

Newsletter

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El Dorado County Fair Free Parking Shuttle

El Dorado Transit will provide free shuttle service for the 2025 El Dorado County Fair from Thursday, June 12, 2025 through Sunday, June 15, 2025. Shuttle buses will operate from 11:30am to 12:30am on Thursday and Friday; 9:30am to 12:30am on Saturday and from 11:30am to 10:30pm on Sunday. Shuttles will be available from the following parking locations:

- El Dorado County Library (on Ray Lawyer Drive)
- Ray Lawyer Drive Park and Ride

The Fair shuttle is funded by a grant from the El Dorado County Air Quality Management District with support from the El Dorado County Fair Association.

Shuttle Hours



No animals except service animals allowed on the shuttle



School Celebrates Bus Wrap Contest Winner

After weeks of deliberations and votes from staff, board members, and the El Dorado County Office of Education, Savannah Mathew, 13 years old, won El Dorado Transit's second annual Youth Design a Bus Wrap Contest. Her artwork will be made into a bus wrap and will adorn an El Dorado Transit bus for 1 year.

Savannah is an 8th grade student at Valley View Charter Montessori School in El Dorado Hills.

"We are excited to have Savannah's winning artwork on one of our local buses," said Erik Bergren, Planning and Marketing Manager for El Dorado Transit. "Our buses typically travel 45,000 miles annually while transporting local riders, so Savannah's design will be seen all over El Dorado County."

The Design a Bus Wrap Contest was open to junior high school and high school students in El Dorado County. This year marks El Dorado Transit's 50th anniversary and the theme of the contest was, "Then and Now: 50 Years and Beyond for El Dorado Transit."

El Dorado Transit is Hiring!

El Dorado Transit is currently hiring. Competitive wages and benefits include; hiring bonus of up to \$2,000, paid training, CalPERS retirement, full health, dental and vision benefits, paid vacations and holidays.

Applications, job descriptions, and information can be found at the El Dorado Transit website in the Careers section or in the El Dorado Transit office located at 6565 Commerce Way in Diamond Springs.



Yarbrough Appointed Chairperson

At the February 6, 2025 Board of Directors Meeting for the El Dorado County Transit Authority, David Yarbrough, Placerville City Councilmember, was appointed Chairperson for the 2025 calendar year. Brian Veerkamp, El Dorado County Board of Supervisors, District 3, was appointed Vice Chairperson. Yarbrough replaces George Turnboo, current El Dorado County Board of Supervisors, District 2, who received a recognition plaque for his honorable 2024 term.



6th PM Commuter Bus Added

Due to more and more Sacramento office workers return to work, a 6th PM Sacramento Commuter service route was added in late March. Annual month-to-month comparisons since June 2024 are typically 70% higher than 2023.

With the recent Return to Office Executive Order from the Governor of California, strong ridership increases are likely to continue. Our Operations and Planning departments are working hard to expand service even further.

Do you commute to downtown Sacramento? Consider utilizing our Sac Commuter Service. We provide a safe, stress-free option for your commute.

Go to www.eldoradotransit.com for complete schedules and routes.

Yarbrough has been on the board since 2023.

Holiday Schedule April-June Holiday Schedule

Monday, May 26th Memorial Day

The Sacramento/South Lake Tahoe Connecting bus will be the only service operating on listed holidays. For more information visit www.eldoradotransit.com.

All of our services will operate as normal on Juneteenth, June 19, 2025, this year.