

El Metro Transit

Public Notice of New Proposed Circulators & Service Realignment

El Metro Transit is proposing to pilot two (2) additional Neighborhood Circulator services. The Circulator service will provide a new mobility and an enhanced connectivity option for residents, workers and students. The Circulators service will better connect neighborhood and business destinations and with other EL Metro Fixed Routes. This initiative is in line with the City of Laredo Master Plan to foster walkable urban and mixed-use spaces.

The Laredo Urban Transportation Study (LUTS) and the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) funded the required five-year Transit Development Plan (TDP) for El Metro. The five-year TDP includes a number of recommendations that were approved and adopted by the MPO and the Laredo Mass Transit Board (City Council). This public notice addresses recommendations for services realignment of the C1 Mines Road Circulator, extending services to additional areas and certain bus stops to be serviced by proposed "New" C2 Green Ranch Circulator. Another service addition is the proposed "NEW" C3 Riverside Circulator that will replace partial discontinued services from Route 15 Main Riverside. Route 1 Santa Maria will provide fixed route service to residents along Main Street.

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Interested persons or agencies may present evidence and recommendations may submit in writing, fax or email comments to El Metro Circulator Pilot Program, 1301 Farragut, Laredo, Texas 78040; fax (956) 795-2258; email mgarcia5@ci.laredo.tx.us.

*Comments must be post marked/received no later than **May 24, 2021**.*

We **VALUE** your input and urge neighbors, employers, and education and mobility stakeholders to participate at the public meeting. Information, ideas and suggestions received will be carefully evaluate by Transit staff to plan, schedule and pilot a robust and public driven neighborhood Circulator Pilot Program for the City of Laredo.