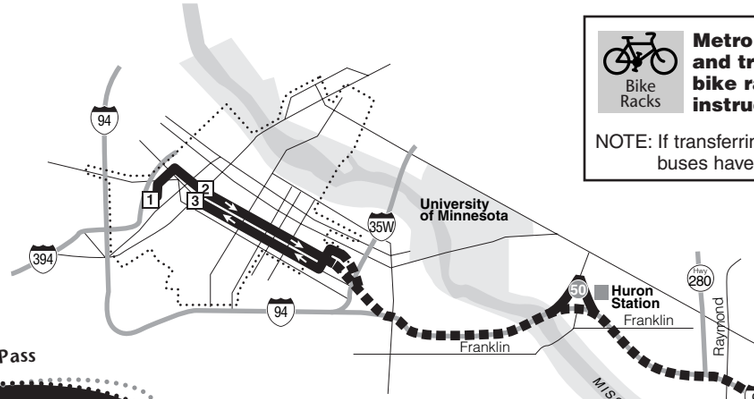
Save money purchasing fare cards at Metro Transit stores, 175 retail outlets or at metrotransit.org.

Fareboxes

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

Transfers

give you unlimited rides on buses and trains – for 2½ hours. Ask for one when you pay your cash fare. Transfers are automatically embedded on fare cards and rail tickets. To transfer from bus to rail using a SuperSaver Stored Value Card, you must ask the bus driver for a rail transfer.



Metro Transit buses and trains have free bike racks. Look for instructions on the rack.

Bike Racks

NOTE: If transferring, not all regional buses have racks.

Route 452

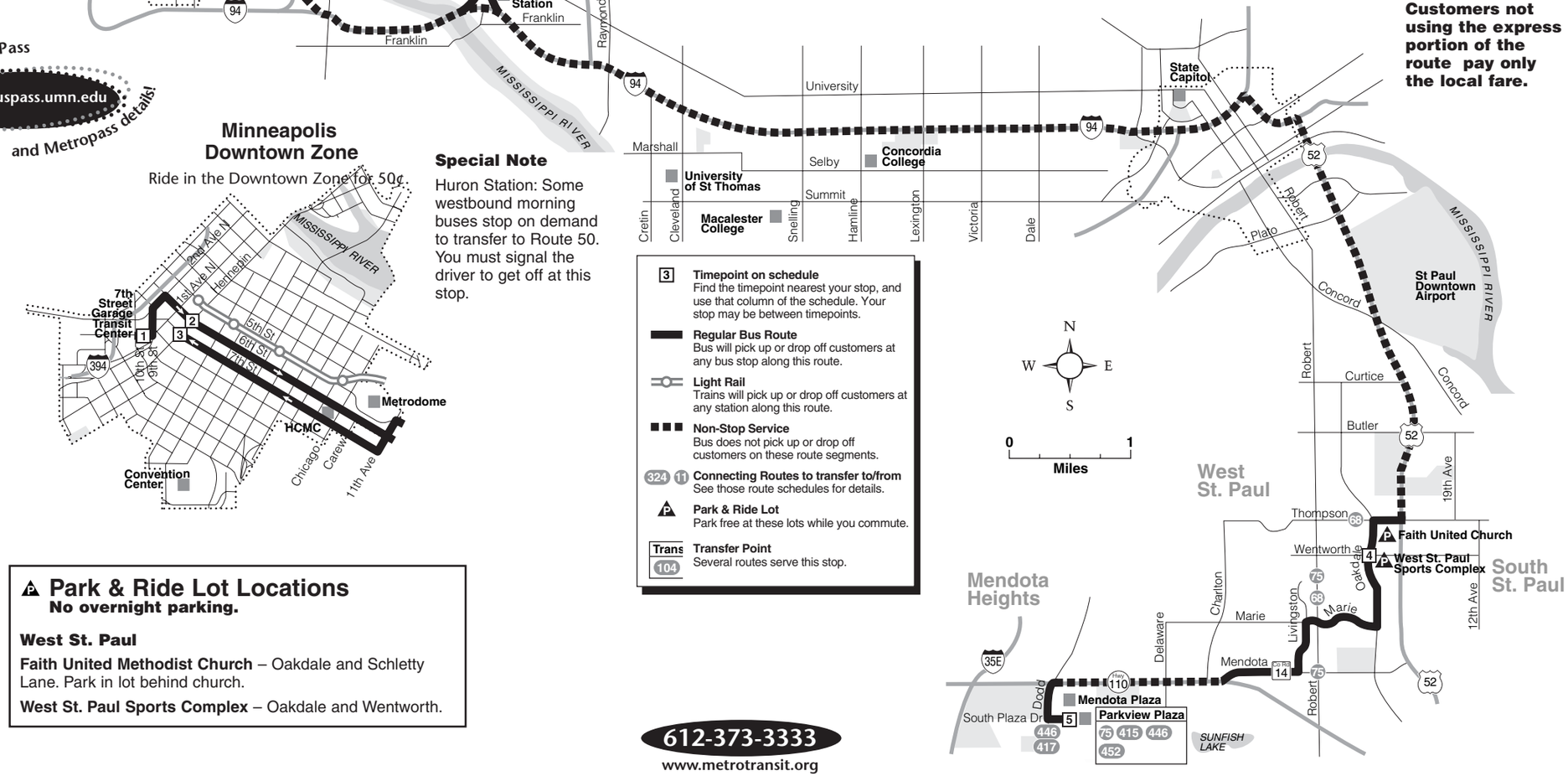
Approximate Bus Frequency

Minutes between buses on this route:

Rush Hours (6–9 am and 3:00–6:30 pm)	Midday	Evening	Owl (1 am–5 am)	Saturday	Sunday/Hol.
30	—	—	—	—	—

Note: These times are averages and may apply only to the main portion of the route. Refer to the schedule for details.

Customers not using the express portion of the route pay only the local fare.



- **Timepoint on schedule** — Find the timepoint nearest your stop, and use that column of the schedule. Your stop may be between timepoints.
- **Regular Bus Route** — Bus will pick up or drop off customers at any bus stop along this route.
- **Light Rail** — Trains will pick up or drop off customers at any station along this route.
- **Non-Stop Service** — Bus does not pick up or drop off customers on these route segments.
- **Connecting Routes to transfer to/from** — See those route schedules for details.
- **Park & Ride Lot** — Park free at these lots while you commute.
- **Transfer Point** — Several routes serve this stop.

Park & Ride Lot Locations

No overnight parking.

West St. Paul

Faith United Methodist Church – Oakdale and Schletty Lane. Park in lot behind church.

West St. Paul Sports Complex – Oakdale and Wentworth.

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