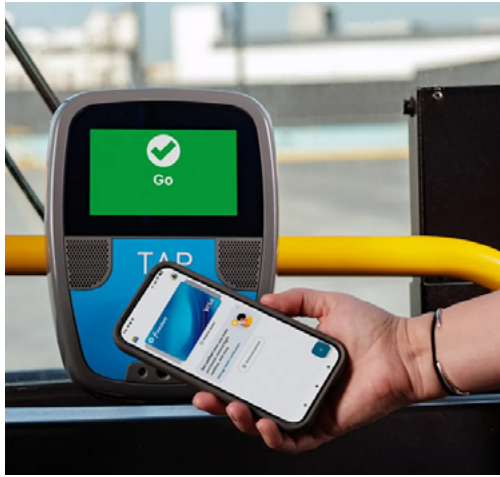


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Paying to Ride Just Got Easier



Regular fare riders on Metro can now pay their fare simply by tapping a credit or debit card—plastic or digital—at TAP validators on buses and Metro Rail stations. This includes **25 local transit agencies** that participate in TAP. (LADOT will add this feature at a later date.)

TAP cards will remain a valid form of payment, and cash fare will continue to be accepted on Metro buses.

Paying with a credit or debit card for reduced-fare riders is expected to be added in early 2027. If you're paying reduced fare, continue to use your TAP card until then.

Other Southern California transit providers that allow riders to tap a credit card to board include OC Bus, RTA, select Ventura County buses and the Metrolink San Bernardino Line and Arrow trains.

Find out more at thesource.metro.net.

Catch the OC Fair Express

The **OC Fair Express** runs Saturdays and Sundays, July 17 to Aug. 16, dropping off riders directly at the fairgrounds in Costa Mesa. Fares are \$2 each way, and youth 18 and under ride for free. You can purchase tickets using the OC Bus mobile app or directly when you board.

The OC Fair Express departs from locations in Anaheim, Fullerton, Huntington Beach, Irvine, Laguna Hills and the Santa Ana Regional Transportation Center. Buses run every 30 minutes.



Stay on Top of Ventura County Bus Updates

Get real-time service information for Ventura County buses, including delays, detours, and route updates. You can also track buses live. Visit govcbus.com for live updates and tracking.

Transit Deals and Discounts



Ride RTA for a Quarter

Now through Aug. 31, you can **ride Riverside Transit Agency (RTA) buses for only 25 cents**. The discount rate applies on all fixed-route buses and **GoMicro shuttles** daily.

Riders can pay cash upon boarding. They can also purchase a 10-pack ride pass for \$2.50 using the **GoMobile app**.



National Rural Transit Day

National Rural Transit Day is July 16. The day focuses on the importance of providing transit options for people living in rural areas as well as urban communities. To celebrate the day in San Bernardino County, rides will be free on Victor Valley Transit Authority (VVTA), Mountain Transit, Basin Transit and Needles Area Transit.



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