# AGENDA ITEM 1 C Consent Item

#### **MEMORANDUM**

DATE: September 6, 2018

TO: El Dorado County Transit Authority

FROM: Brian James, Planning and Marketing Manager

**SUBJECT:** July 2018 Ridership Report

**REQUESTED ACTION:** 

BY MOTION,

Receive and File the July 2018 Ridership Report

### **BACKGROUND**

The El Dorado County Transit Authority (El Dorado Transit) staff reports monthly and fiscal year-to-date ridership trend reports at each Board meeting.

## **DISCUSSION**

Following is the July 2018 monthly ridership table comparing the current fiscal year to the previous fiscal year.

#### **July Ridership**

July 2018	July 2017	Increase	% Increase
25,399	24,294	1,105	4.5%

In July, Demand Response ridership decreased by 14.1%, Local Fixed Route ridership increased by 4.0%, and Commuter ridership increased by 8.0%.

Following is the July 2018 monthly ridership report. The fiscal year-to-date ridership report is not included as July 2018 is the first month of the fiscal year.

Connect Card ridership is recorded every time a Connect Card is tapped onto the equipment in one of the vehicles. The number of riders is tracked to evaluate system usage. El Dorado Transit recorded 9,381 taps or 34.1% of all ridership in July 2018. Following is the Connect Card ridership report with a graph showing the percent of total ridership using Connect Card per month.

# July 2018 Ridership Report

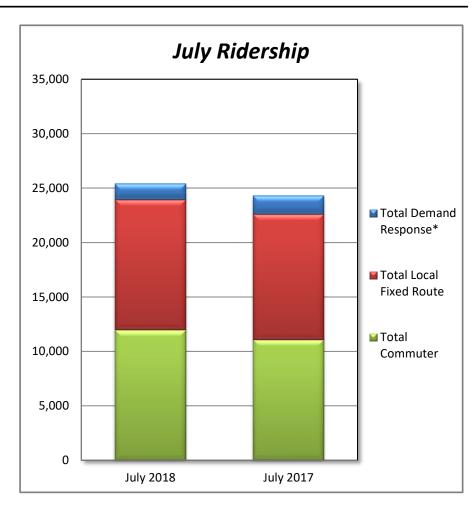


Demand Response	July 2018	July 2017	% Change
Dial-a-Ride	1,363	1,606	-15.1%
Sac-Med	22	33	-33.3%
ADA Paratransit	68	52	30.8%
Total Demand Response*	1,453	1,691	-14.1%

Local Fixed Route	July 2018	July 2017	% Change
20 - Placerville	3,262	3,813	-14.5%
25 - Saturday Express	346	467	-25.9%
30 - Diamond Springs	1,489	1,210	23.1%
35 - Diamond Springs Saturday	97	85	14.1%
40 - Cameron Park	1,021	821	24.4%
50x - 50 Express	2,541	2,082	22.0%
60 - Pollock Pines	2,851	3,030	-5.9%
70 - El Dorado Hills	373	11	100.0%
Total Local Fixed Route	11,980	11,519	4.0%

Commuter	July 2018	July 2017	% Change
Sacramento Commuter	11,916	11,016	8.2%
Reverse Commuter	50	68	-26.5%
Total Commuter	11,966	11,084	8.0%

Other Services	July 2018	July 2017	% Change
M.O.R.E.	1,554	1,870	-16.9%
Adult Day Services	566	549	3.1%
Total Other Services	2,120	2,419	-12.4%



Systemwide*	July 2018	July 2017	% Change
	25,399	24,294	4.5%

<sup>\*</sup>Does not include Other Services

# **Connect Card Ridership Report**



Month	Number of Taps	Total Ridership	% of Total Ridership
Jan-17	11	30,023	0.0%
Feb-17	87	29,139	0.3%
Mar-17	257	35,487	0.7%
Apr-17	394	29,448	1.3%
May-17	715	32,170	2.2%
Jun-17	1,313	29,790	4.4%
Jul-17	1,815	26,713	6.8%
Aug-17	2,947	33,442	8.8%
Sep-17	3,397	29,882	11.4%
Oct-17	5,905	33,007	17.9%
Nov-17	5,519	28,104	19.6%
Dec-17	6,065	27,148	22.3%
Jan-18	8,171	31,005	26.4%
Feb-18	7,175	28,913	24.8%
Mar-18	9,492	30,835	30.8%
Apr-18	10,361	31,137	33.3%
May-18	9,009	32,406	27.8%
Jun-18	11,353	28,485	39.9%
Jul-18	9,381	27,519	34.1%

