



Hello ETCs,

Metro has an exciting new change that will benefit your employees who use Metro bus or rail. Starting July 1, Metro is introducing fare capping, which means “the more you ride, the more you will save,” and frequent riders will benefit the most. These new fares are easy to use, equitable, and sustainable.

Metro has designed new brochures detailing the fare changes. Please use the attached form to order new brochures to update your transit display racks and rideshare bulletin board. [Metro Timetables and Brochures Order Form.](#)

We also encourage you to share this news – here is a **sample email you can cut/paste and eblast to your employees:**

Metro is simplifying how you pay, and the new fares take effect Saturday, July 1.

Metro is introducing fare capping, which means the more you ride, the more you’ll save. You won’t pay more than \$5 in a day or \$18 within seven days, and once you reach the 1-day or 7-day fare cap, rides are free. This is less than the regular price of Metro’s regular 1-day and 7-day passes, which will no longer be sold.

The new fares are easy to use, equitable, sustainable, and benefit frequent riders the most. To take advantage of fare capping you need to pay the fare with a TAP card.

How it works:

- Load store value (money) on your TAP card to pay per ride.
- When you tap on the bus fareboxes or TAP validators at rail stations, the display will show how much store value is being deducted.
- Once you reach the 1-day or 7-day cap, your rides are free!
- Your current TAP card will continue to work.

Fares are also changing for reduced fare seniors, persons with disabilities, students and LIFE riders, [you can learn more about those fare changes and how fare capping works here.](#)