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**EXPRESS BUS ROUTES** 

#### **MAJOR DESTINATIONS:**

#### **Downtown Minneapolis**

Marquette Ave Stop B 2nd Ave Stop G

# **Fridley**

Fridley Station East River Rd

#### **Blaine**

Northtown Mall

#### **Coon Rapids**

Foley Park & Ride Coon Rapids Blvd Coon Rapids-Riverdale Station

**Anoka-Ramsey Community** College

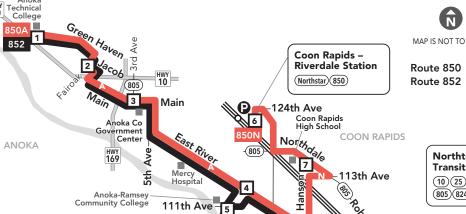
#### **Anoka**

Main St Green Haven Pkwy Anoka Technical College









MAP IS NOT TO SCALE Route 850 Route 852 Northtown **Transit Cente** 10 (25) (804) 805 824 852 BLAINE Foley Park & Ride 85th Ave BROOKLYN PARK Minneapolis Downtown Zone Ride in the Downtown Zone for 50¢ **Fridley Station** 



# This is a Pay Exit route.

On trips leaving downtown or the U of M, pay your fare at your destination. The time you exit the bus determines the fare amount.

## **Metro Transit Mobile App**

Now you can plan your trip, see arrival information for bus and trains and buy transit tickets all on the go!

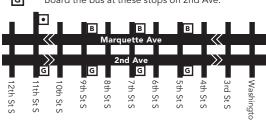
Download the free app on Google Play or App Store.

#### Marquette & 2nd Avenues

Express buses serve lettered bus stops every other block.

**B** • Exit at these stops on Marquette Ave.

Board the bus at these stops on 2nd Ave.





All buses and trains have bike racks so you can bring your bicycle along.

Look for instructions on the rack. Lockers are also available for rent. Details at metrotransit.org/bike.



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Timepoint on schedule Find the timepoint nearest your stop, and use that column of the schedule. Your stop may be between timepoints.

Bus will pick up or drop off customers at any bus stop along this route

**METRO Line and Stations** METRO trains or buses will pick up or drop off customers at any station along this

**Northstar Commuter Line** 

Transfers from Northstar to buses or light rail are free. Transfers from buses or light rail to Northstar require an additional fare.

**Limited-Stop Service** Buses serve only designated stops along this route segment.

Non-Stop Service Bus does not pick up or drop off customers on these route segments.

**Designated Bus Stop** 

To/From Do

On Limited Stop service, buses serve only

Route Ending Point
Trips with the indicated number/letter end at this point. Number/letter is found in schedules and on bus destination signs.

**Route Letter** 

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**Connecting Routes** See those route schedules for details

Park & Ride Lot

Park free at these lots while you commute.

# Route 850 Operated by Metro Transit

## Monday — Friday

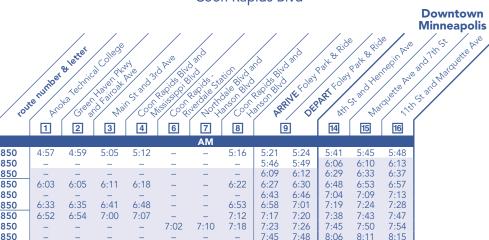
NORTHBOUND from downtown Minneapolis to Coon Rapids or Anoka via Coon Rapids Blvd

**Downtown Minneapolis** 9 8 7 6 4 18 17 3 2 3:09 3:42 3:55 4:08 4:22 3:12 3:45 3:18 3:51 3:49 3:57 4:03 4:05 4:04 4:17 4:32 4:25 4:38 4:53 4:11 4:26 850A 850F 850A 4:46 4:49 4:58 5:04 5:06 5:16 – – 5:31 5:38 5:44 4:36 4:40 4:51 4:55 4:46 5:01 5:16 5:09 5:24 5:27 5:33 6:08 6:16

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# Monday — Friday

**SOUTHBOUND** from Anoka or Coon Rapids to downtown Minneapolis via Coon Rapids Blvd



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#### **Park & Ride Locations**

Park free at these lots while you commute. No overnight parking.

• Northtown Transit Center: 150 Northtown Dr NE

#### **COON RAPIDS**

- Coon Rapids-Riverdale Station: 3050 Northdale Blvd NW
- Foley Park & Ride: 9425 Foley Blvd

• Fridley Station: 6050 Main St

## **Go-To Card Retail Locations**

A refillable Go-To Card is the most convenient way to travel by transit! Buy a Go-To Card or add value to an existing card at one of these locations

#### **BLAINE**

• Cub Foods: 585 Northtown Dr NE

#### **COON RAPIDS**

• Cub Foods: 2050 Northdale Blvd NW

#### **MINNEAPOLIS**

• Metro Transit Service Center: 719 Marquette Ave

METRO Fares	MonFri. 6:00-9:00 am 3:00-6:30 pm	Hours
Adults (ages 13-64)	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.00
Seniors (65+), Youth (6-12), Medicare	\$ 2.50	\$ 1.00
Downtown Zone	\$ .50	\$ .50
Express Bus Fares	Rush Hours	Non-Rush Hours
Adults (ages 13-64)	\$ 3.25	\$ 2.50
Seniors (65+), Youth (6-12), Medicare	\$ 3.25	\$ 1.00
Reduced Fares		
Persons with disabilities	\$ 1.00 At all times on buses & METRO lines	
	FREE (limit 3) Must ride with a fare-paying customer	

#### **Reduced Fares**

See rates above. To receive a reduced fare: Bus – Please tell the bus driver before you pay your fare if you qualify for a reduced fare.

**METRO lines** – be ready to show police officers that you qualify for a reduced fare.

## **Qualifying ID**

Seniors (65+): Show a Minnesota driver's license/state ID with a Senior/ T endorsement.

Medicare card holders: Show a Medicare card along with a MN driver's license/state ID.

Persons with Disabilities: 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.

Fare Cards/Passes Buy a variety of passes at Metro Transit service centers, retail outlets or online. Or buy tickets via Metro Transit's Mobile App.

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

**Transfers** All fares (excluding the Downtown Zone) include a transfer. This gives you unlimited rides on buses and METRO lines for 21/2 hours. Ask for one when you pay your cash fare. Transfers are automatically embedded on fare cards and METRO tickets.



## Monday — Friday

## **NORTHBOUND** from downtown Minneapolis

to Anoka via Coon Rapids Blvd

**Downtown Minneapolis** 18 17 13 12 11 10 9 8 5 3 2 6:09 7:09 7:43 9:12 7:53 9:22 7:58 9:27 8:08 9:37 8:18 9:47 8:26 9:55 8:40 10:09 9:35 11:09 9:43 12:59 1:04 1:13 2:29 2:34 2:43 4:02 4:07 4:16 5:03 5:08 5:17 12:39 12:41 2:09 2:11 3:42 3:44 4:43 4:45 12:47 12:51 2:17 2:21 3:50 3:54 12:16 1:46 3:19 1:56 3:30 4:30 3:35 3:13 4:19 4:35 4:51 4:55 5:03 5:25 5:31 5:36 5:44 5:46 5:52 5:56 6:04 6:09 6:18 6:24 6:26

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## Monday — Friday

**SOUTHBOUND** from Anoka or Coon Rapids to downtown Minneapolis

via Coon Rapids Blvd



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## Saturday

## NORTHBOUND from downtown Minneapolis to

Anoka via Coon Rapids Blvd

**Downtown Minneapolis** 11 10 8 5 1:52 3:12 2:15 3:35 2:20 3:40 5:00 6:20 7:40 2:31 3:51 5:11 6:31 7:51 1:48 2:02 3:22 2:07 3:27 2:26 3:46 2:40 4:00

# **Saturday**

## **SOUTHBOUND** from Anoka to downtown

Minneapolis via Coon Rapids Blvd

**Downtown Minneapolis** 8 10 11 8:50 8:56 10:10 10:16 11:30 11:36 10:00 10:04 10:23 10:28 10:46 12:50 2:10 12:56 2:16 1:08 2:28 2:00 3:43 5:03 3:48 5:08 6:28 4:44 5:52 6:00 6:04 6:10 6:16 6:23

Holiday service operates on New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving and Christmas. Service may be reduced on days before or after Independence Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas or New Year's Day. Look for details at metrotransit.org prior to these holidays.

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This schedule is subject to change. Traffic and weather conditions may delay buses. Get updates on service during severe winter weather at metrotransit.org/snow.

This document is available in alternative formats to individuals with disabilities. Call 612-349-7365 or visit metrotransit.org.

# 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. Look at the map and find the timepoints nearest your trip start and end points. Your stop (3) may be between timepoints.

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3. Read down the column to see what time a bus will depart from a given timepoint. Read across a row to see when the bus will reach another timepoint. If the time is blank, that trip does not serve that timepoint.

## Not all stops are shown on this timetable.

Use the timepoints on the map and the schedule to estimate the arrival of your bus. For details, call Transit Information or explore our interactive map and trip planning tools at metrotransit.org.

#### How to Ride

#### **BUSES**

- 1. Arrive 5 minutes before the schedule or NexTrip says your trip will depart.
- 2. Watch for your bus number.
- 3. Pay your fare as you board, except for Pay Exit routes.
- 4. Pull the cord above the window about 1 block before your stop to signal the driver.

#### **METRO LINES**

- 1. Arrive 5 minutes before the schedule or NexTrip says your trip will depart.
- 2. Pay BEFORE you board—touch your card to a reader on the platform or buy a ticket from the machine.
- 3. Push the blue button to open doors (trains only).
- 4. METRO LRT lines stop at every station. METRO BRT lines stop at stations on demand and when customers are present.

#### **MAKING CONNECTIONS**

Transfer between buses and METRO lines for up to 2½ hours with your fare.

Those who try to ride without paying may be subject to a fine.

## Information: 612-373-3333

Metro Transit is the one place for all your transportation information.

## **Transit Information**

Get assistance from a transit expert.

Monday – Friday: 6:30 am – 8:00 pm Saturday: 8:00 am - 4:30 pm Sunday & Holidays: Closed

#### NexTrip

Real-time departure information.

#### **Customer Relations/Lost & Found**

570 6th Ave N, Minneapolis, MN 55411 Provide comments and suggestions or check on lost items.

Hours: Mon. - Fri., 8:00 am - 4:30 pm Closed weekends and holidays

## Lost & Found (Route 852 only)

Transdev North America 3204 Como Ave SE Minneapolis, MN 55414 | 612-278-2525

## **Commuter and bicycling programs**

For carpool/vanpool services, employer resources and bike locker rental.

Go-To Cards: Check your balance and add value.

**711** Minnesota Relay (hearing impaired)

## metrotransit.org

- NexTrip: Real-time departure times
- Trip planner and interactive map
- Printable schedules
- Go-To Cards: buy, add value, check balance
- Chat with a transit expert
- Bike and carpooling resources

## **Text for Transit Info**

Text transit questions or trip plan requests to 612-444-1161. Available only during TIC hours of operation.