

# Transit 101

*A special presentation for people who live or work in West Seattle, South Park, or Georgetown.*



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# Local Transit Options



Metro Bus



West Seattle Water Taxi



Sound Transit Express Bus



ST Link Light Rail



Seattle Streetcar

# Metro Bus

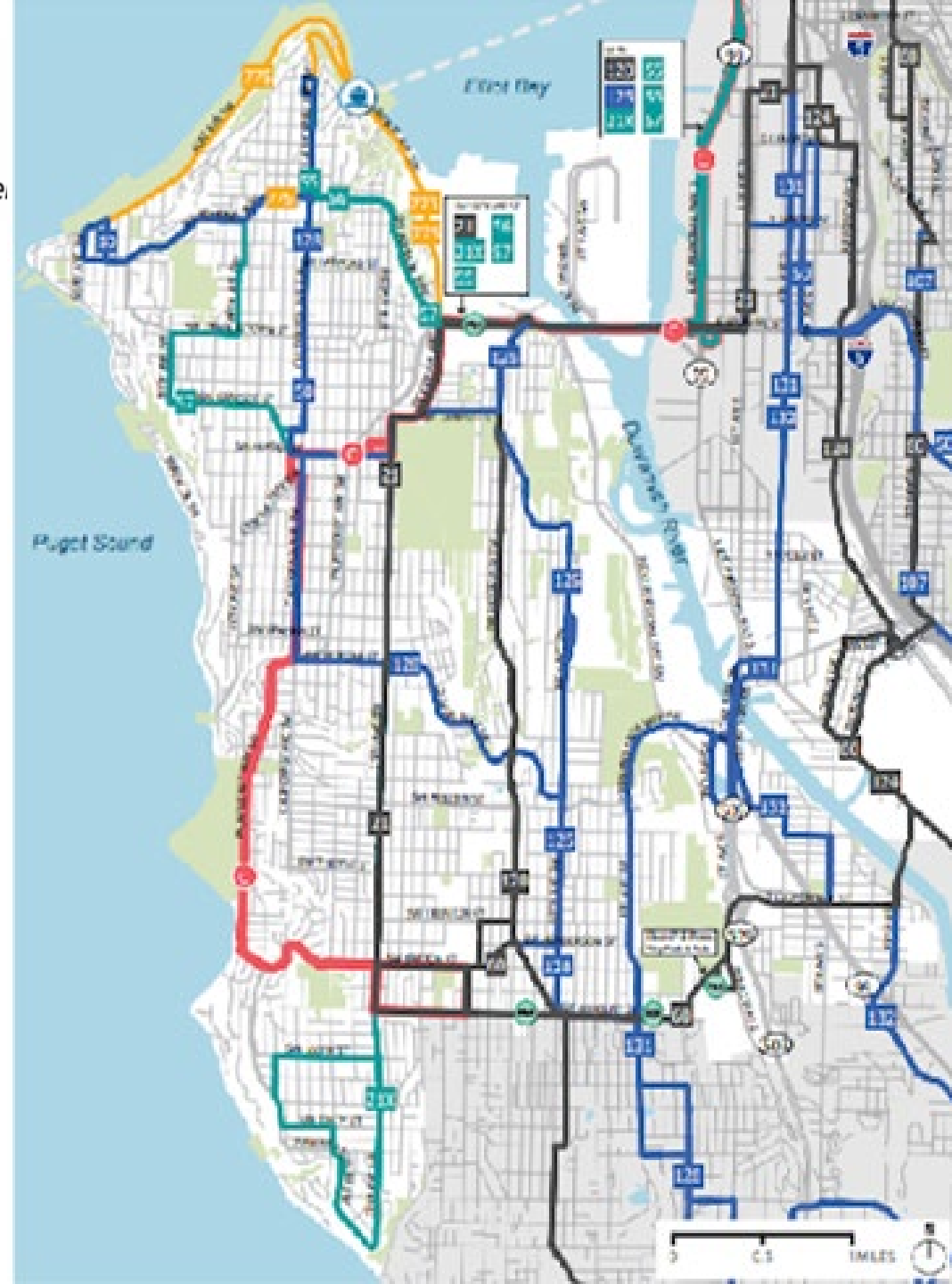


There are over 20 transit routes in West Seattle, South Park, and Georgetown.

- RapidRide C Line
- Metro Transit Buses
- West Seattle Water Taxi
- Sound Transit Express Bus

These connect to even more transit options!

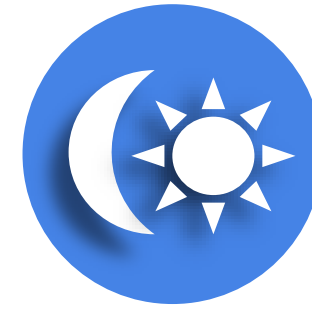
- Link Light Rail
- Seattle Streetcar



# RAPIDRIDE



Every 10 minutes



Late night/early morning



7 days a week



## The C Line

- Westwood Village
- Fautleroy
- Alaska Junction
- Downtown Seattle
- South Lake Union



Bike or walk to extend your trip

# Sound Transit Express Bus



## ST Route 560



- Westwood Village
- Sea-Tac Airport
- Renton
- Bellevue



# West Seattle Water Taxi



- Ride from Seacrest Park to Pier 50 Downtown



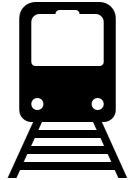
- FREE Shuttles available
  - Route 773 (via Alaska & Avalon)
  - Route 775 (via Admiral & Alki)



- Bike rack on board
- Dogs now allowed on board!



# Link Light Rail



- Link Light Rail connects to 19 light rail stations

- Accessible by Metro transit
  - West Seattle (21, 50, 125, 131/132)
  - South Park & Georgetown (60, 124, 131/132)

- Accessible by bicycle, scooter or rideshare

# Seattle Streetcar



- Accessible connection from transit hubs to destinations



- South Lake Union Street Car
- First Hill Street Car

- Pioneer Square
- International District
- Central District
- First Hill
- Capitol Hill





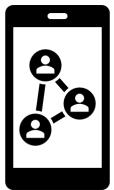
# How to Plan Your Trip



- Trip planning can be done online.



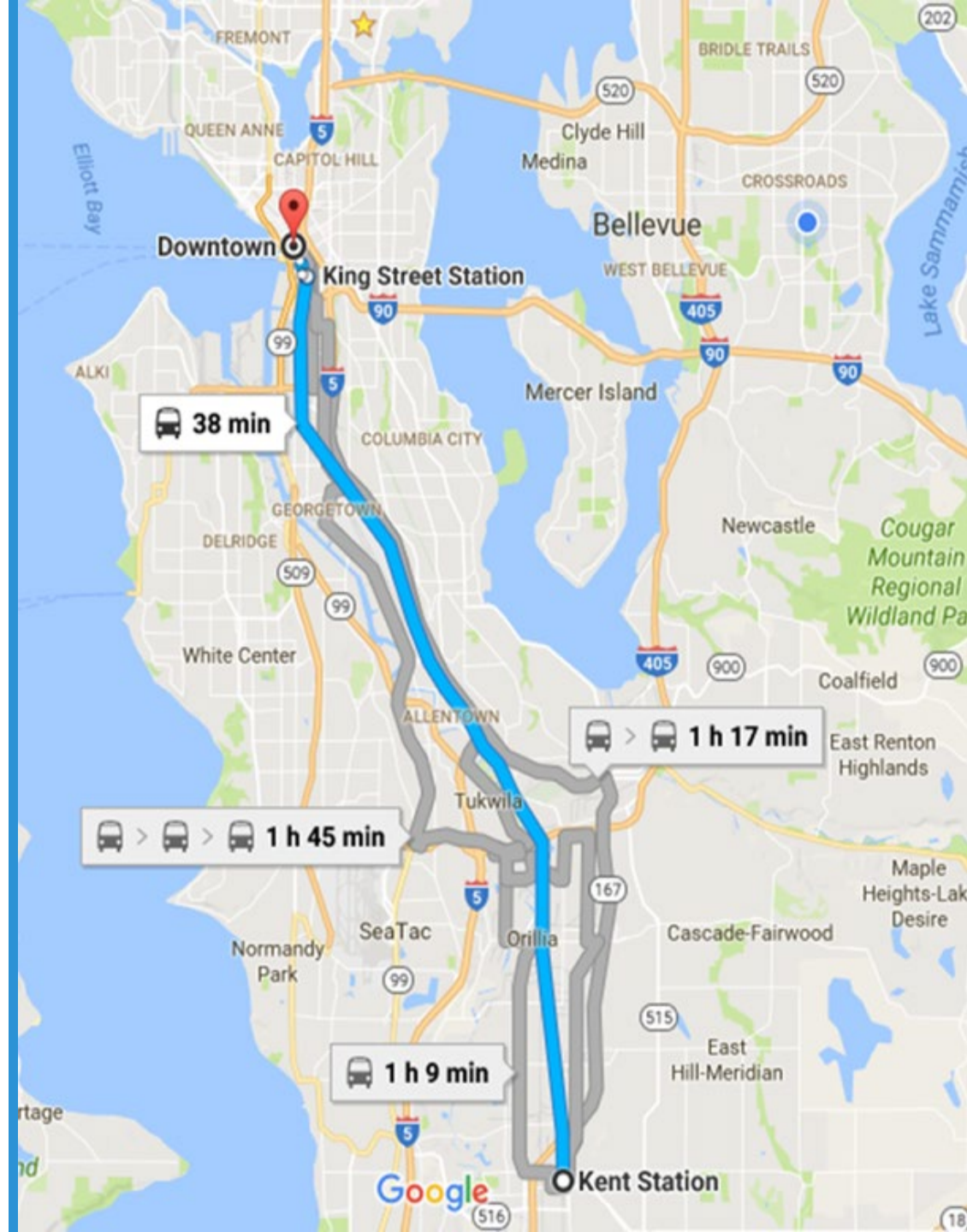
- Personal assistance is available from the Flip Your Trip Team, Hopelink and local transit agencies.



- Several smartphone apps can help plan trips.

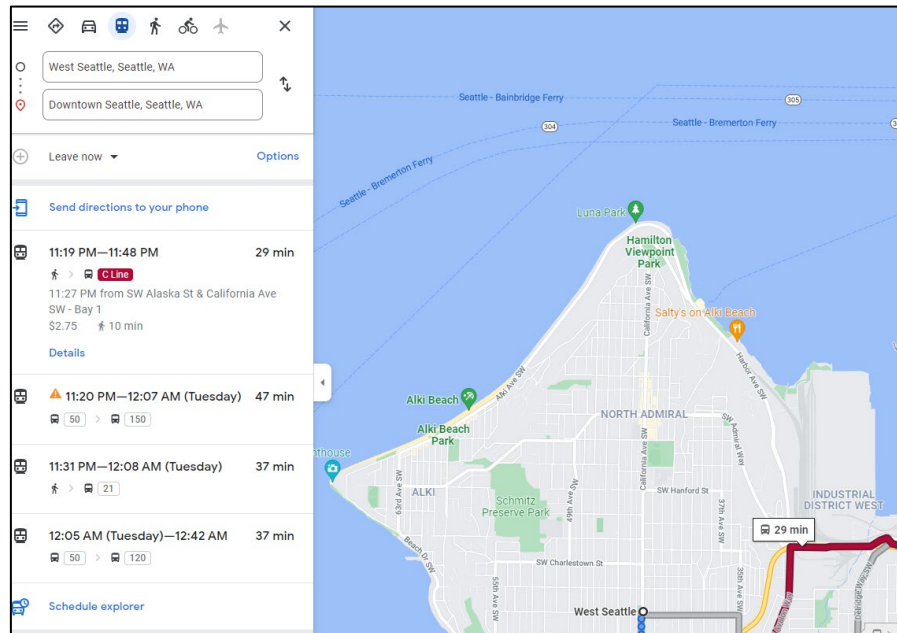


- Timetables can be found on buses, city halls, libraries and other social service locations.



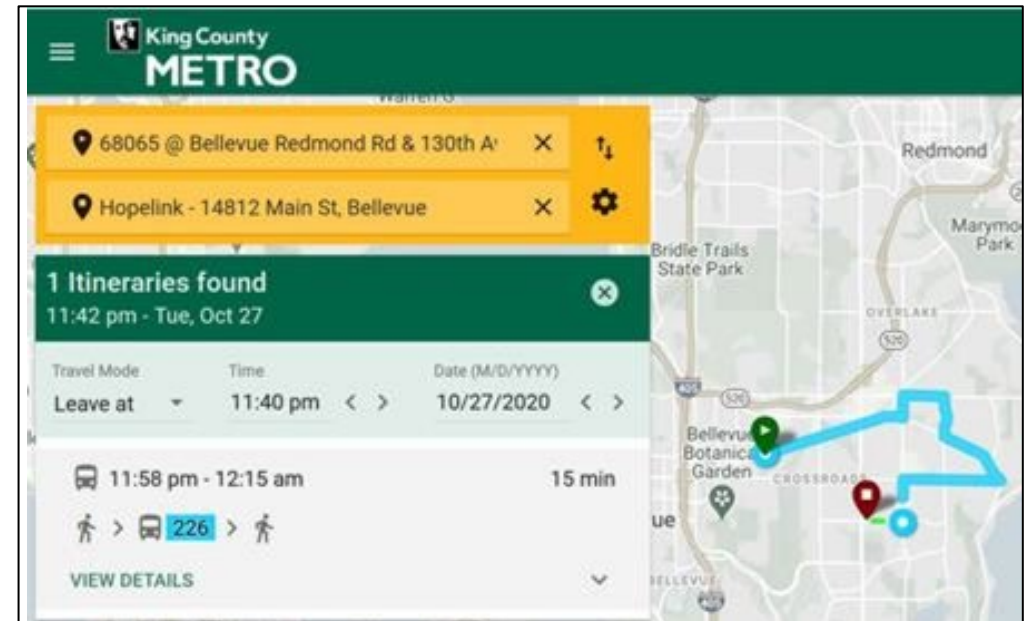
# Google Maps

- Enter trip details: origin, destination, timing
- Best for
  - planning longer rides
  - showing multiple route options
  - using multiple mode of transit



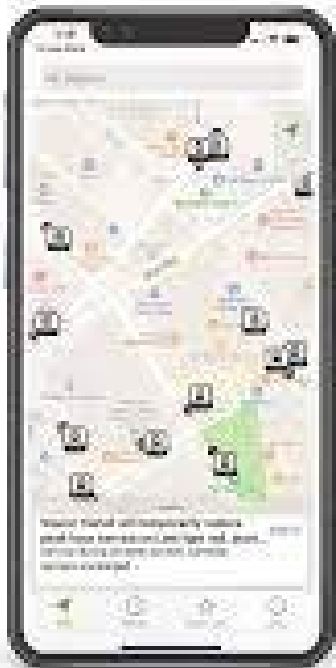
# Metro Trip Planner

- Enter trip details: origin, destination, timing
- For neighborhood and local trips, as results are limited to Metro routes



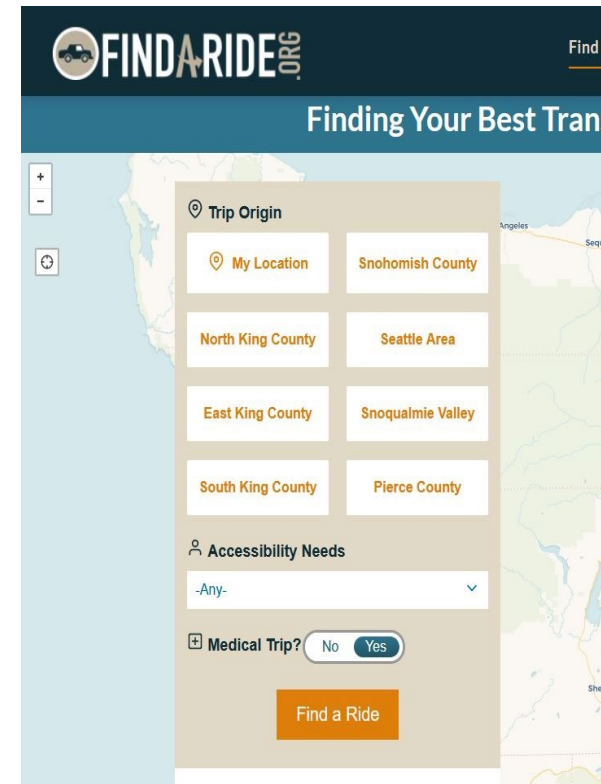
# One Bus Away app

- Check on real-time bus location and schedules
- Check when your next bus is coming!



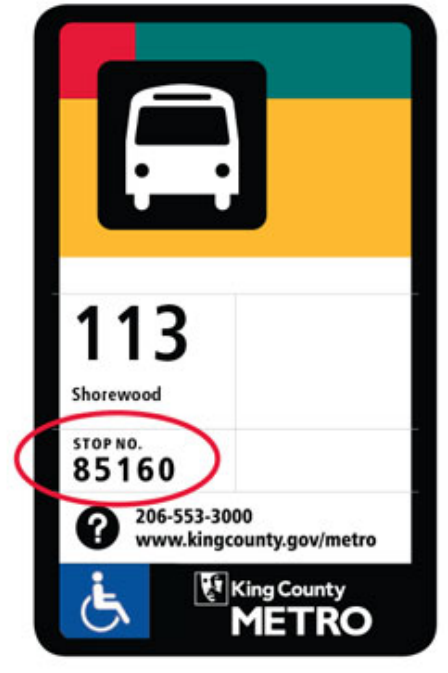
# FindaRide.org

- Includes specialized trip services
- Travel between county to county
- List of travel tools



# When is the next bus coming?

- Text your stop ID to 62550
- The stop ID number is found posted on the signage at nearly every bus top.
- You will receive with upcoming route numbers and times.
- Data rates may apply.
- You can also call 206-553-3000 for this information.





# The Flip Your Trip team can create a trip plan for you!

**Trip Planning Assistance**

Not sure how you can flip your trip? We can help!

Fill out the information below to schedule a short personalized trip planning assistance e-mail, video or phone call with one Sal's team of neighborhood navigators.

 [stephaniefrans@altaplanning.com](mailto:stephaniefrans@altaplanning.com) (not shared) [Switch account](#)  Draft restored

\* Required

What is your first and last name? \*

Your answer \_\_\_\_\_

What is your email address? \*

Your answer \_\_\_\_\_

Where is your trip starting from? Please share the address of your starting location or the nearest cross street. \*

Your answer \_\_\_\_\_

Go to [bit.ly/FYT\\_TripPlan](https://bit.ly/FYT_TripPlan)

Trip planning support is available in the following languages

- English
- Español
- Soomaali
- Afaan Oromoo
- Tiếng Việt
- 简体中文
- 繁体中文
- 한국인
- ἱεῖ



# Hopelink Transportation Resource Line

- Provides one-on-one support in finding unique transportation options that fit clients' needs.
- Helps clients navigate public transportation routes and provide individualized trip plans.
- Open from 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM, Monday through Friday.
- **Phone:** 425-943-6760, Extension 2
- **Email:** [mobility@hopelink.org](mailto:mobility@hopelink.org)



# Interpreter Services for Trip Planning and Transit Questions

## **King County Metro Interpreter**

Call 206-553-3000

Press 1 to request an interpreter

State your language

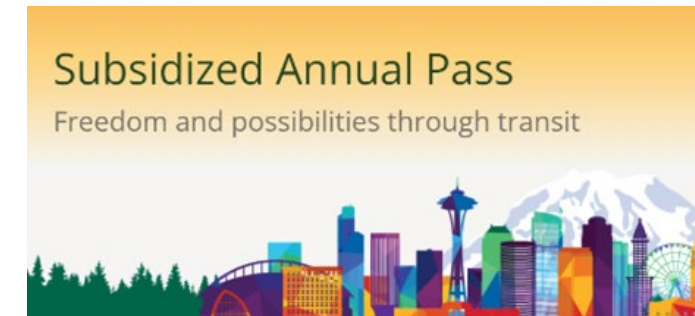
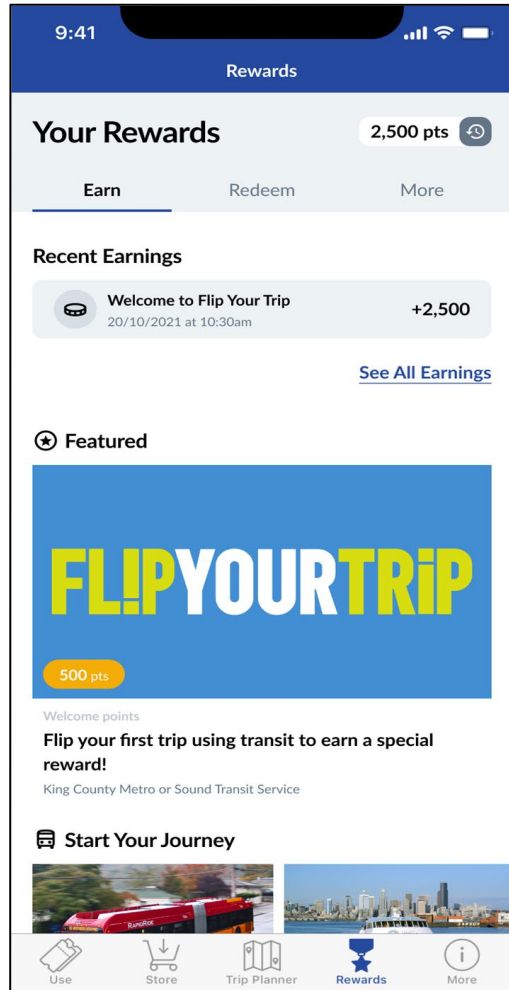
## **Sound Transit Interpreter**

Call 1 (800) 823-9230

State your language

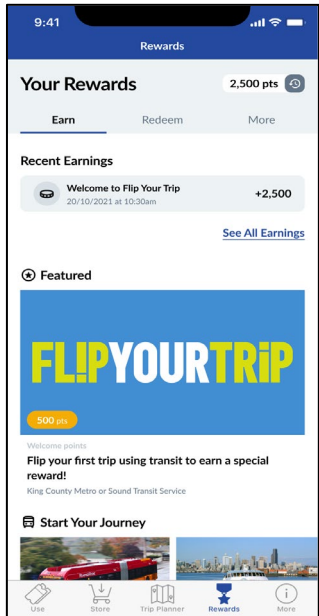


# How to Pay for Your Trip





# There are two ways to access your \$25 in free rides from Flip Your Trip



## Transit GO Ticket app

- ✓ Free app
- ✓ Android or iPhone
- ✓ Includes scooters
- ✓ Earn points



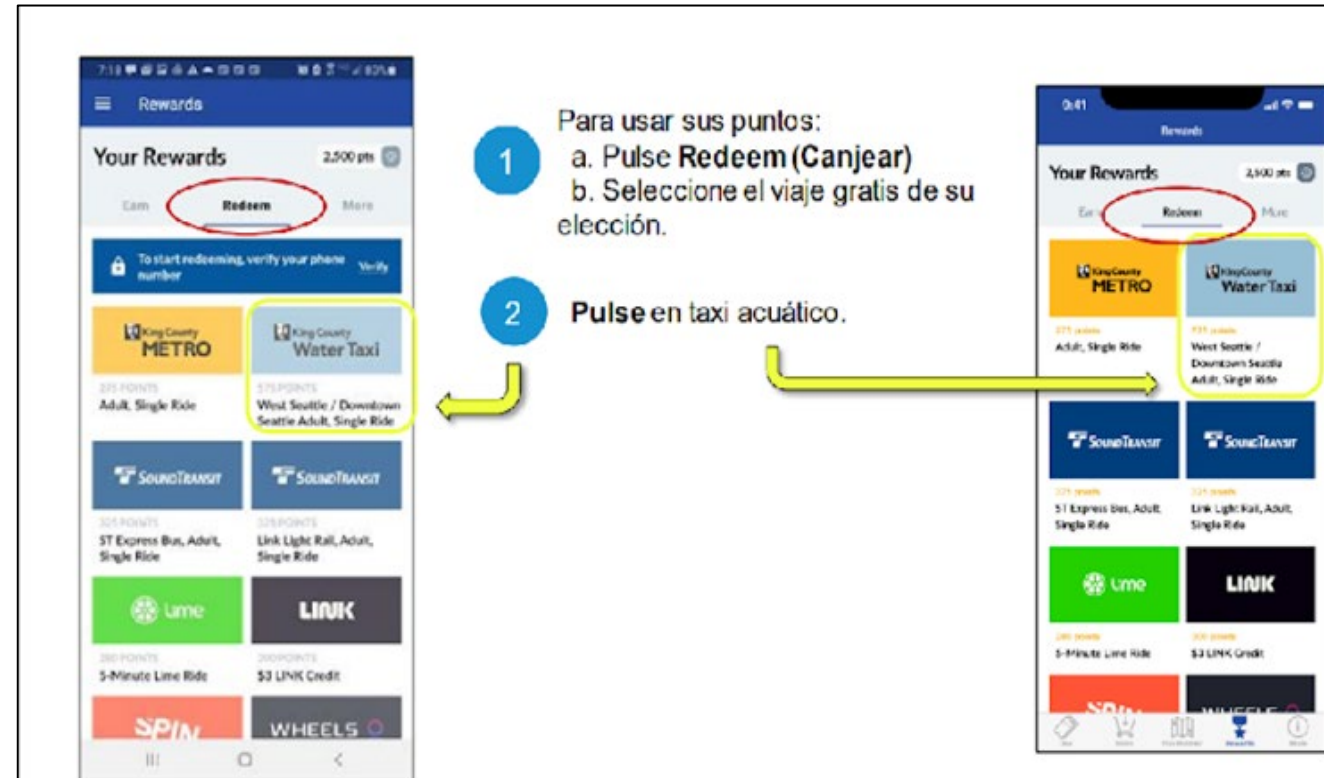
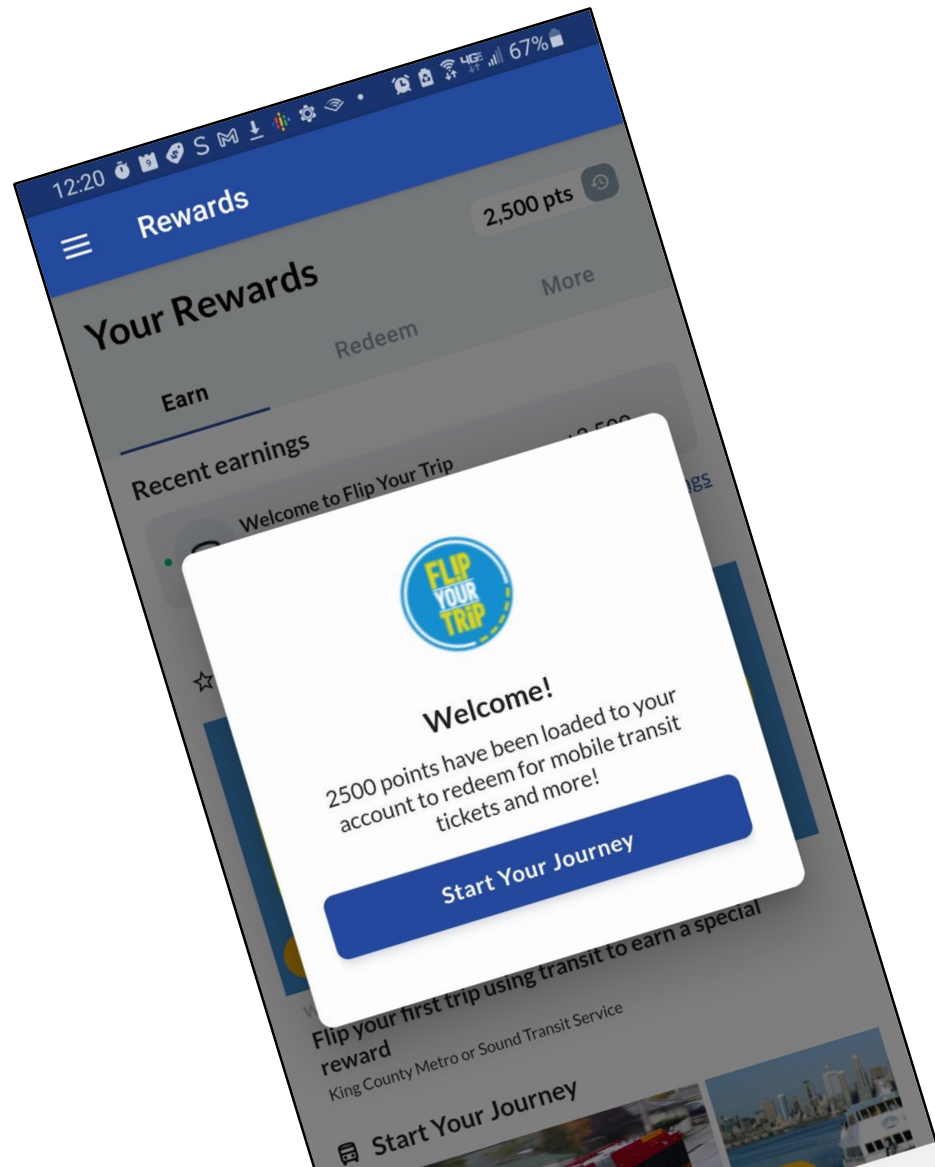
## ORCA card option

- ✓ No smartphone
- ✓ No data plan
- ✓ Trouble with apps
- ✓ Existing reduced fare cards
- ✓ Transfer between routes

# Transit GO Ticket App

A step-by-step guide is available online to help you use the app.

[https://bit.ly/TGT\\_Guide](https://bit.ly/TGT_Guide)



1 Para usar sus puntos:  
a. Pulse **Redeem** (Canjear)  
b. Seleccione el viaje gratis de su elección.

2 Pulse en taxi acuático.

# ORCA card

- Easy-to-use regional transit pass
- New cards cost \$5.
- Funds can be added easily.
- Funds never expire.
- You can transfer between different buses and agencies.
- You can pay by the trip or set up an unlimited monthly account



# ORCA fares

Sample one-way fares

	<b>Adult ORCA</b>	<b>Youth ORCA</b>	<b>ORCA LIFT</b>	<b>RRFP</b> Reduced Regional Fare Permit	<b>RRFP</b> Reduced Regional Fare Permit	<b>Subsidized annual pass</b>
	Adults ages 19 - 64	Youth ages 6 - 18	At or below 200% Federal Poverty Level	Senior ages 65+	Disability or Medicare	Some state benefit programs
<b>Metro Bus</b>	\$2.75	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$0
<b>Light Rail</b> SODO to Downtown	\$2.25	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$0
<b>West Seattle Water Taxi</b>	\$5.75	\$5.75	\$3.75	\$2.50	\$2.50	\$0

# Reduced Fare Options

## Reduced Regional Fare Permit (RRFP)

- Seniors age 65+
- People with disabilities
- People on Medicare
- For applications and instructions go to <https://reducedfare.kingcounty.gov/en-US/>



## Sample fares

- Metro bus, Sound Transit Bus, Link Light Rail = \$1.00
- West Seattle Water Taxi = \$3.75

**You can add your \$25 to a registered RRFP card**

# Reduced Fare Options

## ORCA Lift

- Income is at or below 200% of the Federal Poverty Level
- For applications and instructions go to <https://reducedfare.kingcounty.gov/en-US/>

## Sample fares

- Metro bus, Sound Transit Bus, Link Light Rail = \$1.00
- West Seattle Water Taxi = \$3.75

**You can add your \$25 to an registered ORCA LIFT card**



# Subsidized Annual Pass

You are eligible if you participate in any of the following programs

- Temporary Assistance for Families (TANF)
- Refugee Cash Assistance (RCA)
- Aged, Blind or Disabled Cash Assistance (ABD)
- Pregnant Women Assistance (PWA)
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Housing & Essential Needs (HEN)

For applications and instructions go to <https://bit.ly/SubAnnPass>

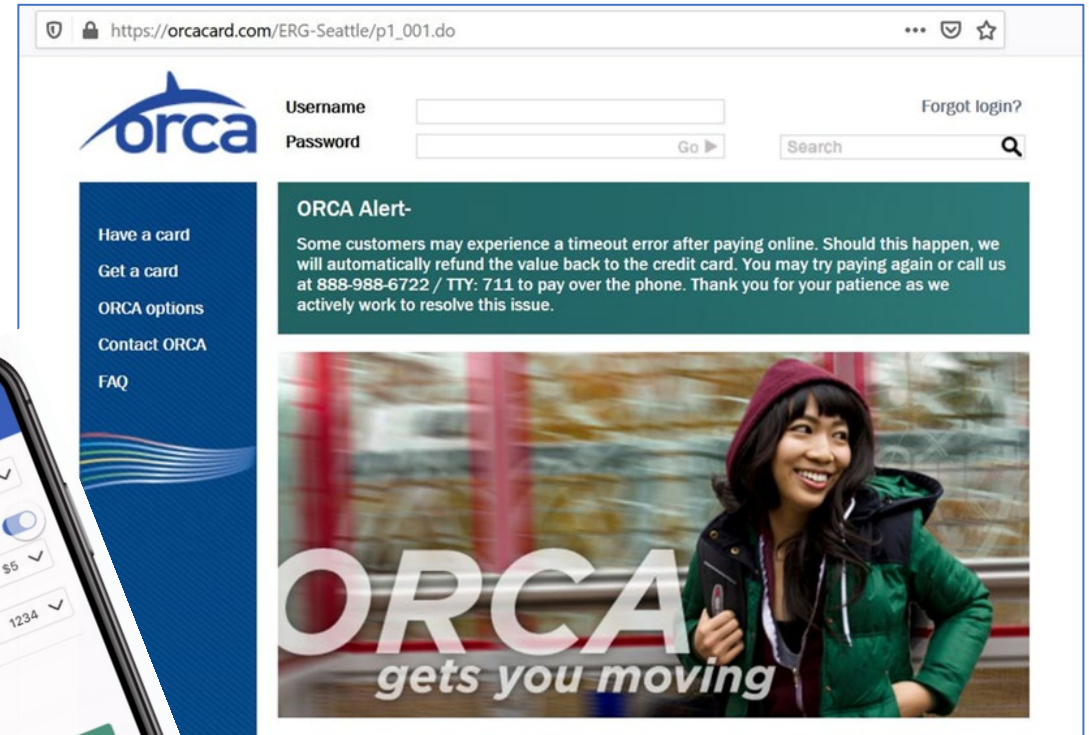
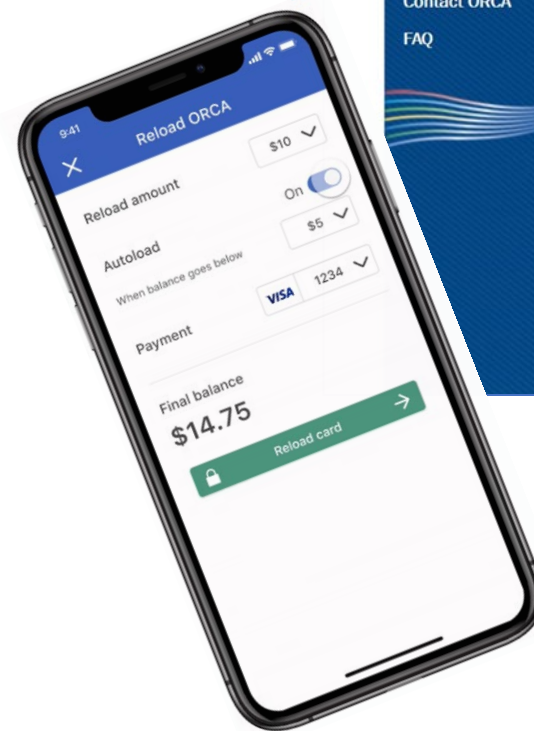
Fare = **\$0** (Metro bus, Sound Transit & Water Taxi all free)



# You can manage your ORCA account online

- Load funds
- Check balances
- Report lost or stolen cards
- Order new cards
- Transfer your \$25 to an existing ORCA card

Visit [orcacard.com](https://orcacard.com) for more information.







# King County Metro ACCESS

- Eligibility: People with disabilities who are determined unable to use fixed-route buses.
- Shared-ride van service.
- Rides reserved 1-7 days in advance.
- Pre-application form required.
- Call 206 - 263 - 3113

# Hopelink Medicaid Transportation

- Rides to and from medical appointments for Medicaid recipients, including
  - Public Transit Assistance
  - Gas Card Reimbursement
  - Door-to-door service
- Contact
  - King County: (800) 923-7433
  - Snohomish County: (855)766-7433



# Key Contacts



**Sign up for Flip Your Trip**

<http://FlipYourTrip.org>

**Flip Your Trip questions**

[info@FlipYourTrip.org](mailto:info@FlipYourTrip.org)

**General Bridge Questions**

[WestSeattleBridge@seattle.gov](mailto:WestSeattleBridge@seattle.gov)

(206) 400-7511

**Hopelink Resource Line**

[mobility@hopelink.org](mailto:mobility@hopelink.org)

(425) 943-6760

THANK YOU!



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