

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Change of Public Hearing Date, Extension of the Public Comment Period for the Proposed Discontinuation of the Unlimited RTC ADA Paratransit Monthly Pass and the Inclusion of a Proposed Consolidation of Paratransit Fares Public Comment Period and Public Meeting

The Regional Transportation Commission of Southern Nevada (RTC) is proposing the discontinuation of RTC ADA Paratransit Unlimited Monthly Pass and consolidation of paratransit fares.

The RTC, like many agencies, has been deeply impacted by the economic downturn. Revenues that fund paratransit service have declined in recent years while demand for service has skyrocketed 30 percent during the same timeframe creating additional costs to the RTC.

In order to comply with ADA regulations, the RTC must manage demand with declining revenues. To help manage demand, the RTC is proposing to eliminate the Unlimited RTC ADA Paratransit Monthly Pass and consolidate the existing fare structure to a flat \$3 fare per ride.

The proposed paratransit fare consolidation to \$3 and the proposed discontinuation of the Unlimited RTC ADA Paratransit Monthly Pass would take effect Sunday, January 1, 2012.

Changes to the Public Meeting

A public meeting will take place on Wednesday, August 31, 2011, from 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m. at the Transportation Access Advisory Committee (TAAC) meeting to be held at the RTC, 600 South Grand Central Parkway, Room 108, Las Vegas, Nevada 89106. The previously advertised public hearing scheduled for Wednesday, July 27, 2011 has been rescheduled for Wednesday, August 31, 2011.

Extended Comment Period

Comments regarding the discontinuation of the Unlimited RTC ADA Paratransit Monthly Pass which began accepting comments on June 22, 2011 will continue to be accepted through August 31, 2011. Comments on the proposed paratransit fare consolidation will be accepted from Monday, August 1, 2011 through Wednesday, August 31, 2011, via e-mail to diaz@rtcnsnv.com, telephone at (702) 676-1558, fax at (702) 676-1589, online at rtcnsnv.com and via USPS mail to RTC, 600 S. Grand Central Parkway, Suite 350, Las Vegas, Nevada 89106-4512, Attention: Transit Special Services/30-day Pass and Fare Consolidation

Comments can be made in person at the following locations:

Bonneville Transit Center
101 E. Bonneville Avenue
Las Vegas, NV 89106
7 a.m. – 6 p.m.
7 days a week

RTC Administration Building
600 S. Grand Central Parkway
Las Vegas, NV 89106
7 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Monday - Thursday

For additional information

Visit rtcnsnv.com or call (702) 676-1606, TDD (702) 676-1834.

Please call at least 48 hours before the scheduled meeting to request a Spanish or sign-language interpreter at no cost to you.

