

**Department of Children, Seniors and Social Development
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Request: “All data re the low-income bus pass program.”

October 2023:

- 5,291 (59%) of 8,932 eligible adults have active bus passes, including 468 GoBus passes
- 627 (60%) of 1,046 eligible children have active bus passes, including 5 GoBus passes
- 529,151 total rides were taken in a seven month period from April 1, 2023 to October 31, 2023, including 169,736 transfers

September 2021:

- 4,985 (56%) of 8,805 eligible adults have active bus passes, including 365 GoBus passes
- 542 (56%) of 962 dependent children ages 12 to 17 have active bus passes
- 694,965 total rides were taken in a 12 month period from September 2020 to September 2021. Of those: 671,136 rides were taken by adults, 97 per cent of total rides; and, 23,829 rides were taken by dependent children age 12 to 17, 3 per cent of total rides.
- Adults Age
 - Age 18-34: 32 per cent of adults with activated passes; 23 per cent of total adult rides
 - Age 35-49: 34 per cent of adults with activated passes; 36 per cent of total adult rides
 - Age 50- 64: 34 per cent of adults with activated passes; 41 per cent of total adult rides
- Adults Household Composition:
 - Single: 78 percent of rides
 - Couples: 5 per cent of rides
 - Single Parents: 13 percent of rides
 - Couples with children: 3 percent of rides
- Adults Gender
 - Female: 44 percent of rides
 - Male: 56 percent of rides
 - Gender Diverse: less than 1 percent