

## Proposed Changes for the August, 2023 Service Change

Metropolitan Transit Authority of Harris County (METRO)

Public Hearing to be conducted on Wednesday, June 7, 2023 12:00 p.m.

## PROPOSED METRO SERVICE ADJUSTMENTS August 2023 Service Change

METRO is conducting a public hearing regarding a series of route and schedule modifications that will take place in August 2023.

The public hearing is scheduled for Wednesday, June 7, 2023 12:00 p.m. at the METRO Headquarters, 1900 Main Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Board Room.

If you would like to make a public comment in person or virtually, please register with the METRO Board office at least 48 hours in advance of the hearing. To register, please send an email to <a href="mailto:BoardOffice@RideMETRO.org">BoardOffice@RideMETRO.org</a>, or call 713-739-4834.

The public may also join the public hearing via Zoom

at <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85498229972">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85498229972</a> or by dialing: 346-248-7799 or 1-888-475-4499 (Toll Free), Meeting ID: 854 9822 9972. Participation on Zoom is only necessary if you want to provide comments during the public hearing. Otherwise, you may view a livestream of the virtual hearing online at

https://www.ridemetro.org/Pages/BoardStreamingVideo.aspx. A video recording of the hearing will also be archived on www.ridemetro.org.

Please do not hesitate to send us your comments, suggestions, or questions at (713) 635-4000 or at <a href="https://www.RideMETRO.org">www.RideMETRO.org</a>.

Thank you for riding METRO and please see the information below detailing how your specific bus and rail route **could** change in **August 2023**.

## **Schedule Adjustments**

(Schedules under development)

- **4 Beechnut 7 days/week –** Adjust the schedule to better match service with return to office/traffic conditions/workforce availability.
- **7 West Airport Weekdays –** School trips will be added in response to ridership (under review).
- **47 Hillcroft Weekdays –** School trips will be added in response to ridership (under review).
- **49 Chimney Rock/S. Post Oak Weekdays –** School trips will be added in response to ridership (under review).
- **54 Scott 7 days/week –** Adjust the schedule to better match service with return to office/traffic conditions/workforce availability.
- **60 Cambridge Weekdays -** School trips will be added in response to ridership (under review).
- **80 MLK/Lockwood 7 days/week –** Adjust the schedule to better match service with return to office/traffic conditions/workforce availability.

- **82 Westheimer 7 days/week –** Adjust the schedule to better match service with return to office/traffic conditions/workforce availability.
- **153 Harwin Express Weekdays –** School trips will be added in response to ridership (under review).
- **209 Spring/Kuykendahl Park & Ride Weekdays –** Restore midday service to / from downtown. This service would operate every 60 minutes.
- **212 Seton Lake Park & Ride Weekdays –** Restore select service between the Seton Lake Park & Ride and Downtown (See page 4 for proposed route map).
- **219 Cypress/Northwest Station/West Little York Park & Ride Weekdays –** Restore midday service to / from downtown. This service would operate every 60 minutes.
- **229 Grand Parkway/Kingsland/Addicks Park & Ride Weekdays –** Restore midday service to / from downtown. This service would operate every 60 minutes.
- **249** Bay Area / El Dorado / Fuqua / Monroe Park & Ride Weekdays Restore midday service to / from downtown. This service would operate every 60 minutes.
- **259 Kingwood / Townsen / Eastex Park & Ride Weekdays –** Restore midday service to / from downtown. This service would operate every 60 minutes.
- **269 West Bellfort/Westwood/Hillcroft Park & Ride Weekdays –** Add midday service to / from downtown. This service would operate every 60 minutes.
- **344 Acres Homes curb2curb Weekdays –** School trips will be added in response to ridership (under review).
- **Park and Ride corridors serving Downtown Weekdays -** Adjust the schedule to better match service with return to office/traffic conditions/workforce availability.
- In addition to these listed routes, METRO will continue to make temporary schedule adjustments in response to social distancing, ridership conditions, and workforce availability.

## 212 Seton Lake Park & Ride - Proposed Route

