



BUSES: BETTER THAN METRO

It's no secret: Supervisor Delgaudio has always supported buses as Loudoun County's best option for public transit.

Buses are one of the most versatile and cost-effective modes of public transportation. Why should we wait for Metro when we already have express buses into DC that are significantly faster than Metro? Here in Sterling, we enjoy the benefits of two types of bus service: local and commuter.

Virginia Regional Transit (VRT)

Local bus service runs within Loudoun County and is operated by Virginia Regional Transit (VRT). Routes include the 7 on 7 to 7 (Sterling – Leesburg), the Herndon Monroe Express (Herndon – Dulles Town Center), the Sugarland Run Connector, and the Sterling Connector. The best part is that each ride costs only 50 cents.

For more information on local routes and schedules, please visit the VRT website at: www.vatransit.org.

Park & Rides

Loudoun County Transit runs commuter coach buses from designated Park & Ride lots into West Falls Church, Tyson's Corner, Rosslyn, the Pentagon, Crystal City, and DC. The buses are comfortable, the fares are reasonable, and the parking is FREE.

Eastern Loudoun Park & Ride Lots to West Falls Church Metro Station

A one-way fare (\$2 with a SmarTrip Card, \$2.50 cash) buys you a trip in an air conditioned bus with cushioned, reclining seats. Right now, there are 3 Park & Ride locations in Sterling:

- Lowes Island Great Falls Plaza: Algonkian Pkwy. & Lowes Island Blvd. in Sterling
- Our Lady of Hope Catholic Church: 46639 Algonkian Pkwy. in Sterling
- Cascades at Community Lutheran Church: 21014 Whitfield Pl. in Sterling

Eastern Loudoun Park & Ride Lots to DC

A one-way fare (\$7 with a SmarTrip Card, \$8 cash) buys you a direct express ticket into town with stops at more than two dozen locations in and around Downtown DC. In eastern Loudoun, park at:

- Dulles North Transit Center: Old Ox Rd. & Moran Rd. in Ashburn

For more information on commuter bus routes and schedules, please visit the Office of Transportation Services at www.loudoun.gov.

Future Park & Ride Lots

Supervisor Delgaudio is dedicated to helping the people of Sterling spend less time on the road and more time with their families. Another Park & Ride lot is planned at Dulles Town Center, and Supervisor Delgaudio would like your help to bring an additional Park & Ride to Sterling.

Please fill out the Park & Ride Survey in this newsletter to let us know if you are interested in another Park & Ride lot in Sterling.