



Early June 2024

Welcome to the **Better Bus Dispatch**—your up-to-date news source for Metro's **Better Bus** initiative!

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Thank You, Better Bus Heroes

Thank you to the over 6,000 people across the region for talking with us about the proposed 2025 Better Bus Network so far! We're hard at work collecting your invaluable input to update and finalize the proposed 2025 Network.

The excitement continues in June, so you still have plenty of chances to share your feedback and insights with us!





Click below for a complete listing of events or to explore the proposed 2025 Network and share your feedback online.

DISCOVER THE PROPOSED 2025 NETWORK 

Save the Date: Better Bus Discovery Days & Public Hearings

Mark your calendars to attend an event near you!

This month, Metro will host three exciting in-person Discovery Day events across the region where you can talk with Better Bus team members and discover the proposed 2025 Network. Our Better Bus team wants to hear from you.



Don't miss out! Each Discovery Day features a variety of fun, interactive activities:

- Talk with the Better Bus team team at a series of interactive stations and activities where you can discover the proposed 2025 Network and your local, neighborhood routes.
- Better Bus fun and photo ops are back by popular demand! Enjoy free fun and treats for the whole family—with photo ops, giveaways, gift card drawings, surprises, and more.

- Attend and speak at a Public Hearing from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. We are also offering two virtual Public Hearing options for those who can't make it to one of our in-person events.

Discovery Days & Public Hearings



Virginia
Wednesday, June 12, 2024
 3:00 – 7:00 p.m.
 Arlington Mill Community Center
 909 S Dinwiddie St, Arlington, VA 22204
[Map this location](#)



District of Columbia
Thursday, June 20, 2024
 3:00 – 7:00 p.m.
 Columbia Heights Education Center
 3101 16th St NW, Washington, DC 20010
[Map this location](#)



Maryland
Wednesday, June 26, 2024
 3:00 – 7:00 p.m.
 Creative Suitland Arts Center
 4719 Silver Hill Rd, Suitland-Silver Hill, MD 20746
[Map this location](#)

Virtual Public Hearings



Tuesday,
June 18, 2024
 10:00 a.m. –
 12:00 p.m.



Monday,
June 24, 2024
 4:00 – 6:00
 p.m.

All public hearings will stream live at youtube.com/MetroForward.

Visit us online to view all of our events and more information on how to register to provide testimony at an in-person or virtual Public Hearing.

[VIEW ALL EVENTS AND PUBLIC HEARING DETAILS](#)



Metrobus Changes Begin Sunday, June 16, 2024

Service changes to 31 Metrobus routes will take place Sunday, June 16, 2024. While not related to the Better Bus Network Redesign, these changes will improve on-time performance and expand service on routes with continued ridership growth to meet customer demand across the region in the immediate-term.

Highlights include:

- In the District of Columbia, adding trips and adjusting trip times on several routes in response to customer demand;
- In Maryland, extending late night service on Georgia Avenue to improve connections from Medstar Montgomery Hospital to Glenmont;
- In Virginia, adding additional Route 18P trips on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays due to continued ridership growth on express commuter service from West Springfield to the Pentagon.

Click below to see full details on the upcoming changes.

[VIEW ALL UPCOMING METROBUS SERVICE CHANGES](#)

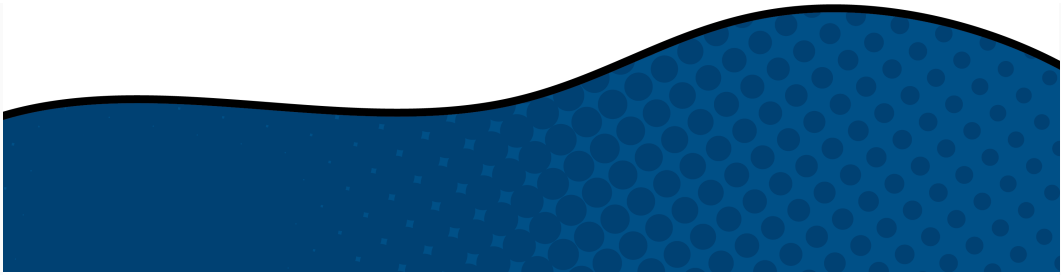


Tell a Friend About Better Bus!

Help your friends and neighbors stay up-to-date on our latest events and opportunities to share feedback! **Forward the Better Bus Dispatch to your friends and encourage them to discover the proposed 2025 Network and share their feedback.** We're glad to keep you up to date through our Better Bus Dispatch, and we hope you will bring in others to learn more about this project too.

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