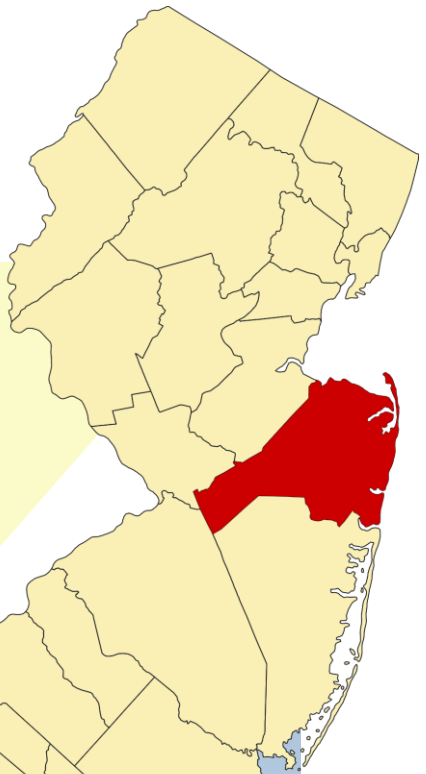
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TRANSPORTATION RESOURCE GUIDE

Empowering Smarter Transportation Choices





Monmouth County

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1. Introduction

Welcome to your comprehensive Monmouth County Resource Mobility Guide.

In today's fast-paced world, mobility is more than just getting from point A to point B. It's about freedom, efficiency, and sustainability. Whether you want to enhance your daily commute, find a home near convenient public transportation, or evaluate transportation options for an aging parent or a loved one with disabilities, this guide will serve as your gateway to smarter, smoother, and more sustainable movement in Monmouth County.

Why Mobility Matters?

Mobility affects every aspect of our lives, from our daily routines to our long-term health and the environment. As urban populations grow and technology evolves, the way we move also changes rapidly. This guide is designed to help you navigate these changes, make informed choices, and embrace the exciting future of transportation.

What You'll Find?

This guide highlights a wide range of transportation services and resources offered by Monmouth County, municipalities, transportation network companies (TNCs), non-profit organizations, private wheelchair transportation providers, local taxi companies, private buses, NJ TRANSIT bus & rail services, and the New Jersey Travel Independence Program. While walking and biking are the most sustainable and healthy forms of transport, this guide does not cover pedestrian and biking facilities. Instead, it focuses primarily on transit and transportation services for older adults and people with disabilities.

Each section provides additional details, including program contacts, eligibility criteria, and application processes, making this guide a one-stop resource for transportation assistance in Monmouth County.

Whether you're a CEO determining the ideal location for your business, a social worker or healthcare professional helping clients with transportation, a new resident, a city planner, a visitor, or someone simply striving for more efficient journeys, this guide has something for you. Let's embark on this journey together, toward a more mobile, connected, and sustainable future.

2. Monmouth County Transportation

Monmouth County Division of Transportation

Address: 250 Center Street,
Freehold, NJ 07728

Phone: (732) 431-6480

Website: www.visitmonmouth.com

Transportation Programs

The ***Ride in Monmouth Program*** is an on-demand, curb-to-curb transportation services operated by the Monmouth County Division of Transportation. Rides are scheduled on a first-come, first-served basis and are subject to vehicle availability.

To ensure timely service, riders are encouraged to schedule trips as far in advance as possible. All county vehicles are wheelchair accessible, and drivers are trained to safely assist and transport non-ambulatory passengers.

Eligible riders must register with the Monmouth County Division of Transportation before requesting service. Once registered, trips may be scheduled at least two business days in advance and up to six months ahead of time.

Eligibility:

To qualify for a ride, you must be a resident of Monmouth County and contact at least one of the following criteria:

- Be 60 years of age or older
- Have a temporary or permanent disability
- Be a veteran of the United States Armed Forces
- Be traveling to or coming from one of the following rural communities: Allentown, Colts Neck, Freehold Twp, Holmdel, Howell, Manalapan, Millstone, Roosevelt, Tinton Falls, Upper Freehold, or Wall.

Service & Fare Information

Transportation is free for:

- Medical trips and other healthcare-related visits
- Nutrition trips, including senior centers and food pantries
- Veterans Services
- Food Shopping (Sponsored) *

A $2.00 one-way fare will be charged for:

- Food Shopping (Non-Sponsored) & General Shopping
- All leisure trips

*For a list of municipalities that sponsor food shopping trips, call 732-431-6480.

Operating Schedule

- To book a ride, call the office between 7:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Monday through Friday
- *Ride in Monmouth* transportation service is available Monday – Friday from 7:30 A.M. to 3:30 P.M.
- The *Wellness Transportation Program* offers limited after-hours and weekend transportation services.

For more detailed information, you can refer to the county's official brochure: **Ride in Monmouth Brochure (PDF)**.

3. Municipal Transportation

Alongside county services, several municipalities operate their own transportation programs. Below is a list of the services available in each municipality.

Municipality	Type of Service	Eligibility-Age	Service Hours	Phone & Website
1. Asbury Park	10 essential rides per month with Lyft and Uber - Asbury Park will cover up to $25 per ride for medical visits, groceries, and more. Prior registration is required.	65+ & income-eligible residents	**Monday - Friday** 8:00 A.M. - 8:00 P.M. **Saturday** 8:00 A.M.- 5:00 P.M.	**(732) 502-5762** Rideshare with EZRydeE4Life @ Asbury Park
2. Freehold	Scheduled rides for trips that include shopping, medical appointments, banks, post office, hair salon, etc.	60+	**Sunday - Friday** 8:15 A.M. – 3:45 P.M.	**(732) 431-4880** Freehold Senior Bus Schedule
3. Keyport	Free transportation using the Keyport Skipper Bus for Keyport residents to use for trips to local grocery shopping, borough hall, senior center, food pantry, etc.	60+	**Tuesdays &Thursdays** 10:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. (Last run is 3:00 P.M.)	**(732) 264-4916** Keyport Skipper Bus Schedule
4. Long Branch	The Senior Center partners with Uber to provide one free ride per week for errands, pharmacy trips, banking, and visits to the senior center.	60+	Must call by noon the day before (or Friday for a Monday trip) to schedule your ride	**(732) 571-6542** Long Branch Transportation Services
5. Ocean	Free transportation using township van for medical and shopping, plus county-run trips to Shoprite and Wegmans	65+	**Mon/Wed/Fri** (Medical trips) 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. **Tuesday & Thursday** (Shopping trips) 9:00 A.M.- 2:00P.M.	**(732)531-2600** Ocean Township Senior Transportation

4. NJ TRANSIT Services

NJTRANSIT The Way To Go.

Address: 2 Gateway
283-299 Market St. Newark, NJ 07102
Phone: (973) 275-5555
Website: www.njtransit.com

About

As the third largest transit system in the U.S., operates 166 rail stations, 62 light rail stations, more than 19,000 bus stops, connecting key destinations in New Jersey, New York, and Philadelphia.

1. Transportation by Train

The North Jersey Coast Line offers direct access to Newark, New York City and other major destinations, with key transfer points at Newark Penn Station, Secaucus Junction and Long Branch. The North Jersey Coast Line travels through Monmouth stations which include:

- Aberdeen-Matawan, Hazlet, Middletown, Red Bank, Little Silver, Long Branch, Elberon, Allenhurst, Asbury Park, Bradley Beach, Belmar, Spring Lake and Manasquan.

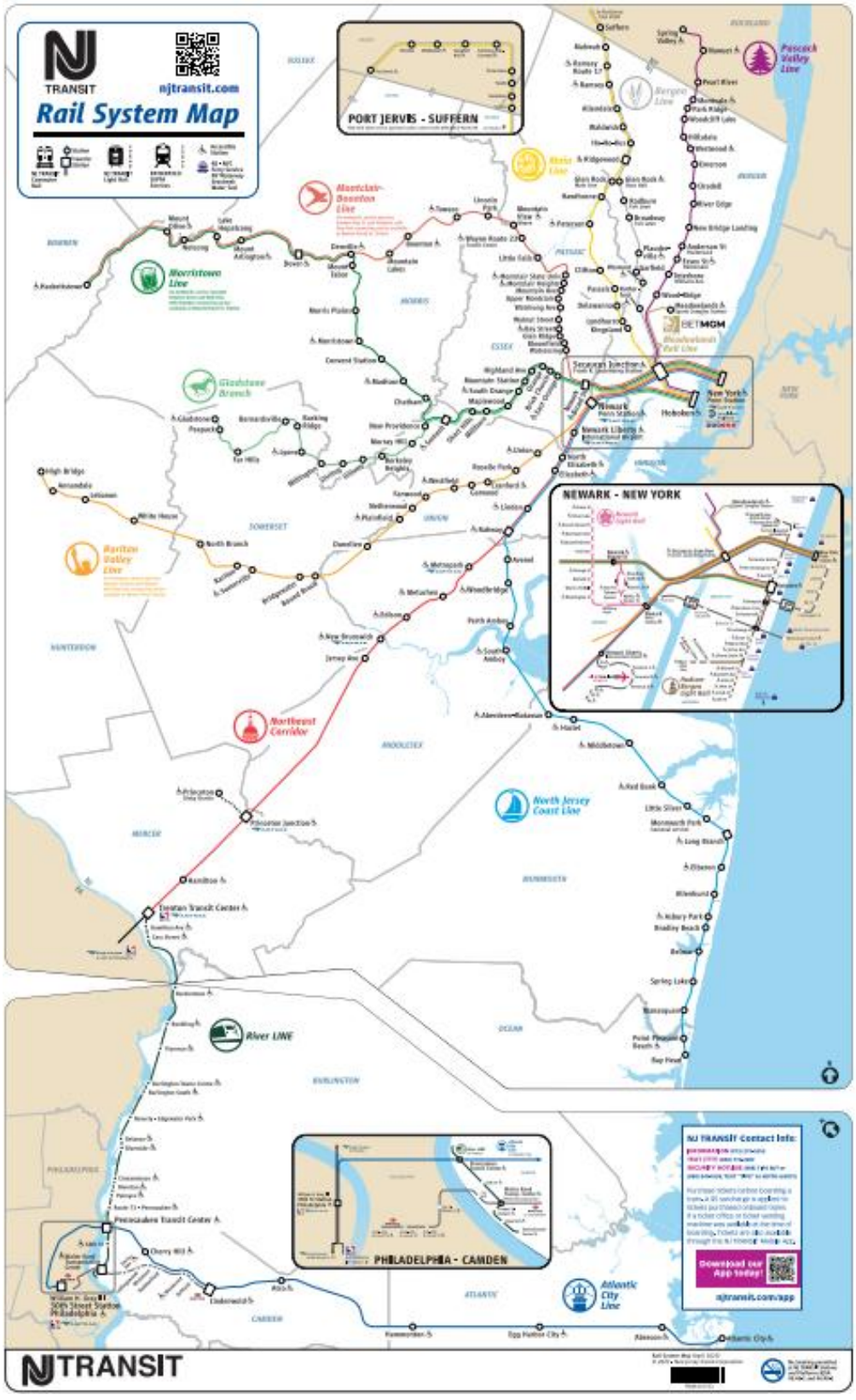
Train Schedules – Schedules for each line are available by selecting 'Weekdays' and/or 'Weekends/Holidays' in the table below.

Train Line	Schedule	
North Jersey Coast Line	Weekdays	Weekends/Holidays

You can plan your upcoming trip itinerary by train by clicking here. Use the link to explore available train schedules, browse different routes and purchase tickets.

NJ TRANSIT Services

To view the NJ TRANSIT Rail System map, **click here** or on the map



2. Planning Your Trip by Bus

NJ TRANSIT operates multiple bus lines in Monmouth County. You can:

- Explore routes online using the NJ TRANSIT Bus Point-to-Point tool.
- Contact NJ TRANSIT customer service at **(973) 275-5555**

How to Read a Timetable

Service Designation

Destination

To Red Bank

Pickup/Dropoff locations along the route

Weekdays

Broadway at Washington St.	WEST LONG BRANCH Oceanport Ave. at Rt. 36	OCEANPORT Oceanport Gardens	EATONTOWN Monmouth Mall	EATONTOWN Fort Monmouth (Main Gate)	SHREWSBURY Broad St. at Sycamore Ave.	RED BANK Red Bank Rail Station
MAP REFERENCE						
	6	5	4	3	2	1
09	613	–	626	632	635	645
09	713	–	726	732	735	745
09	813	–	826	832	835	845
09	913	916	932	940	944	954
14	1018	–	1032	1040	1044	1054
09	1113	–	1127	1135	1139	1149
09	**1213**	**1216**	**1232**	**1240**	**1244**	**1254**
14	**118**	–	**132**	**140**	**144**	**154**
09	**213**	–	**227**	**235**	**239**	**249**
09	**313**	**316**	**334**	**341**	**345**	**356**
14	**418**	–	**434**	**441**	**445**	**456**
14	**518**	–	**534**	**541**	**545**	**556**
14	**618**	–	**631**	**637**	**640**	**648**

Saturdays

LONG BRANCH Long Branch Rail Station	LONG BRANCH Broadway at Washington St.	WEST LONG BRANCH Oceanport Ave. at Rt. 36	OCEANPORT Oceanport Gardens	EATONTOWN Monmouth Mall	EATONTOWN Fort Monmouth (Main Gate)	SHREWSBURY Broad St. at Sycamore Ave.
MAP REFERENCE						
9	8	6	5	4	3	2
800	810	814	–	827	834	837
900	910	914	917	934	941	945
1003	1013	1017	–	1032	1039	1043
1100	1110	1114	–	1129	1136	1140
1200	**1210**	**1214**	**1217**	**1234**	**1241**	**1245**
103	**113**	**117**	–	**132**	**139**	**143**
200	**210**	**214**	–	**229**	**236**	**240**
300	**310**	**314**	**317**	**335**	**342**	**345**
403	**413**	**417**	–	**432**	**439**	**442**
500	**510**	**514**	–	**529**	**536**	**539**
600	**610**	**614**	–	**629**	**636**	**639**

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Route Number



Times the bus will arrive at each stop

MyBus

MyBus is NJ TRANSIT's real-time information system for bus customers. It provides live bus location and arrival details.

- Call **(973) 275-5555** or text your bus stop number to MYBUS (69287)
- Find your bus stop ID online at njtransit.com or on MYBUS signs at bus stops statewide.



Tap and Ride

Use the new Tap & Ride option to pay your one-way fare on-board NJ TRANSIT buses using contactless payment cards.

- As you board, tap your contactless credit or debit card on the on-board validator.
- Provide the number of zones you wish to travel to the bus operator for the proper fare. Take a seat and enjoy your ride – it's that easy.



3. Fares & Discounts

- NJ TRANSIT operates on a zone-based fare system, where costs depend on the number of zones traveled.
- Fares are subject to change and may vary by service. For the most up-to-date and detailed fare information, including current prices, monthly passes, reduced fares and fare zones visit the NJ TRANSIT Fare Guide.

Fares/Monthly Pass	Fare	Transfer
Reduced Fare	**$0.80 - $0.85**	**$0.30**
Full Fare	**$1.80**	**$0.80 (South Jersey)** **$0.85 (North Jersey)**
Monthly Pass	**$67.00**	
Bus (Fare priced by # of zones traveled)	**$1.80 - $55.75** **(One-Way)**	
Rail	**$1.70 $23.85** **(One-Way)**	

Deals

1. Student Pass	25% Savings	Student Pass
2. Family Super Saver Fares	Up to three kids 4 and under always ride free with a customer paying any valid fare. No ticket required for the kids 4 and under.	Family Fares
3. Reduced Fare	• Eligibility: Seniors, people with disabilities or military personnel • Discount: 50% or more on a regular one-way fare. • Application required	Reduced Fare

Reduced Fare Program - Participating Private Bus Companies

- Academy Bus
- Atlantic City Jitney Association
- Coach USA, which includes:
  - Community Coach Lines
  - Hudson Transit Lines / Short Line
  - Olympia Trails Bus Co. Inc.
  - Rockland Coaches, Inc.
  - Suburban Transit Corp.
- Lakeland Bus Lines, Inc.
- Trans-Bridge Lines, Inc.
- Salem County — Community Shuttle
- NY Waterway
- Seastreak

4. NJ TRANSIT Trip Planner

NJ TRANSIT's official trip planner is a user-friendly tool designed to help passengers plan their journeys across NJ TRANSIT's extensive network of buses, trains, and light rail services. With the trip planner, you can

- Enter your starting location and destination to receive step-by-step directions
- View schedules, travel times, and route options for your trip
- Check fare information for your chosen route
- Customize your trip by selecting preferences like travel time, fewer transfers, or specific transit modes

Visit NJ TRANSIT Official Trip Planner or **download** the NJ TRANSIT mobile app.

GET IT ON Google Play | Download on the App Store

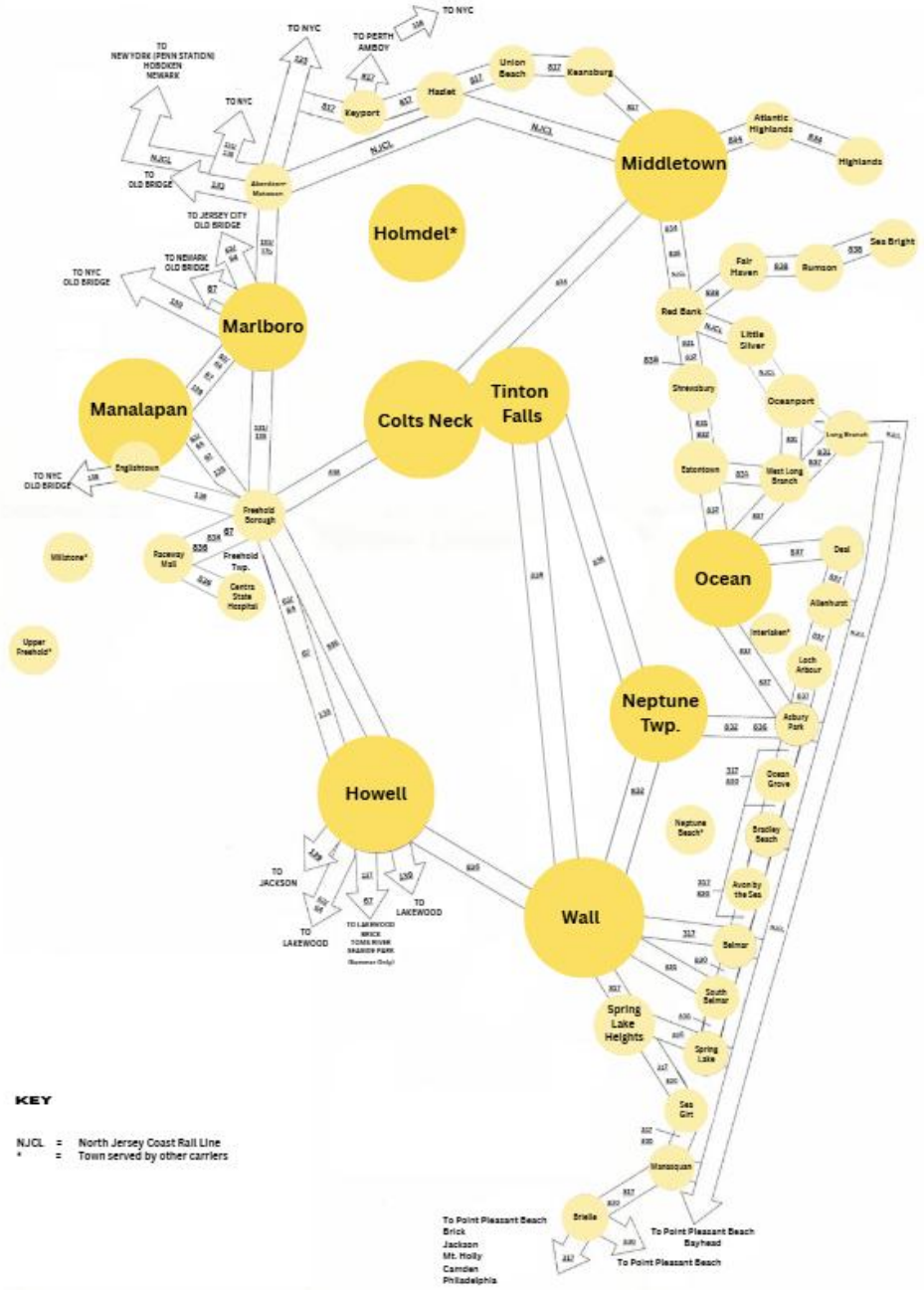
Not sure which route to take? Reach out to EZ Ride for Trip Planning assistance: (201) 939-4242.

5. NJ TRANSIT Bus & Rail Services – Monmouth County

NJ TRANSIT offers extensive bus and rail connections within Monmouth and to New York City. To view individual routes and train lines:

- Click on the map below or **click here** to open the interactive map.
- Once the map is open, select a bus route or train line to see its schedule and details.

The map will guide you step by step on how to explore routes, connections, and schedules.



6. NJ TRANSIT Bus Routes

NJ TRANSIT operates 17 bus routes in Monmouth County, providing a range of travel options:

- Six routes connecting to New York City
- One route connecting to Philadelphia
- Ten routes serving destinations within Monmouth County

The table below summarizes these routes, including links to their schedules for easy reference.

Table – 1. NJ TRANSIT Bus Routes in Monmouth County

Local Bus Routes	Route Number	Bus Routes to New York	Route Number
Lakewood - Jersey City - Weehawken	63/64	Lakewood - Howell - Freehold - New York	130/132/ 136/139
Toms River - Lakewood - Newark	67	Old Bridge - Matawan - Aberdeen - New York	133
Perth Amboy – Campbell Junction	817	Freehold - Aberdeen - Matawan - Old Bridge - Sayreville - New York	131/135
Asbury Park - Point Pleasant Beach	830	Lakewood - Freehold Mall – New York (Express)	136
Red Bank - Monmouth Mall - Long Branch	831	Toms River - New York	137
Red Bank - Brookdale CC - Asbury Park	832	Perth Amboy - Freehold	116
Red Bank – Highlands	834		
Asbury Park - Freehold Raceway Mall – Centra State Medical Center	836		
Long Branch - Asbury Park - Seaview Square Mall	837		
Freehold - Red Bank - Sea Bright	838		
Bus Routes to Philadelphia	**Route Number**		
Asbury Park - Ft. Dix - Philadelphia	317		

Bus Point-to-Point

- Use **Bus Point-to-Point** tool to plan your route.
- Enter your start and end locations, travel date, and time to see recommended routes, transfers, travel times, and bus schedules.
- You can save or print the itinerary for easy reference and check for any service updates or delays before your trip.

5. NJ TRANSIT Access Link

Address: 2 Gateway, 283-299 Market St., Newark, NJ 07102

Phone: (973) 491-4224

Website: www.njtransit.com/accessibility/access-link-ada-paratransit

About

- Curb-to-curb wheelchair accessible transportation service for individuals with disabilities who cannot use regular fixed-route buses.
- Access Link service is comparable to the bus in that it is available during the same days and hours as the regularly scheduled local fixed route bus service, including weekends and holidays.

Key Features

- **Curb-to-curb Service** - Shared ride transportation with pick-up and drop-off points located within 3/4 of a mile of a fixed bus route or light rail station.
- **Pick-Up Timeframe** - Drivers operate within a 20-minute window before or after the scheduled pick-up time.
- **Types of Trips** - Access Link can be used for medical, social, recreational, shopping, and other travel purposes.

6. Bikes on Buses & Trains

NJ TRANSIT provides cyclists with a convenient and flexible way to travel across New Jersey, seamlessly combining bike, bus, and train options. Whether commuting, exploring, or choosing an eco-friendly trip, knowing how to bring your bike along can make your journey easier and more enjoyable.

Bikes on Buses

- Get your bike and gear ready as the bus approaches.
- Signal the driver that you'll be using the bike rack once the bus stops.
- Use one hand to lower the rack and the other to lift your bike onto it.
- Place the tires in the slots labeled "front" and "back."
- Pull the support bar over the front tire to secure the bike.
- Before getting off, let the driver know you'll be unloading your bike.
- When unloading, release the support bar, remove your bike, and fold the rack back up.

Bikes on Trains

- ***Foldable bicycles*** are permitted on all NJ TRANSIT trains at all times.
- ***Standard bicycles*** are not permitted on weekday peak-direction trains:
  - Inbound trains arriving in Newark, Hoboken, or NY 6:00–10:00 A.M.
  - Outbound trains departing Newark, Hoboken, or NY 4:00–7:00 P.M.
- Use designated bike areas, usually located in ADA-accessible sections near the doors.
- Wheelchair users have priority in these spaces.
- Secure your bike to keep it stable during the trip.

Bikes on PATH Trains

- For those looking to transport their bicycles via PATH train, different equipment and loading procedures are in place.
- ***Folded bicycles*** are permitted on PATH at all times, with a limit of two bikes per car.
- Electric bicycles (e-bikes) and electric scooters are not allowed on PATH trains at any time

7. TNC's & Related Transportation Programs

Transportation Network Companies (TNC's)

A Transportation Network Company (TNC) is a service that connects passengers with drivers via a mobile app or online/web-based platform, providing on-demand transportation. When selecting a TNC, consider factors such as accessibility, cost, ease of use and service availability in your area.

Lyft

On demand 24/7 car service.
You will first have to sign up by downloading the app on your cell phone and set up an account with your credit card.
Website: www.lyft.com

Uber

On demand 24/7 car service.
You will first have to sign up by downloading the app on your cell phone and set up an account with your credit card.
Website: www.uber.com

Transportation Programs Using TNC's

EZ Ryde4Life®

Rides on demand with Lyft & Uber
Statewide transportation service for adults ages 18 and older. Membership is required and no smartphone is needed.

Phone: (201) 939-4242, Option 4
Website: ezride.org/ezryde4life

Go-Go Grandparent

On demand 24/7 car service.
Transportation through Lyft or Uber and deliveries of meals and groceries via DoorDash or Instacart. Membership is required and no smartphone is needed.

Phone: (855) 646-6872 ext. 3960
Website: get.gogograndparent.com

8. Non-Profit Transportation Providers



Address: 3535 Route 66, Parkway 100 Bld. 4
Neptune Township, NJ 07753
Phone: (732) 389-2958
Website:
https://housingall.org/housingstability/#CAP

Transportation Assistance

- Monmouth County residents can apply for transportation assistance through the Community Action Program (CAP).
- Transportation support can be used for:
  - Work or job training
  - School or educational programs
  - Medical appointments, medication pick-up, or other essential medical needs
  - Grocery shopping, food banks, or essential food-related destinations
- Rides must be scheduled in advance and are subject to availability.

NJ TRANSIT Bus & Light Rail Passes

- Eligible Monmouth County residents can apply to receive NJ TRANSIT bus and light rail passes to assist with:
  - Work or job training
  - School or educational programs
  - Medical appointments, medication pick-up, or other essential medical needs
  - Grocery shopping, food banks, or essential food-related destinations
- Passes can be used on both buses and light rail
- One-way tickets are valid for 2 years from the date of purchase

Non-Profit Transportation Providers

American Cancer Society

Address: 270 Peachtree St NW, Suite 1300
Atlanta, GA 30303
Phone: (800) 277-2345 ext. 5
Website: www.cancer.org

Road to Recovery Program

The program uses volunteer drivers to offer free transportation exclusively for cancer patients who need assistance getting to and from their medical appointments, including chemotherapy, radiation, or follow-up visits.

- The service availability depends on the number of volunteer drivers in your area.
- Patients must call ahead to schedule rides – same day requests may not be possible
- Formal account is not required, but information such as diagnosis, treatment, location and appointment details will be needed.

The Arc of Monmouth

Address: 1158 Wayside Rd.
Tinton Falls, NJ 07712
Phone: (732) 493-1919
Website: www.arcofmonmouth.org

Transportation Program

- Free transportation exclusively for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities who are clients of the Arc.
- Access to day programs, medical appointments and community-based activities.
- Supports independence and inclusion for all participants.

Non-Profit Transportation Providers

Caregiver Volunteers of Central Jersey

Adress: 201 Hooper Ave
Toms River, NJ 08753
Phone: (732) 505-2273
Website: caregivervolunteers.org/healthy-hop

Caregiver Volunteer Program

- Free transportation for residents aged 60+
- Limited to 1 round-trip ride per week.
- Provides transportation to medical appointments in volunteer's cars.
- Can offer gentle assistance & escort.
- 2-week advance notice
- Requires preregistration call (732) 505-2273 or complete form online at caregivervolunteers.org

Healthy Hop Program

- Free transportation for Monmouth County residents aged 60+
- Limited to 1 round-trip ride per week.
- Grant funds provide residents with limited round-trip rides to medical appointments.
- Provides on-demand transportation through Uber.
- CVCJ schedules the rides and offers support throughout the process.
- 1-week advance notice
- Requires preregistration call (732) 505-2273 or complete form online at cvcj.org/healthyhop

Address: 144 Park Place, Wood-Ridge, NJ, 07075
Phone: (201) 939-4242
Website: www.ezride.org

About

EZ Ride is a nonprofit organization that provides affordable, safe, and reliable transportation services throughout New Jersey. Its programs are designed to fill the gaps in the public transportation network, ensuring access to essential services, workplaces, schools, medical appointments and more.

1. Shuttle Program

The shuttle program serves as an extension of public transit and connects key transit hubs, train stations and bus terminals to workplaces and other destinations.

Phone: (201) 939-4242 Option 1
Website: Shuttle Program

2. EZ Ryde4Life Program

EZ Ryde4Life is a membership-based program that provides rides for adults 18 years or older in partnership with Lyft and Uber throughout New Jersey. The program is entirely app-free and does not require a smartphone.

Phone: (201) 939-4242 Option 4
Website: EZ Ryde4life Program

How to Register?

- Register by providing a credit or debit card. No reservations are required; rides are scheduled on demand.
- To speak with a live representative, call (201) 939-4242 Option 4, or fill out an application online, or print the registration form and mail it to our office at: 144 Park Place East, Wood-Ridge, NJ 07075

What Does it Cost?

- Non-refundable one-time registration fee: $10
- Ride fee: based on Lyft or Uber rates + administrative fee: $2.50 per ride

3. Carpool & Vanpool Program

EZ Ride's free ride-matching service connects you with New Jersey's largest commuter network, making it easy to find carpool or vanpool partners that fit your schedule. By sharing rides, participants save on commuting costs such as gas, tolls, and parking, while reducing wear and tear on their vehicles.

- 📞 **Phone: (201) 939-4242 Option 2**
- 🌐 **Website: Carpool Program - Vanpool Program**

To start a carpool/vanpool or like to join an existing carpool click **www.njrideshare.com**.

4. Wheels 4 Work Program

The Wheels 4 Work program provides a used, refurbished bicycle to individuals with financial constraints for work or school-related transportation.

- 📞 **Phone: (201) 939-4242 Option 3**
- 🌐 **Website: Bike/Pedestrian Program**

To participate, **fill out this application** and email **bikeped@ezride.org**.

9. Private Wheelchair Accessible Transportation

Address: 3600 Route 66, Ste 150
Neptune City, NJ, 07753
Phone: (**551) 225-0080**
Website: ride.life

Services

- Non-emergency transportation for individuals with disabilities, medical needs, or mobility limitations.
- Door-to-door assistance is available upon request.
- Ride costs vary based on distance traveled and the type of vehicle required.
- To schedule a ride or receive a quote, call or request a quote online.

Address: 788 Shrewsbury Avenue
Tinton Falls, NJ, 07701
Phone: (**732) 761-5555**
Website: marvelmedicaltransport.com

Services

- Non-emergency medical transportation for older adults and individuals with mobility or health-related transportation
- Service limited to challenges across Monmouth County and neighboring areas.
- Fleet features ADA-compliant vehicles, equipped with hydraulic lifts and electric ramps, and staff are trained to offer door-through-door assistance.
- Schedule rides 24-48 hours in advance.

10. Microtransit

microLink powered by NJ TRANSIT

Phone: (973) 233-4047
Website: njtransit.com/microlink

Services

- Complimentary service in Monmouth and Bergen County for riders 13 years of age or older (children under 13 may ride when accompanied by a parent or guardian).
- Service available Monday–Friday from 6:00 AM to 8:00 PM (no weekend service)
- Rides must begin or end at designated NJ TRANSIT bus stops within the service zone.
- Book rides on-demand through the MicroLink app or by phone; no reservations required in advance.
- To request a wheelchair accessible vehicle (WAV), tap Accessibility in the app menu and complete the form before booking — or call **(973) 233-4047** for assistance.
- Visit NJTransit.com/MicroLink for service areas, connection points, and more information
- Download the MicroLink App below: Available for free on both major app stores.

Download on the App Store GET IT ON Google Play

MicroLink - Monmouth

Below are the municipalities and connection points from Monmouth County where MicroLink is currently served.

Monmouth County

- Freehold - Ride to the Freehold Mall and connect to the 63, 64, 67, and 139.
- Manalapan - Route 9 & Union Hill Road Park & Ride area

Important note: Previously, bus route No. 139 had a limited number of peak period trips through the Covered Bridge and Yorktown areas of Manalapan and the Stonehurst and Raintree areas of Freehold Township. Those trips will no longer divert off Rt. 9 into those areas. Customers will be able to connect to the No. 139 bus through the new MicroLink service, which offers improved accessibility by having extended hours of service and the ability for customers to book trips "on-demand."



Feel Good Shuttles

Address: Avon By The Sea, NJ, 07717

Phone: (805) 262-7812

Website: FeelGoodShuttles.com

Services

- Free seasonal on-demand electric vehicle service in Belmar, Avon, Bradley Beach, and Asbury Park.
- Service available only from Memorial Day Weekend until end of summer.
- Transportation to local shops, appointments, and attractions
- Service operates along set routes with designated stops. No reservations are needed.
- Visit FeelGoodShuttles.com for current routes, service areas, and schedules.

11. Local Taxi Companies

Looking for an alternative way to get around Monmouth County? This section provides an overview of taxi companies in the area. You'll also find links to their websites, making it easy to compare rates, book rides and learn more about the services they offer.

1. **ABC Taxi & Limo NJ (Monmouth Junction)**
   - **Phone: 1-888-222-5459**
   - **Website: abctaxilimonj.com**

2. **Adams Ride Share (Bradley Beach)**
   - **Phone: (848) 212-0393**

3. **A One Taxi (Eatontown)**
   - **Phone: (732) 962-6000**

4. **Dependable Taxi and Car Service (Howell)**
   - **Phone: (732) 534-5414**
   - **Website: dependabletaxiandcarservice.com**

5. **Exclusive Taxi & Car Service**
   - **Phone: (833) 455-LIMO (5466) or (609) 686-LIMO (5466)**
   - **Website: exclusivetaxiandcarservice.com**

6. **KB Taxi (Freehold)**
   - **Phone: (732) 239-1480 or (732) 995-9775**
   - **Website: kbtaxiservice.com**

7. **Ride Leon's (Manasquan)**
   - **Phone: (732) 528-5366**
   - **Website: rideleons.com**

8. **NJ Luxury Rides – Monmouth County**
   - **Phone: (732) 852-3289**
   - **Website: njluxuryrides.com**

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9. **NJ Star Limo – Monmouth County**
   - 📞 **Phone: (201) 266-0577**
   - 🌐 **Website**: **njstarlimo.com**

10. **Pearl of Monmouth County Taxi and Limousine**
    - 📞 **Phone: (732) 965-7020**
    - 🌐 **Website: redbanknjairporttaxi.com**

11. **Princeton Taxi Service – Monmouth County**
    - 📞 **Phone: (609) 672-7072**
    - 🌐 **Website: princetontaxiservice.com**

12. **Shore Cab (Long Branch)**
    - 📞 **Phone: (732) 222-6688**
    - 🌐 **Website: shore-cab.com**

13. **Surf Taxi (Asbury Park)**
    - 📞 **Phone: (732) 774-5500**

14. **USA Taxi (Aberdeen/Holmdel)**
    - 📞 **Phone: (732) 977-5177**
    - 🌐 **Website: usataxi.net**

12. Private Bus Service

For those seeking private bus services in Monmouth County, the list below highlights options offering regular and charter service routes to major destinations like New York City, Philadelphia, and beyond. Each listing includes departure points, destinations, and website links for schedules and bookings—making trip planning simple and convenient.

Fixed Routes

4. **Academy**
   - **From:** Monmouth county towns (e.g, Hazlet, Keyport, Middletown, Red Bank, Long Branch)
   - **To:** NYC Port Authority and Wall Street
   - 🌐 **Website:** Academy Commute

2. **Coach USA**
   - **From:** Coastal Monmouth County via Point Pleasant Park & Ride through communities
   - **To:** Port Authority and Wall Street
   - 🌐 **Website:** Coach USA Schedules

Charter Services

1. **Academy Bus**
   - **Type of Vehicles:** 38-seat minibuses to 54-passenger coaches
   - 📞 **Phone: (800) 442-7272 or (201) 420-7000**
   - 🌐 **Website:** Academy Bus Schedules

2. **GOGO Charters**
   - **Type of Vehicles:** 18 to 56-passenger buses for custom group travel
   - 📞 **Phone: (877) 995-0266**
   - 🌐 **Website:** Reserve online

3. **Luxe Limo Service**
   - **Type of Vehicles:** Minibuses (up to 31 passengers) and motor coaches (up to 56 passengers)
   - 📞 **Phone: (732) 858-5893**
   - 🌐 **Website:** luxelimoservice.com

4. **Panorama Tours**
   - **Type of Vehicles:** 56 passenger coaches
   - 📞 **Phone: (973) 470-9700**
   - 🌐 **Website:** Panorama Bus Services
5. **Punctual Express**
   - **Vehicles:** Minivans, minibuses (14–30 passengers), full-size motor coaches
   - 📞 **Phone: +1 (718) 874-1474**
   - 🌐 **Website:** Punctual Express - Book A Ride
6. **Stout‘s Transportation**
   - **Vehicles:** 20, 29, 38, and 56-passenger coaches for group travel
   - 📞 **Phone: (609) 883-8891**
   - 🌐 **Website:** Stout's Charter Services

13. Ferry Service

seastreak

📍 **Address:** 2 First Avenue
Atlantic Highlands, NJ 07716
📞 **Phone: (800) 262-8743 1 (800) BOAT-RIDE)**
🌐 **Website:** seastreak.com/ferry-routes-and-schedules

Service To New York City

- Service available seven days a week, year-round from the following ferry terminals:
    - Highlands and Atlantic Highlands to East 35th St. NYC
    - Belford Ferry Terminal to West 39th St. NYC
    - Sandy Hook Beach to East 35th St. NYC (*Seasonal March 15 to September 15)*
- Overnight Parking available in Atlantic Highlands and Highlands between 11:30pm – 5am. $10/night – main lot and $5/night in overflow lot
- Shuttle service available between Atlantic Highlands, Highlands and Belford, check schedule for departure times.
- Tickets are available for purchase at port of departure or online.

14. NJTIP At Rutgers University

RUTGERS–NEW BRUNSWICK
Edward J. Bloustein School of Planning and Public Policy

Address: 33 Livingston Avenue
New Brunswick, NJ, 08901
Phone: (848) 932-4499
Website: vtc.rutgers.edu/njtip

Travel Training Program

- The New Jersey Travel Independence Program (NJTIP) at Rutgers University helps expand mobility for older adults and people with disabilities through personalized travel instruction.
- The program teaches safe, independent travel skills across all public transportation modes, including buses, trains, light rail, and both county and private transit systems.
- NJTIP provides one-on-one training, where instructors guide participants in learning to travel independently, as well as small group and in-school sessions that promote social learning among participants.

15. EV Resources

EV Charging Station Map

www.plugshare.com

- PlugShare is a free application designed by a private company to help electric vehicle (EV) drivers easily locate charging stations, contribute reviews, and connect with fellow plug-in vehicle enthusiasts.
- The app features the world's most comprehensive public charging map, encompassing stations from all major networks across North America, Europe, and beyond. Supported by the largest global community of EV drivers.
- PlugShare continuously updates its database, ensuring users always have access to the latest and most accurate information.

EV Road Trip Planner

- A Better Routeplanner (ABRP) is a private application for planning road trips and learning about electric vehicles (EVs).
- Simply select your vehicle model, enter your destination, and choose "Plan" to generate a full trip itinerary that includes suggested charge stops and accurate trip duration.

A Better Routeplanner

www.abetterrouteplanner.com

16. Conclusion

Embracing a Connected Future

Key Takeaways

1. Public Transit: NJ TRANSIT's extensive network of buses and trains connects Monmouth County internally and to major hubs.

2. Inclusive Transportation: Specialized services ensure that older adults and individuals with disabilities can travel independently and affordably.

3. Alternative Options: From bike-friendly initiatives to carpooling and EV support, Monmouth County is embracing eco-friendly transportation alternatives.

4. Community-Focused Solutions: A variety of solutions demonstrate a commitment to addressing specific local transportation needs.

Moving Forward Together

By leveraging diverse transportation options, we can create a more connected, accessible, and sustainable Monmouth County. Whether you're a daily commuter, an occasional traveler, or planning for future mobility needs, this guide serves as a roadmap to smarter transportation choices.

Let's continue to embrace innovation in mobility, reduce our environmental impact, and enhance the quality of life for all Monmouth County residents. Together, we're not just moving from place to place – we're moving towards a brighter, more connected future.