
COTA Reroutes Due to Capital City Half Marathon This Weekend & May Service Change on Monday

COLUMBUS, OH—Central Ohio Transit Authority (COTA) customers should expect major delays and reroutes due to the Capital City Half Marathon this weekend. Phase I Reroutes will begin Fri., April 29 at 6 p.m. and last into early Saturday morning. Phase II reroutes will begin early morning on Sat., April 30, and will last through the afternoon of Sat., April 30.

Phase I: On Fri., April 29, road closures will begin at approximately 6 p.m.
Lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 15, 16, 18, 37, 40 & CBUS will be impacted by closures.

Phase 2: On Sat., April 30, all transfer operations will be held at E. Broad St. & Grant Ave., as much of the Downtown area is closed. Reroutes will impact ALL lines operating in the downtown area.

Detailed information about COTA reroutes during the Capital City Half Marathon is available at COTA.com/alerts, or call COTA Customer Service at (614) 228-1776. COTA apologizes for any inconvenience and appreciates your patience during delays and reroutes.

May Service Changes Occur on Mon., May 2

COTA's May 2016 Service Change takes effect on Mon., May 2. To learn more about the changes, visit COTA.com/ServiceChanges.

Lines affected by the May Service Change include:

COTA AirConnect	#10 E. Broad
#1 Cleveland	#13 US-33/Watermark
#1 Livingston	#18 OSU/Kenny
#2 E. Main	#19 Arlington/Grandview
#2 N. High	#27 Brooksedge
#2L Crosswoods/Polaris	#39 New Albany
#3 Northwest Blvd.	#40 New Albany Business Park
#3 W. Mound	#52 OSU/Airport
#6 Mt. Vernon	#82 Grandview/OSU
#8 Frebis	#83 Oakland/Weber
#8 Hamilton	#89 Hamilton Rd.
#9 Leonard/Brentnell	#92 James/Stelzer

COTA makes improvements to its service three times a year in January, May and September. COTA's ongoing expansion program includes adding service hours in 2016. Service expansion includes service to new destinations, increased frequency of service on existing routes, and increased spans of service. Visit COTA.com/servicechanges to view the May 2016 Service Change book.

For more information please visit COTA.com or contact COTA at (614) 228-1776.

COTA AirConnect Begins Operating on Mon., May 2
Simple Just Pulled Up. Downtown. Airport. Done.

Beginning Mon., May 2, COTA will begin operating direct bus service between Downtown and the Port Columbus International Airport. COTA AirConnect will arrive at designated stops in Downtown and at the airport every 30 minutes between 6 a.m. and 9 p.m., seven days a week. The route will travel through Downtown to pick up passengers, with a focus on servicing hotels and the convention center. When COTA AirConnect arrives at the airport the bus will drop passengers off at Departures, then pick new passengers up at Arrivals.

COTA AirConnect buses are specially braded so passengers will easily recognize them. On-board features include luggage racks and USB charging ports.

A one-way COTA AirConnect trip costs only \$2.75. Tickets may be purchased at COTA ticket vending machines in Downtown and at the COTA shelter on the Arrivals level at the airport. Passengers may also pay with exact change when boarding the bus.

Visit COTA.com/AirConnect.

All interested people are encouraged to attend and participate. Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, disability or familial status.

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The Central Ohio Transit Authority (COTA) is the regional public transit provider for greater Columbus and central Ohio. With a service area of 1.2 million residents, COTA employs more than 950 people, and provided more than 19 million passenger trips in 2015. COTA operates throughout Franklin County, and parts of Delaware, Fairfield, Licking and Union counties. For more information about COTA, visit COTA.com or call (614) 228-1776.



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