Western Kenosha County Transit Expands With Commuter Routes

New Service Begins Monday, December 28, 2009

KENOSHA, WI — Western Kenosha County Transit Expands with Commuter Routes

Beginning Monday, December 28, Western Kenosha County Transit service will be expanded with new routes and increased local service. The most significant change is the addition of several new routes to provide commuter service. The new schedule includes early morning service from Twin Lakes to Kenosha and Antioch, IL with stops in Paddock Lake, Silver Lake and Salem. The morning commuter service will allow for riders to connect with Kenosha Area Transit buses or METRA trains in Antioch, IL. Commuter service continues in the evening hours providing many options for riders to use Western Transit for both legs of a work commute. Expanded commuter service is available Monday-Friday.

"This is an opportunity for western Kenosha County commuters to save time, gas money and to avoid driving headaches," Kenosha County Executive Jim Kreuser said. "We hope people will take advantage of this opportunity."

Other changes to Western Transit effective on December 28 include revisions to the schedule and bus stop locations with new stops in Twin Lakes and Camp Lake. Please consult the new schedule for changes. The new schedule is now available on all Western Transit buses, online at: www.co.kenosha.wi.us/countytransit.html or by calling 888-203-3498.

The bus fare is \$2.00 per one-way trip or \$10 for an unlimited ride monthly pass.

Door-to-door service is available with a reservation. For more information call: 888-203-3498

Western Transit is the public bus serving western Kenosha County towns and villages. Bus stops are located in Twin Lakes, Silver Lake, Trevor, Camp Lake, Salem, Paddock Lake and Bristol. Service is provided to Kenosha, Antioch, IL and Lake Geneva.

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