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

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## Don't Miss the Deadline to Share Your Feedback!

If you haven't discovered the proposed 2025 Better Bus Network and shared your feedback yet, *it isn't too late!* You have until **5:00 p.m. July 15** to review and provide your comments on the proposed 2025 Network. We've engaged our customers in **more than 13,000 conversations** on our Discovery Tour so far this summer. We invite you to join your fellow Better Bus Heroes – explore the proposed 2025 Network and share your feedback online at [wmata.com/betterbus](https://wmata.com/betterbus) today!



**Comment on proposed routes using an interactive comment map**



**Take a survey**



**Submit written comments or upload a document**

This feedback will be used to revise the proposed 2025 Network and will be provided to Metro's Board of Directors in fall 2024 as part of the final decision-making process. Once approved, Metro will begin implementing the network in summer 2025.

Visit [wmata.com/betterbus](https://wmata.com/betterbus) for details and to provide feedback.



## It's Not Too Late to Be a Better Bus Hero!

If the Better Bus Network Redesign has showed us anything, it's that everyday heroes are all around us. We want to say thank you to those who've helped to make the bus better for everyone—and remind you there's still time to join their ranks! **Click below to celebrate how you and your neighbors have made a real difference.**



## Join Us at Metro Fest on July 27!

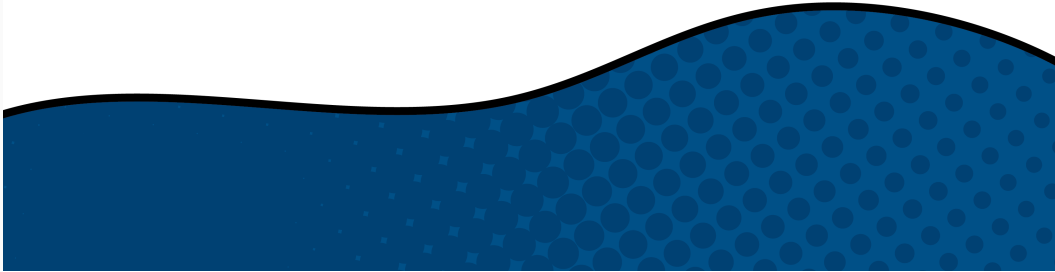


For the first time, Metro is inviting transit lovers across the region to come together for a family-friendly celebration. Metro Fest is a community event open to the public at no cost. The event will include arts and crafts, games, entertainment, snacks, water, and Metro-branded giveaways. Metro vehicles and equipment will be on-site for tours and photos (where feasible). Metro enthusiasts will have a chance to tour vehicles like the historic Rosa Parks bus, the new electric bus, Metro's fire truck, MTPD's bomb squad vehicle, track and structure equipment, and more.

Join us at Branch Avenue Metro Station on **Saturday, July 27 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.!** Metro Fest is open to all ages and will feature family-friendly activities. The event will also include tables with information about Metro programs and services.

**Attendees are asked to register in advance on Eventbrite. Click below for more information and to register to attend.**

**VIEW METRO FEST INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION**



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