

SAYING GOODBYE TO HEADWAYS, FINAL ISSUE A NEW ERA OF RIDER INFORMATION

Real time tools and streamlined route brochures will carry forward the spirit of Headways—clear, reliable information for every rider.



Santa Cruz METRO has proudly published *Headways*, our quarterly bus riders guide, with each schedule change for decades. Over the years, *Headways* became more than a booklet—it became a trusted companion for riders, a place where route details lived alongside stories celebrating METRO’s dedicated staff and features showcasing the initiatives that shaped our agency’s growth. It holds a special place in our history, and we honor the many chapters it has helped us tell.

As METRO continues to evolve, new technology now allows us to share information with our community more efficiently and in real time. **With this progress in mind, the Spring 2026 issue will be the final edition of Headways.**

Riders can continue to find up to the minute route and schedule updates through METRO’s preferred provider, the Transit app, offering reliable information right at your fingertips. Schedules, employee spotlights, and METRO programs will also remain available on METRO’s website.

For riders who prefer printed materials, METRO will introduce new individual route brochures beginning Summer 2026. These guides provide clear, route specific details and schedules, making it easy to access the information you need without relying on digital tools. They also help reduce paper use by replacing the larger, more resource intensive Headways booklet, supporting METRO’s environmental stewardship goals.

We are excited about this transition and confident that these new tools—both digital and printed—will offer riders even more accessible, reliable, and timely information. Thank you for being part of the METRO community—we look forward to keeping you connected wherever your journey takes you.

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