

FORT BEND TRANSIT

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FORT BEND TRANSIT PARTNERS WITH H-GAC FREE FARE FRIDAYS IN SEPTEMBER

Rosenberg, TX – August 29, 2025: Fort Bend County Commissioners Court approved free fares for Fort Bend Transit services on August 26, 2025, in support of Ozone Action Month. Fort Bend Transit (FBT), in partnership with the Houston-Galveston Area Council's (H-GAC) Commute Solutions program, is excited to announce the launch of Free Fare Fridays throughout the month of September.

September is historically one of the worst months for air quality in our region. With this initiative, Fort Bend Transit and H-GAC are encouraging the community to take action and help improve air quality, one ride at a time. "We are challenging our community to ride Fort Bend Transit and help us improve the air in our neighborhoods," said Perri D'Armond, Fort Bend Transit Director. "By choosing transit, even one day a week, we can all play a role in making it easier to breathe and keep our community healthier."



All Fort Bend Transit services, including Commuter and Demand Response service, will be offered at no cost to riders each Friday in September. The goal is to encourage more residents to experience the benefits of public transit while contributing to cleaner air and reduced traffic congestion. For more information on routes and schedules, visit our website at www.fortbendtransit.org. For more information on how riding transit supports better air quality, please visit H-GAC's website at yourcommutesolution.org/breathe.

In 2005, the Fort Bend County Commissioners Court approved the creation of the Fort Bend County Public Transportation Department, now known as Fort Bend Transit, or FBT. FBT's mission is to connect communities with a smarter way to travel.

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