



Yuma County Area Transit Fare & Service Changes Effective Monday, January 9, 2012

These changes will help improve reliability, speed up the routes and improve the overall efficiency of transit services. Bus stops will be placed every ¼ mile to provide convenience to riders wanting to access routes. Routes will no longer serve parking lots to speed up the running time. **Schedules and maps will be available on Monday, January 2, 2012. Please call (928) 783-2235 or visit www.ycat.org to view schedules and maps for the new routes.**

Route #	Description of Service Change
Red Route 1 Central Yuma Circulator via 4 th Ave (Counter Clockwise)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>New route!</u> that would operate from Yuma Palms Regional Center Transit Center in a counter-clockwise direction in the City of Yuma serving Redondo Center Drive, 1st Street, 4th Ave, West Yuma Transfer Hub at Walmart on 26th St at Avenue B, 32nd Street, Yuma Airport & Pacific Avenue. • Serving the commercial core of Yuma with extension to Paradise Casino and Winterhaven to connect with Imperial Valley Transit for travel to El Centro, Imperial Valley College and Holtville. • On Wednesday will operate at 7:30 pm to connect with IVT Route 300 if passengers on that bus request service on Tuesday prior by 12:00 noon. • This route would operate from 6:30 a.m. to 7:23 p.m. (last trip at 6:30 p.m.), Monday through Friday and 9:30 a.m. to 5:23 p.m. (last trip at 4:30 p.m.) on Saturday every 60 minutes.
Orange Route 2 Colleges & Fortuna Foothills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This route will no longer serve Wellton and operate from Yuma Palms Regional Center Transit Center via 16th Street, Araby Road, Arizona Western College (AWC)/Northern Arizona University (NAU), Avenue 9E, Walmart Foothills, Fortuna Road and 38th Place. See Gold Route 8 for service to Wellton and Foothills Boulevard. • Trips will alternate between Yuma Fun Factory and El Prado and Sierra Pacific Mobile Home Parks, see schedule. • This route would operate from 6:30 a.m. to 7:14 p.m. (last trip at 6:30 p.m.), Monday through Thursday, 6:30 a.m. to 6:14 p.m. (last trip at 5:30 p.m.), Friday and from 9:30 a.m. to 5:27 p.m. (last trip at 4:30 p.m.) on Saturday every 60 minutes.
Yellow Route 95 Highway 95 South	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This route will be streamlined to operate in Yuma via Avenue B, 24th Street and 16th Street. Within San Luis, the bus will reroute to end at Main Street and C Street in San Luis (by Chevron) to avoid traffic congestion near the Border. • This route will travel via 4th Avenue and 16th Street towards Yuma Palms Regional Center Transit Center and via 24th Street and 4th Avenue southbound to San Luis. Service will no longer be provided on 21st Street or 17th Street. • This route would operate from 6:30 a.m. to 7:22 p.m. (last trip from San Luis & Yuma at 6:30 p.m.), Monday through Friday and from 9:30 a.m. to 6:22 p.m. (last trip from San Luis & Yuma at 5:30 p.m.) on Saturday every 60 minutes.
Green Route 4 Central Yuma Circulator via Pacific Avenue (Clockwise)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This route will continue to operate in the clockwise direction within the City of Yuma from Yuma Palms Regional Center Transit Center via Pacific Avenue, Marine Corps Air Station Yuma, West Yuma Transfer Hub at Walmart on 26th Street at Avenue B, MCAS Housing and 3rd Street in downtown Yuma to Yuma Palms Regional Center Transit Center via Castle Dome Avenue. • Service will be discontinued to 40th Street due to low ridership. • This route will operate from 6:30 a.m. to 6:22 p.m. (last trip at 5:30 p.m.), Monday through Friday and 9:30 a.m. to 5:22 p.m. (last trip at 4:30 p.m.) on Saturday every 60 minutes.
Blue Route	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This route will be permanently discontinued. Portions of this route would be covered by Orange Route 2 to AWC/NAU, Walmart Foothills and El Prado and Sierra Pacific Mobile Home Parks, Green Route 4 to Marine Corps Air Station Yuma and destinations formally on this route are within walking distance to Kennedy Lane and Arizona Avenue from other YCAT routes.
Purple Route 6 Avenue A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This route will be streamlined to operate via Riverside Drive, Avenue C, 8th Street, Avenue A, 24th Street to West Yuma Transfer Hub at Walmart on 26th Street at Avenue B, every 60 minutes, from 7:15 a.m. to 6:10 p.m., Monday through Friday (last trip at 5:15 p.m. from Cocopah North Reservation and 5:45 p.m. from Yuma). • Service to Cocopah RV Park is on request and the route will provide route deviations within the North Cocopah Reservation areas. See Violet Route 7 for deviation policies. • For service to Avenue B, Cocopah Casino, Mesa Verde/Orange Grove area and Cocopah East and West Reservations, take Violet Route 7, Monday through Friday. • On Saturday, this route will operate every two hours from 10:00 a.m. to 4:53 p.m. and be extended to serve areas covered by Violet Route 7, which includes Avenue A, Cocopah Casino, Mesa Verde/Orange Grove area and Cocopah East Reservation (westbound only) and West Reservation. Service to Cocopah RV Resort would be on request. (last trip at 4:00 p.m. from Cocopah North Reservation & 3:00 p.m. from Cocopah West Reservation). This route will deviate up to ¾ mile radius within the Cocopah Tribe Reservations. See Violet Route 7 for deviation policies.

<p>Violet Route 7 Cocopah Shuttle</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New route! that would operate as a deviated fixed route between Cocopah West Reservation, Cocopah East Reservation (westbound only), Mesa Verde/Orange Grove area and Cocopah Casino every 60 minutes, from 7:45 a.m. to 6:45 p.m., Monday through Friday (last trip from Cocopah West Reservation at 5:45 p.m. and from Yuma at 6:15 p.m.). This route will provide route deviation service within ¾ mile radius of the route. • Transfer to Yellow Route 95 to continue into Yuma at Cocopah Casino. • On Saturday, use Purple Route 6 for service to these destinations. • No more than four (4) total deviations per one way trip, provided that 4 deviations can be made at the discretion of dispatch or driver. ADA passengers have first priority and may bump others. • Deviations are to be reserved at least 60 minutes in advance up to seven days in advance. • The bus will only wait two minutes before proceeding on. Passengers must be ready! • A passenger may only request up to two (2) deviations, unless passengers loads are light to warrant more deviations based on the dispatcher or driver discretion. Only one (1) pick up deviation and one (1) drop off deviation within a ¾ mile radius of the route.
<p>Grey Route</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This route would be discontinued. Use the new Violet Route 7 for service between Cocopah West Reservation, Cocopah East Reservation (westbound only), Cocopah Casino & West Yuma Transfer Hub at Walmart on 26th Street and Avenue B on weekdays and Purple Route 6 on Saturday.
<p>Gold Route 8 Interstate 8/Wellton</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This route will operate as a deviated fixed route departing Wellton, Monday through Friday at 7:15 a.m. arriving in Yuma by 8:15 a.m. and departing Yuma at 3:30 p.m. arriving Wellton at 4:30 p.m. • On Saturday, the route will depart Wellton at 9:15 a.m. arriving Yuma at 10:10 a.m. and depart Yuma at 3:30 p.m. arriving Wellton at 4:30 p.m. Saturday service will operate as a three month pilot and may be discontinued if ridership does not materialize. • This route will make stops at Foothills Blvd, Fortuna Road, Walmart Foothills, AWC/NAU and Yuma Palms Regional Center Transit Center only. Passengers may request the bus to deviate 1 ½ mile radius on either side of the route by calling or simply asking the bus operator. • No more than four (4) total deviations per one way trip, provided that 4 deviations can be made at the discretion of dispatch or driver. ADA passengers have first priority and may bump others. • Deviations are to be reserved at least 60 minutes in advance up to seven days in advance. • The bus will only wait two minutes before proceeding on. Passengers must be ready! • A passenger may only request up to two (2) deviations, unless passengers loads are light to warrant more deviations based on the dispatcher or driver discretion. Only one (1) pick up deviation and one (1) drop off deviation within a 1 ½ mile radius of the route.
<p>Silver Route 9 San Luis-AWC Connector</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This route will operate on AWC/NAU school days only and operate between Main Street and C Street in San Luis (by Chevron) and AWC/NAU via State Route 195. Trips will depart San Luis at 5:55 a.m., 7:05 a.m., 12:35 p.m. and 4:05 p.m. Trips will depart AWC/NAU at 6:30 a.m., 1:15 p.m. (Monday only), 2:15 p.m. (Tuesday-Friday only) and 5:15 p.m. For evening service, use NightCAT.
<p>College Shuttle</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This route would be discontinued. Please use the Orange Route 2 for service to AWC/NAU.
<p>NightCAT</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This new flexible demand responsive service will operate Monday through Friday when AWC/NAU is in session departing the bus stop on campus at 8:10 p.m. and 10:10 p.m. Passengers would tell the bus driver where they need to go and the bus will drop them off at the nearest major intersection. Service area includes Winterhaven, Yuma, Somerton, San Luis, Cocopah Reservations, Fortuna Foothills and unincorporated areas within a ¾ mile radius of existing YCAT routes only. • Pickup only at AWC/NAU. No other pickups allowed outside of AWC/NAU bus stop.
<p>Greater Yuma Area Dial- A- Ride</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Greater Yuma Area Dial-A-Ride service will be modified to eliminate service to Yuma Proving Ground, Tacna, Dateland, Dome Valley and Wellton due to low ridership and high operating cost. • Service will be limited to ADA eligible and WACOG certified passenger only. • Service hours will be limited from 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m., Monday through Friday and 9:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. on Saturday operating within a ¾ mile boundary of YCAT routes only in service at the time of requested trip. • Passengers must reserve their trip at least one day in advance up to seven days in advance. Same day reservations may be available, but not guaranteed. Reservation hours are between 8:00 am and 4:30 pm, Monday through Saturday. Please leave a message at other times on the voice mail. • The bus will only wait two minutes before proceeding on. Passengers must be ready!
<p>Holiday Schedule</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No service on Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day, Presidents Day and Veterans Day in addition to New Years Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day due to low ridership. Limited service between AWC/NAU and Yuma Palms will be available on an advance reservation basis only. The bus will depart AWC at 11:30 am and depart Yuma Palms at 3:30 pm. Please visit AWC Campus Life at 3C Building for additional details.
<p>Customer Service Hours</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Customer service is available on weekdays from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and on Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Greyhound ticket sales available from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday through Saturday. All other times, passengers may leave a message and staff will return the call the next business day.

New Yuma County Area Transit Fares

Description	Basic	Discount	Express
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ages 19-64 years old Youth ages 5-18 years old without student ID 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Seniors age 65 & older Persons with Disabilities Medicare Card Holders ADA Certified Student ages 5-18 years old with school ID 	Commuter routes for all fare categories
One Way	\$2.00	\$1.00	\$5.00
One Way (Using Smart Card)	\$1.75	75 cents	\$4.00
Day YCATPass	\$5.00 (valued at 2.50 trips)	\$2.50 (valued at 2.50 trips)	\$12.50 (valued at 2.5 trips)
Day YCATPass (Using Smart Card)	\$3.50 (valued at 1.75 trips)	\$1.75 (valued at 1.75 trips)	\$10.00 (valued at 2.5 trips)
10-Ride YCATPass (Use Smart Card)	\$17.50 (\$1.75 per ride)	\$7.50 (75 cents per ride)	\$45.00 (valued at \$4.50 per ride)
31-Day YCATPass (Use Smart Card)	\$60.00 (\$1.50 per ride/20 days/2 trips each)	\$30.00 (75 cents per ride/20 days/2 trips each)	\$150.00 (valued at \$3.75 per ride/20 days/2 trips each)
Route Deviation Fare on Rtes 6, 7 & 8	\$2.00	\$2.00	N/A

- No transfers – use Day YCATPass or pay one way fares.
- Cocopah Tribe members can ride free by showing their tribal ID card.
- AWC and NAU students and employees can ride free by showing their student ID card with the current semester sticker.
- WACOG clients ride free for shopping, senior center, pharmacy and medical appointments by showing their Dial-A-Ride ID card.
- YPIC Charter High School and Aztec High School students and employees can ride free by showing their student or employee ID card with current semester sticker.
- Children under 5 ride free – up to four children. Fifth and more children pay discount fare.
- Smart Card Initial Fee - \$2.00.
- Lost Smart Card Replacement Fee - \$5.00.
- Yuma Sun newspaper on buses – 50 cents.
- Class Pass - \$45.00 (Up to 5 adults and 40 students @ \$1.00 per ride).
- This fare structure would be applicable on the evening NightCAT service from AWC/NAU.

New Greater Yuma Area Dial-A-Ride Fares

Description	Within the ADA Fixed Route Zone of ¼ mile on either side of YCAT route
One Way	\$4.00
10-RidePass (paper pass)	\$35.00 (\$3.50 per ride)
Upgrade using Day YCATPass, 10-Ride YCATPass or Monthly YCATPass from YCAT to GYADAR	+\$2.00
WACOG Donation Fare	\$2.00
Buddy Fare (5 or more passengers traveling from/to same location)	\$2.00 per person

- Passengers must be ADA certified or a companion to ride GYADAR as first priority.
- Children under 5 ride free – up to four children. Fifth and more children pay discount fare.
- Dial-A-Ride New Registration Card - \$3.00 (photo ID card) – may also use for discount on YCAT.
- Dial-A-Ride Lost Registration Card - \$5.00 (photo ID card).
- ADA eligible passengers receive free Dial-A-Ride registration card.
- SMILE clients ride free to and from Lost Peepers Program only on 3rd Wednesday of the month.
- WACOG clients may only travel for shopping, senior center, pharmacy and medical appointments only local to their place of residence based on their eligibility.
- One Personal Care Attendant rides free. All other companions pay same fare as eligible passenger.
- Transfers to/from YCAT fixed route buses are free.