



RIVERSIDE TRANSIT AGENCY

FACTS AT A GLANCE

2019-2020

The Riverside Transit Agency has served western Riverside County since 1977.

KEY FACTS

AGENCY

- Service area: 2,500 square miles, among the largest in the nation
- FY20 operating budget: \$92 million
- FY20 capital budget: \$42 million
- RTA's service consists of 39 local fixed routes, eight commuter routes, and senior and disabled Dial-A-Ride service
- FY19 boardings: 8.7 million
- FY19 average weekday boardings: 28,900
- FY19 average weekend boardings: 12,200

FLEET

- Fixed-route buses: 224
- Dial-A-Ride vehicles: 110
- FY19 annual vehicle revenue hours: 880,500
- FY19 annual miles travelled: 16.5 million



HOW TO CONTACT RTA

Main Office: (951) 565-5000

Route/Schedule Info: (951) 565-5002

Website: RiversideTransit.com

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

RTA's Board of Directors is comprised of 22 elected officials from 18 cities and four members of the Riverside County Board of Supervisors.

SERVICE FEATURES

- Free Wi-Fi service on all buses
- USB charging ports
- BusWatch technology pinpoints bus location and arrival time
- Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) bus fleet
- Plush seating and luggage racks on CommuterLink express buses
- Solar-lighted bus stops at selected locations
- Automated stop announcing system
- Vehicles equipped with GPS
- Low-floor buses
- 100 percent wheelchair accessible
- Dual bike racks
- Electronic fareboxes
- Security cameras

NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES

Coach Operators	325
Maintenance Employees	70
Administrative Staff	126
Contract Employees.....	306
Total	827

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION FACTS

Here are a few examples of how public transportation benefits individuals, families, businesses, industries and communities.

- A household can save nearly \$10,000 by taking public transportation and living with one less car.
- People board public transportation 34 million times each weekday.
- Since 1997, public transportation ridership has increased by 21 percent, which is higher than the 19 percent increase in U.S. population.
- The average household spends 16 cents of every dollar on transportation, and 93 percent of this goes to buying, maintaining, and operating cars, the largest expenditure after housing.
- A person can reduce their chance of being in an accident by more than 90 percent simply by taking public transit instead of driving a car.

SOURCE: AMERICAN PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION ASSOCIATION (APTA)

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