



## **September Mobility Program Newsletter**

*Updates and news on the Regional Transportation Coordinating Council (RTCC) and the Intermountain Transportation Planning Region (IMTPR).*

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### **Last Chance to Register for the RTCC Summit!**

#### **Innovating Mobility for Inclusive and Sustainable Transportation**

There's still time to register for the RTCC Summit happening this Thursday!

**Register using the QR code below or [this link](#).**

# Regional Transit Coordinating Council (RTCC) Summit

September 12, 2024

9am-3pm

Frisco Community and Senior Center

**Keynote** Margaret Bowes, I70 Coalition

**Panel 1** Bustang and Bustang Outrider

Transit Trivia

**Panel 2** Transit and Mobility for All

Featuring Transit organizations from La Junta, Lone Tree, Summit County, and Boulder County

Group Discussion and New Ideas:

- NEMT and Service Impacts
- Mountain to Rail Project

Register Here!



## Notice of Funding Opportunity: Youth Fare-Free Transit Grant Program

CASTA is pleased to administer the Youth Fare-Free Transit Grant in Colorado on behalf of the Colorado Energy Office (CEO) through the Zero Fare Transit Grants Program. The program provides grants to eligible transit agencies in order to offer free transit services to youth riders in a calendar year beginning on October 1, 2024 and ending September 30, 2025. Youth Fare-Free

Transit Grant is designed to support the state's transit agencies to rebuild transit ridership following the COVID-19 pandemic. The program's goals include reducing ozone formation, increasing youth ridership on transit, and reducing vehicle miles traveled in the state.

Applications for the Youth Fare-Free Transit Grant Program are now open. Please find information about the program, the application process, the mandatory webinar, and more [here](#).

**Note:** Your agency can only apply for one Zero Fare program; If you received the Ozone Season Transit Grant in 2024, you will be unable to apply for the Youth Fare-Free Transit



## Rather than widen a busy Gunnison County highway, officials are making it safer for transit riders

The U.S. Department of Transportation announced this week that it will award a \$15.2 million grant to Gunnison County to make safety improvements to the busy highway between Gunnison and Crested Butte. Read the full article [here](#).

## RFTA gets grant for 10 electric buses

The Roaring Fork Transportation Authority announced on Friday that it was the recipient of \$15.54 million from the state of Colorado as part of Gov. Jared Polis' efforts to support clean transportation solutions. Read the full article [here](#).

## ECO is now CORE Transit!

Welcome to the new face of regional transportation in Eagle County – Core Transit! Core Transit is here to move you through our beautiful region and spark exploration with ease and efficiency. Proudly offering you the ride of a lifetime, Core Transit brings people, communities, and their journeys together in an accessible and rewarding way. Core Transit is all about creating connections. Read more about the organization's transition [here](#).



## CDOT News

Got thoughts on Mountain Passenger Rail? Tell CDOT what you think at an **open house!**

**Register** for an upcoming CDOT Strategic Highway Safety Plan Workshop!

## Fact Sheet: Bolstering Daily School Attendance Through Safe, Accessible, Reliable Transportation



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