

A MULTIMODAL TOUR OF THE TRI-STATE REGION

SATURDAY, JULY 24, AND SUNDAY, JULY 25, 2010

The American Public Transportation Association (APTA) has scheduled its annual **Multimodal Operations Planning Workshop** in New York City on Monday, July 26, through Wednesday, July 28, 2010.

The workshop always starts with a multimodal technical tour, but how can you begin to understand the complexity of transit in the New York metropolitan area in only a day? For that reason a two day tour of the Tri-State region is planned for Saturday, July 24, and Sunday, July 25. The **Multimodal Tour of the Tri-State Region** will provide transit professionals with a unique passenger's-eye perspective of how different modal systems function and interact.

DAY ONE sets out winding its way through Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens, and Central Long Island on a combination of subways, automated guideway transit, commuter trains and a local bus to Port Jefferson, where we'll cross the Long Island Sound to Bridgeport CT. In Connecticut, we'll trace the New England coast aboard another commuter train and Amtrak's Acela high-speed inter-city train to New London, where a second ferry will convey us back across the Sound. The day finishes with a short local bus trip followed by a commuter train ride the length of Long Island back to Manhattan. We'll visit five major intermodal transportation centers along the way.

DAY TWO starts north, looping through Upper Manhattan and the Bronx on subway and commuter trains, passing through the grandeur of Grand Central Terminal before turning west to New Jersey via a privately-operated joint bus-ferry service. Upon landfall, we'll make a whirlwind circuit of North Jersey and Southern New York via multiple light rail, rail rapid transit and commuter trains, as well as local bus, bus rapid transit and a monorail, stopping at seven more intermodal transportation centers enroute.

The detailed itinerary is described on the reverse side. There is no charge for the **Multimodal Tour of the Tri-State Region** other than your fares and meals. Participation each day is limited to 40 people. Sign up for either day or both—or for just part of a day if you'd like.


































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
July 24-25, 2010

Preliminary Itinerary

SATURDAY (EAST)					
CARRIER	ROUTE	MODE	STATION	TIME	
MTA New York City Transit	A		42 St/8 Av	5:43	
			14 St/8 Av	5:47	
	L		Broadway Junction	6:00	
	A		Howard Beach	6:26	
The Port Authority of NY & NJ	AirTrain JFK Howard Beach		Federal Circle	6:44	
			AirTrain JFK Jamaica	Jamaica	7:00
	Port Jefferson		Huntington	7:05	
			Port Jefferson	7:10	
Suffolk County Transit	S60/S61/S76		Port Jefferson	7:17	
			Port Jefferson	7:27	
MTA Long Island Rail Road	Port Jefferson		Huntington	7:46	
			Port Jefferson	8:28	
Bridgeport & Port Jefferson Steamboat Company	Ferry		Bridgeport	8:36	
			Bridgeport	9:25	
MTA Metro-North Railroad	New Haven		New Haven	9:45	
			New Haven	9:50	
Amtrak	Acela		New London	11:00	
			New London	12:15	
Cross-Sound Ferry Company	Ferry		Orient Point	12:27	
			Orient Point	12:55	
Suffolk County Transit	S92		Greenport	13:31	
			Greenport	14:15	
MTA Long Island Rail Road	Greenport		Ronkonkoma	15:00	
			Ronkonkoma	16:20	
MTA New York City Transit	A		Penn Station	16:55	
			New York	17:10	
MTA New York City Transit	A		New York	18:13	
			New York	19:37	
MTA New York City Transit	A		New York	19:42	
			New York	21:01	
MTA New York City Transit	A		New York	21:25	
			New York	21:28	

SUNDAY (WEST)					
CARRIER	ROUTE	MODE	STATION	TIME	
MTA New York City Transit	2		42 St/7 Av	8:09	
			96 St	8:15	
MTA Metro-North Railroad	Hudson		Marble Hill	8:21	
			Marble Hill	8:42	
NY Waterway	34 St - 44 St		Grand Central Terminal	9:04	
			Pier 79	9:27	
NJ Transit	Hudson-Bergen LRT		Port Imperial	9:40	
			Port Imperial	10:15	
Port Authority Trans-Hudson	WTC-Newark		Exchange Place	10:30	
			Exchange Place	10:38	
NJ Transit	Newark Light Rail		Newark Penn Station	10:57	
			Newark Penn Station	11:16	
NJ Transit	go28		Grove St	11:31	
			Grove St	11:49	
The Port Authority of NY & NJ	AirTrain Newark		Newark Airport Terminal A	12:42	
			Newark Airport Terminal A	13:02	
NJ Transit	North Jersey Coast Line		Newark	13:10	
			Newark	13:42	
NJ Transit	Newark Light Rail		Newark	13:55	
			Newark	14:06	
NJ Transit	Morris & Essex Line		Broad St Station	14:15	
			Broad St Station	14:21	
NJ Transit/MTA Metro-North RR	Main/Bergen County Line		Secaucus Transfer	14:48	
			Secaucus Transfer	14:56	
Transport of Rockland County	59		Suffern NY	15:21	
			Suffern NY	15:31	
NJ Transit/MTA Metro-North RR	Pascack Valley Line		Spring Valley NY	16:10	
			Spring Valley NY	16:43	
Port Authority Trans-Hudson	Journal Square - 33 St		Hoboken Terminal	17:00	
			Hoboken Terminal	17:31	
MTA New York City Transit	M20		Christopher St	18:04	
			Christopher St	19:28	
MTA New York City Transit	M20		Christopher St	19:43	
			Christopher St	19:51	
MTA New York City Transit	M20		42 St/8 Av	20:04	
			42 St/8 Av	20:25	

Notes: Schedules incredibly subject to change.

 – Denotes a major intermodal terminal.