



MEDIA ADVISORY

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Public encouraged to attend proposed spring system changes meetings *Meetings scheduled for February 7, 8 and 9*

NASHVILLE – Three public meetings regarding proposed improvements and adjustments for the Nashville Metropolitan Transit Authority (MTA) and Regional Transportation Authority of Middle Tennessee (RTA) biannual system changes will be held on February 7, 8 and 9.

Adjustments are being proposed for MTA routes 19 Herman, 26 Gallatin Pike and 56 Gallatin Pike BRT lite. A new route, 77 Thompson Connector, is being proposed between the 100 Oaks area and Murfreesboro Pike. Also, time adjustments are being considered for routes 22 Bordeaux, 42 St. Cecilia/Cumberland and 76 Madison Connector. For the RTA, a new stop at Bicentennial Mall in the afternoon will be proposed for routes 88X Dickson Express and 95X Spring Hill Express.

Listed below are the locations and times for the public meetings and the bus routes that serve the meeting location.

<u>Location</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>
Music City Central (Community Meeting Room) 400 Charlotte Ave. <i>(All bus routes except 21, 72 & 76)</i>	Tuesday Feb. 7	4:30 p.m. to 6 p.m.
Music City Central (Community Meeting Room) 400 Charlotte Ave. <i>(All bus routes except 21, 72 & 76)</i>	Wednesday Feb. 8	11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Kroger Training Center (Conference Room) Willowbrook Commons 55 E. Thompson Lane, Suite 100	Thursday Feb. 9	5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

For the Feb. 9 meeting, free shuttles will operate from the outbound BRT lite stations on Nolensville Pike at Thompson Lane and at Murfreesboro Pike and Thompson Lane. These continuous shuttles will begin operating at 4:30 p.m. and run approximately every 20 minutes until the meeting begins and will depart from Kroger to these same BRT lite stops at the conclusion of the meeting.

More details regarding the proposed changes will be available later online at nashvillemta.org and also will be available at the public meetings.

The public is encouraged to attend any of the three scheduled meetings. If unable to attend, comments may be submitted to the MTA Planning Department, Attn: Public Meeting Comments, 430 Myatt Drive, Nashville, TN 37115; fax comments to (615) 862-6208; call Customer Care at (615) 862-5950; or email comments to mta.publicmeetings@nashville.gov through February 13, 2017. Attendance at the meetings is not required in order to comment.

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