**LOCAL BUS ROUTES**

**MAJOR DESTINATIONS:**
- **Edina**: Edina Industrial Park Area
- **Richfield**: 77th St
- **Normandy**: 76th St
- **Best Buy Headquarters**: Knox Ave & 76th St Station
- **Edina**: Best Buy

**Bloomington**
- **Normandale Lake Office Park**: Normandale Lake Office Park
- **Best Buy Headquarters**: Knox Ave & American Blvd Station
- **American Blvd**: Mall of America Station

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**Metro Transit Mobile App**

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**ROUTE 540**

**Effective 12/3/2022**

**Regular Route**

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**METRO Line and Stations**

- **METRO D Line**: METRO train or bus will pick up or drop off customers at any bus stop along this route.
- **EDINA**: Local routes will pick up or drop off customers at any bus stop along this route.
- **KNOX AVENUE**: Local routes will pick up or drop off customers at any bus stop along this route.

**Not all stops are shown on this timetable.**

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**Reading a schedule: a step-by-step guide**

1. **Find the schedule** for the day of the week and the direction you plan to travel.
2. **Look at the map** and find the starting point nearest your trip start and end points. Your stop may be between timepoints.
3. **Read down the column** to see what time a bus will depart from a given timepoint. Read across a row to see when the bus will reach another timepoint. If the time is blank, that trip does not serve that timepoint.

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**Go-To Card Retail Locations**

A refillable Go-To Card is the most convenient way to travel by bus! Buy a Go-To Card or add value to an existing card at one of these locations or online:

- **BLOOMINGTON**
  - SuperCash: 7844 Portland Ave S

**Park & Ride Locations**

Park free at these lots while you commute. No overnight parking.

- **RICHFIELD**
  - Knox Ave Park & Ride: 7707 Knox Ave

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**Trip Planner**

Get more information at [metrotransit.org](http://metrotransit.org)

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**Monday — Friday**

**EASTBOUND** from western Bloomington to Mall of America via 77th St

- **Service**: 30 min
- **Frequency**: 30 min
- **Notes**: Service includes Mall of America Transit Station.

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**Sunday & Holiday**

**EASTBOUND** from western Bloomington to Mall of America via 77th St

- **Service**: 30 min
- **Frequency**: 30 min
- **Notes**: Service includes Mall of America Transit Station.

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**Parking**

- **Mall of America**: Mall of America
- **Normandy**: Normandy
- **Edina**: Edina
- **Richfield**: Richfield
- **Bloomington**: Bloomington
Route 542

**Monday — Friday**

**EASTBOUND** from western Bloomington to Mall of America via American Blvd

**WESTBOUND** from Mall of America to western Bloomington via American Blvd

**Local Bus & METRO Fares**

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**Reduced Fares**

- Seniors (ages 65+); Youth (6-12); Medicare
- Mall of America
- Express Bus Fares
- Regular Route

**Fares**

See rates above. To receive a reduced fare, see the reduced fare schedule for details.

**Qualifying ID**

- Seniors (ages 65+); Youth (6-12); Medicare
- Mall of America
- Express Bus Fares
- Regular Route

**Fareboxes** Buses accept U.S. bills and coins. Be sure to have exact change.

**Transfers** All fares (excluding the Downtown Zone) include a transfer. This gives you unlimited rides on buses and METRO lines for 2½ hours. Ask for one when you pay your cash fare. Transfers are automatically embedded on fare cards and METRO tickets.

**METRO LINES**

1. Arrange 5 minutes before the schedule or NexTrip says your trip will depart.
2. Pay for your bus number. Pay for your fare as you board, except for Pay-By-App routes.
3. Pull the cord above the window about 1 block before your stop to signal the driver.

**How to Ride**

1. **BUSES**
   - Pay before you enter—touch your fare card to a reader on the platform or buy a ticket from the machine.
   - Push the blue button to open doors (trains only).
   - METRO light rail lines stop at every station. METRO BRT lines stop at stations on demand and when customers are present.

2. **METRO LINES**
   - See rates above. To receive a reduced fare, see the reduced fare schedule for details.
   - Qualifying ID
   - Fares
   - Fareboxes
   - Transfers

3. **MAKING CONNECTIONS**
   - Transfer between buses and METRO lines for up to 2½ hours with your fare. Those who try to ride without paying will be charged with a misdemeanor and fined $180.

**Information**

- 612-373-3333
- Metro Transit is the one place for all your transit information.
- Transit Information
  - Get assistance from a transit expert.
  - Hours: Mon – Fri: 6:30 am – 7:30 pm, Sat: 6:30 am – 4:30 pm, Sun & Holidays: Closed

**NextTrip**

- Real-time departure information.
- Customer Relations
  - 570 6th Ave N, Minneapolis, MN 55441
  - Provide comments and suggestions.
  - Hours: Mon – Fri: 6:30 am – 4:30 pm, Closed weekends and holidays

**Lost & Found**

- 3400 State Hwy 13 W
- Burnsville, MN 55337 | 612-605-2270
- 711 Minnesota Relay (hearing impaired)

**metrotransit.org**

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- Online Trip Planner
- Interactive map
- Printable schedules
- Go-To Cards: buy, add value, check your balance or enrol in Auto Refill
- Find bicycling, carpooling and vanpooling resources
- Register for Guaranteed Ride Home

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