

TRANSIT TIPS

1. For the comfort of everyone, smoking, eating and drinking are not allowed on the bus.
2. Please have your exact fare, drivers do not provide change or track overpayments.
3. For safety, please remain seated until the bus comes to a complete stop!
4. If you decide not to ride, please call to cancel before the bus arrives or you will be charged a no-show fee equal to your regular fare.
5. The bus may make several stops along the way, so plan on a slightly longer travel time.
6. There is a two shopping bag limit on the bus per passenger. Transit provides two bags to new clients; additional bags are available for purchase.
7. Please be ready to board when the bus arrives. We can only wait on site for 3 minutes.
8. During periods of heavy snowfall, buses may not be able to get into all locations and will travel only cleared roads, sometimes staying only in town.
9. Buy a Transit Pass "Punch Card" for convenience; a \$7 value for only \$6.



Out-of-County Medical Travel

Based on Vehicle Availability

- *Full Fare \$20.00 - One way
- **Half Fare \$10.00 - One way

Round Trip fare includes one-half hour waiting time.

Excess waiting time:

- Full Fare - \$7.50 per 10 min.
- Half Fare - \$3.75 per 10 min.

Van Buren Public Transit (the star bus) has been providing public transportation services in Van Buren County since January 1979!

Service is available to anyone of any age, capable of traveling.

Fare rates, hours and days of service are subject to change and are always based on availability.

All programs, activities and services will be provided equally, without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, or handicap - as required by law.

This brochure is available in alternative formats upon request.

More information available on our website:
http://www.vbco.org/public_transit.asp



**WHEEL CHAIR LIFTS AVAILABLE
PLEASE CALL IN ADVANCE
(269) 427-7921 or (800) 828-2015**

610 David Walton Drive
Bangor, Michigan 49013
rides@vbco.org

An Equal Opportunity Employer

WELCOME ABOARD!



Ride Numbers

(269) 427-7921

Toll Free:

(800) 828-2015

Like us on Facebook!



TYPES OF SERVICES

1. DIAL-A-RIDE

Curb to curb service within the Paw Paw and South Haven areas.

2. COUNTY-WIDE RESERVATIONS

We recommend at least 24 hour notice for reservation rides and reservations can be made up to 14 days in advance.

3. CONTRACT

Transportation services to agencies for their clients. Call for more information.

4. FLEX ROUTES

South Haven Metro Loop
Bangor Apple Loop
Paw Paw Concord Loop

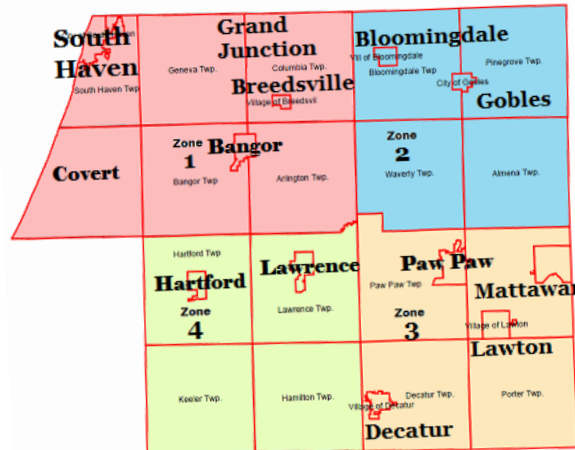
All Services Provided are Based on Availability and Fares are Subject to Change.

COUNTY-WIDE SERVICE

- 24-Hour Reservations -

Pick-up 8:45-9:45 AM & Return 12-12:30 PM

	Within the Zone	Zone to Zone
Full Fare/Regular	\$4.00	\$6.00
Half Fare/60+	\$2.00	\$3.00
Disabled	\$2.00	\$3.00
Children/Students	\$2.00	\$3.00
Infants under 2yrs old	- N/C with Adult Fare	



DIAL-A-RIDE SERVICES

South Haven Demand Response:

Monday through Friday
7:10 AM - 8:00 PM / last call 7:30 PM
Sat 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM / last call 3:30 PM
Saturday 1:00 - 2:00 PM No Service

RATES:	Zone 1	Zone 2
Full Fare	\$2.50	\$3.00
Half Fare	\$1.25	\$1.50



Paw Paw Demand Response:

Monday through Thursday
10:00 AM - 3:30 PM / last call 3:00 PM
Friday 10:00 AM - 2:30 PM / last call 2:00 PM

FLEX LOOP SERVICES

➤ South Haven Metro Loop:

M-F 9 AM - 5 PM / 4:00 PM last Loop
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM No Service
Sat 10 AM - 4PM / 3:00 PM last Loop
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM No Service

➤ Bangor Apple Loop:

M-W-F 9 AM - 2 PM / 1 PM last Loop

➤ Paw Paw Concord Loop:

M-F 8 AM - 6 PM / 5:00 PM last Loop
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM No Service
Sat 10 AM - 4 PM / 3:00 PM last Loop
Saturday 1:00 - 2:00 PM No Service

All Loop Fares: \$1.00 Full / \$0.50 Half

Transit is Closed on these Holidays:

- Memorial Day
- Independence Day
- Labor Day
- Thanksgiving Day and day after Thanksgiving
- Christmas Eve and Christmas Day
- New Year's Eve and New Year's Day

Watch WWMT TV for weather related closings

What is a Flex Loop Route?

A Flex Route, also known as a deviated route, is like a fixed route as it keeps to a regular hourly schedule, but vehicles can deviate from the route to pick up or drop off passengers from other locations along the way, when prearranged through dispatch. Once a passenger is picked up from the "FLEXED" location the vehicle will return to its regular route and continue on from the place it left, or deviated from the route. Flexes are arranged time permitting, and may not be available if a driver is already running behind schedule. A vehicle can FLEX up to two blocks away from its route.