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Take COTA to the Columbus Arts Festival

COTA is the Official Transportation Sponsor of the Columbus Arts Festival

COLUMBUS, OH—Don't want to drive to the Columbus Arts Festival and hassle with parking? It's easy to get there by bus with the Central Ohio Transit Authority (COTA), the Official Transportation Sponsor of the Columbus Arts Festival.

The 2016 Columbus Arts Festival takes place at the Downtown Riverfront on June 10, 11 & 12. Festival patrons can explore the best routes to get to the festival at COTA.com or download Transit App on their phones for real-time information about COTA routes. Local fares are \$2, or buy a Day Pass for \$4.50. Only cash is accepted on the buses, and drivers do not make change.

Once you're Downtown, catch the CBUS®. This free Downtown circulator travels from the Brewery District, through Downtown, to the Short North Arts District and back again. For more information and stop locations, visit COTA.com/CBUS.

The Columbus Arts Festival will feature art from more than 300 notable local, national and international artists, along with continuous live entertainment, gourmet food and hands-on art activities for all ages.

Festival Hours: Friday, June 10 and Saturday, June 11 from 11 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.; and Sunday, June 12 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For more information on the Columbus Arts Festival, visit www.columbusartsfestival.org.

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

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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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