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## Customer Profile



As a college student without a car on campus, Metro's partnership with the University of Cincinnati has allowed me to explore Cincinnati. Metro is an easy

Dear Alex,

Welcome to the March 2014 edition of *go\*INFO* newsletter, news for Metro riders.



## Spring service changes begin March 2

Metro's spring service changes went into effect on Sunday, March 2, 2014.

### **NEW service to Evendale and Woodlawn:**

Metro's [Rt. 43](#) has been extended to serve Evendale and Woodlawn, providing new weekday access to Cincinnati State Workforce Development Center, Brown Mackie College, Formica Corporation, Walmart, and Menards. The route also will serve the Social Security Administration office, St. Rita School for the Deaf, and Hamilton County Developmental Disabilities Services' Thomas H. Kidd Adult Center.

and affordable way for me to get from Clifton to my co-op job downtown. Metro provides me with a sense of relaxation; I use the commute to catch up on the news and emails.

Although I am only on co-op every other semester, Metro is always the best way to get around Cincinnati. During class semesters, my friends and I take Metro to Findlay Market to buy fresh produce or ride into downtown to meet co-workers for lunch.

Metro is always there to get me from campus to Greater Cincinnati, so that's why I go Metro!  
- Meghan Cappel, Clifton

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## News



### Metro featured in USA Today

On Feb. 14, Metro was featured in a USA Today article about Capt. Rex and Anita Settlemoir of Bridgetown who met while

### NEW jobs service to U.S. Bank Processing Center:

Metro's [Rt. 24](#) now offers limited service to the U.S. Bank Lunken Operations Center on Wooster Pike. U.S. Bank partnered with Metro to provide this new transit connection for their employees.

The following routes have schedule changes now in effect:

- [Rt. 3/3X](#) Montgomery Road
- [Rt. 4](#) Blue Ash- Kenwood - Ridge Road
- [Rt. 15X](#) Daly Express/Mt. Healthy Express
- [Rt. 17](#) Seven Hills/Mt Healthy/Mt Airy/Northgate
- [Rt. 19](#) Colerain Ave. - Northgate
- [Rt. 21](#) Harrison Avenue
- [Rt. 23X](#) Tri-County Express/Rt. 23 Forest Park-Northside Job Connection
- [Rt. 24](#) Anderson - Uptown
- [Rt. 30X](#) Beechmont Express
- [Rt. 32](#) Price Hill-Glenway Crossing/Price Hill-Delhi
- [Rt. 33](#) Western Hills - Glenway
- [Rt. 41](#) Glenway Crossing - Oakley Crosstown
- [Rt. 43](#) Evendale - Woodlawn
- [Rt. 51](#) Glenway Crossing - Hyde Park Crosstown
- [Rt. 64](#) Glenway Crossing-Westwood
- [Rt. 71/71X](#) Kings Island Express/Job Connection
- [Rt. 74X](#) Colerain Express/via Banning (previously Northgate Express/via Banning)
- [Rt. 85](#) Riverfront Parking Shuttle

For detailed information on these changes and all routes, please visit our [website](#).



*In this section we'll showcase a route from our system and highlight the information and sights to see along the route.*

### Rt. 24 - Anderson-Uptown

Hop on Metro's [Rt. 24](#), connecting the eastside of Cincinnati to Uptown and downtown. The Rt. 24 covers areas including Anderson Township and the University of

riding a Metro bus back in 1975. The two met, fell in love and have been married ever since! Read the article [here](#).



### Cincinnati St. Patrick's Day Parade

Look for Metro's festive green trolley downtown for the Cincinnati St. Patrick's Day parade on Saturday, March 15.



### Metro shares some love for Valentine's Day

This past Valentine's Day, Metro and Queen City Bike teamed up again to surprise bus riders and share in the spirit of Valentine's Day on Feb. 13.

"Cupids" gave away chocolates, valentines and free single-ride Metro tickets at Government Square as a way to show some love to riders. [View a photo album](#) of this great event and look out for future giveaways in 2014!

### Cincinnati.

Along the Rt. 24, stop off at several Cincinnati area neighborhoods including Mt. Washington, Mt. Lookout, Hyde Park, O'Bryonville and Mt. Auburn.

Looking for some new places to eat? The Rt. 24 is a perfect transportation option, letting you travel from Anderson Towne Center to many area restaurants. Stop off on Eastern Ave. and make the short walk to historic Terry's Turf Club for one of the best burgers in Cincinnati. Or hop off in Mt. Lookout and get brunch at Annabel's.

The Rt. 24 has many transfer options along its route. Transfer to Rts. [11](#), [31](#), [46](#), [51](#) or [78](#). Or catch the Rt. [19](#) or [Metro\\*Plus](#) near the University of Cincinnati. Metro's Rt. 24, gets you where you need to go! Ride the Rt. 24 today.



### Get to Know Cincinnati

You can get to know Cincinnati easily with Metro! There are hundreds of places to see and visit and Metro can be your guide. Metro will regularly feature new popular destinations that you can visit on our [website](#). This week's feature is historic [Findlay Market](#).

In the mood for some shopping? Take Metro Rts. [17](#), [21](#), [46](#), [64](#) or [78](#) to Findlay Market. Each week, people gather in this living landmark to shop, socialize, and reconnect with those who share a common interest and embrace a great shopping experience. The quality and value of Findlay Market products available is incredible, stop on by today! Visit our [website](#) to find out more.



## User-Created Resources

Metro riders and partners have submitted maps, apps and other tools to help make riding Metro more convenient. These apps and tools range from providing bus map details, planning information and alerts and updates straight to your mobile device.

Access to these tools is provided as a public service only. Visit Metro's User-Created Resources [webpage](#) to find out how you can use these tools as you plan your trip on Metro.

## 2014 Calendar Images



March calendar images available [here](#).

## We're hiring!

Join Metro's team! We are now seeking applicants for several



## CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

Construction for utility relocation and renewal continues in downtown Cincinnati. Sign up for construction update e-mails [here](#) or call the streetcar hotline at [513-352-3333](tel:513-352-3333).

You can also visit the City of Cincinnati's Streetcar [website](#) for all streetcar-related information. We appreciate your patience during this process.



## No foolin': Metro passes available at City Hall on April 1

Starting April 1, buy your bus passes at Cincinnati City Hall, 806 Plum Street, downtown! Zone 1 and 2 Metro 30-day rolling passes, Metro/TANK passes and \$20 stored-value cards will be available at the City's Treasury Department, Room 202. This convenient location provides a new option for downtown bus riders who aren't close to the Metro Sales Office at Government Square.

**On Tuesday, April 1 only:** Enjoy a FREE cup of coffee provided by Coffee Emporium with the purchase of any pass or stored-value card at City Hall on April Fools' Day, while supplies last.

Metro passes will be sold at City Hall Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. This location will also provide bus schedules and other information. Visit [www.go-metro.com/where-to-buy](http://www.go-metro.com/where-to-buy) for a full list of Metro fare media sales locations.

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