

PROPOSAL OF BUS ROUTE CHANGES

ROUTE 1 VINEVILLE

- No change on this route

ROUTE 2 BELLEVUE

- New St. and Pine St. will be closed for up to 12 months due to construction. Route will detour to D.T. Walton Way
- Napier Ave., Forsyth Rd., and Park St. will be discontinued due to low productivity/ridership
- Buses will now use Hollingsworth Rd. rather than Emily St. due to safety issues
- Buses will turn left onto Log Cabin Dr. using Hollingsworth Rd.

ROUTE 3 WEST MACON/MACON MALL (Formerly WEST MACON)

- Key St. will be discontinued due to low productivity
- Oglesby Place will be an addition due to population increase
- West Macon will now include Macon Mall shopping center
- West Macon route will now be known as West Macon /Macon Mall Route

ROUTE 4 NORTH HIGHLAND

- Lower Kitchens Rd. will be discontinued due to safety issues.
- Route will turn left off Kitchens Rd. onto Denton St. then left onto Kitchens Rd.

ROUTE 5 OCMULGEE

- Due to safety and turn issues, 1st Ave. will be discontinued
- Ward St, Pursley St. and 3rd Ave will be serviced in the Pleasant Hill Community
- North Park Shopping Center Kroger Stop on Tom Hill Sr. Blvd. will relocate to Holiday Dr. behind Publix Shopping Center. The new owners of the North Park Shopping Center on Tom Hill Sr. Blvd. have asked MTA to discontinue the use of the Kroger stop. The new bus stop has been relocated to Holiday Dr. behind the Publix Shopping Center.
- Addition: North Pierce Ave., Riverview Rd., Amerson Park, Arkwright Rd., Sheraton Dr., The Shoppes @ River Crossing, Wesleyan Dr., Forest Hill Rd., Food Depot and Northside Dr. are being added to increase ridership.
- Madison Dr. will be discontinued. College St. will be added to address safety issues
- Baxter Ave. and Mallory Dr. are being discontinued due to low productivity. Route will continue down Ingleside Ave. to Riverside Dr. right onto Forest Ave.

ROUTE 6 WEST GATE

- Felton Ave. right to A St. Right to B St. then back to Ell St. to improve productivity

ROUTE 7 EISENHOWER PKWY. / CHAMBERS RD. (Formerly MACON MALL)

- The Macon Mall Route will be renamed as Eisenhower Pkwy/Chambers Rd. Route
- Ivey Dr. and portions of Raley Rd. are being discontinued due to low productivity
- Eisenhower Pkwy/ Chambers Rd. will no longer service Macon Mall shopping center (see West Macon Route)

ROUTE 8 EAST MACON

- Laney Ave, Stratford Ave, Truitt St, and Commodore Ave. will be discontinued due to low productivity
- Hydrolia St., Church St., and Fellowship Dr. will be re-routed to Main St.
- East Macon will continue down Main St. to Coliseum Dr. at traffic light due to safety issues
- Walnut St. and 2nd St. will be discontinued due to low productivity. Route will continue to MLK Jr. Blvd. to Poplar St. back to Terminal Station

ROUTE 9 HOUSTON AVE

- Chatham St., Capital Ave., and Burke St., are being discontinued due to low productivity
- Hightower Rd., King St., and C St. are being discontinued due to low productivity
- Meade Rd., Albert St. and South end of San Carlos are being discontinued due to low productivity

Routes with 2 buses that will be reduced to one bus:

- BELLEVUE - ROUTE 2
- WEST MACON/MACON MALL - ROUTE 3
- EAST MACON - ROUTE 8
- HOUSTON AVE. - ROUTE 9

Routes with 3 buses that will be reduced to two buses:

- EISENHOWER PKWY. / CHAMBERS RD. - ROUTE 7
- OCMULGEE - ROUTE 5
Ocmulgee will have two buses on route all day