

MEDIA ADVISORY

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New West Nashville and Bellevue bus Route 70 Service includes James Lawson High School

NASHVILLE – WeGo Public Transit is announcing a new bus service in West Nashville and Bellevue. It will serve James Lawson High School. Route 70 Bellevue will operate on weekdays from approximately 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. and connect to routes 3B West End/Bellevue and 50 Charlotte Pike. Transfers for route 3B will happen at the Bellevue Park & Ride and at stops in Bellevue along Highway 70S. Route 50 transfers will occur at the Walmart on Charlotte Pike in West Nashville.

On Saturday, July 29 only, WeGo will operate service on a limited basis for anyone attending the James Lawson High School open house. On Friday, August 4, WeGo will operate regular weekday service, plus one additional trip departing the high school at 7:30 p.m. for student orientation. Regular weekday service begins on Monday, August 7.

Bus stops are being placed along Charlotte Pike past Walmart and on Old Hickory Boulevard between Charlotte and Highway 70 South. However, until stops are in place passengers wishing to catch the bus should stand at a safe corner, including driveways to apartment complexes, and flag the bus by waving their arm as it approaches. At the school, passengers will be picked up and dropped off at the same location.

Regular fares will apply, and students who are eligible can use their Metro Nashville Public Schools (MNPS) IDs from last year until September 15. Parents and students should reach out to the school for assistance in obtaining their student IDs. WeGo bus rides for MNPS high school students are provided through the StrIDe program.

Customers with questions can call WeGo Customer Care at 615-862-5950 or email customer.comments@nashville.gov.

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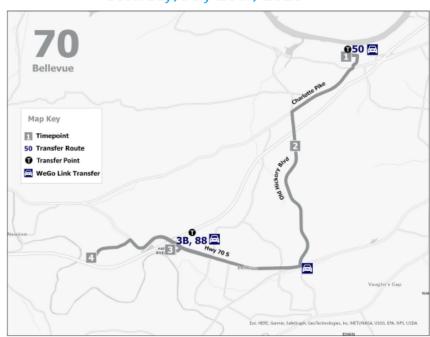
(Schedules attached for Saturday, July 29 service, and regular route 70 service.)

About WeGo Public Transit

The Nashville Metropolitan Transit Authority (Nashville MTA) and the Regional Transportation Authority of Middle Tennessee (RTA) are operating bodies of WeGo Public Transit, which serves 26 local bus routes, eight regional bus routes, and one train serving Davidson and Wilson Counties. Visit WeGoTransit.com.

Route 70 Bellevue

Saturday, July 29th, 2023



			To Bellevue		
Walmart	Old Hickory & I-40	Bellevue Park & Ride	James Lawson High School		
1	2	3	4		
9:47	9:52	10:02	10:12		
10:39	10:44	10:54	11:04		
11:41	11:46	11:56	12:06		

			To Charlotte		
James Lawson High School	Bellevue Park & Ride	Old Hickory & I-40	Walmart		
4	3	2	1		
10:12	10:17	10:26	10:36		
11:10	11:15	. 11:24	11:34		
12:10	12:15	12:24	12:34		

Special Schedule - Saturday, July 29th. Route will begin operating on weekdays on August 4th.

Bold times denote p.m. hours.

Purchase Fare:

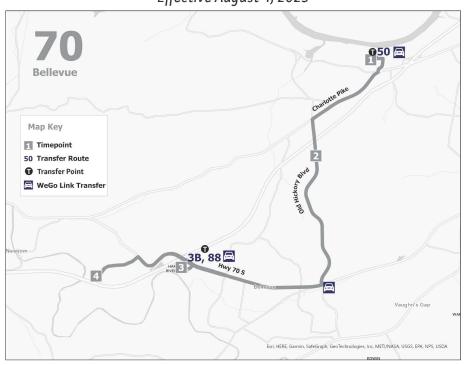


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Route 70 Bellevue

Effective August 4, 2023



Weekdays			To Bellevue	Weekdays			To Charlotte
Walmart	Old Hickory & I-40	Bellevue Park & Ride	James Lawson High School	James Lawson High School	Bellevue Park & Ride	Old Hickory & I-40	Walmart
1	2	3	4	4	.3	2	1
6:29	6:34	6:44	6:54	6:55	7:05	7:13	7:23
7:30	7:35	7:45	7:55	8:00	8:05	8:13	8:23
8:31	8:36	8:46	8:56	9:00	9:05	9:13	9:23
9:31	9:36	9:46	9:56	10:00	10:05	10:14	10:24
10:31	10:36	10:46	10:56	11:00	11:05	11:14	11:24
11:31	11:36	11:46	11:56	12:00	12:05	12:14	12:24
12:31	12:36	12:46	12:56	1:00	1:05	1:14	1:24
1:35	1:40	1:50	2:00	2:15	2:20	2:29	2:39
2:45	2:51	3:02	3:12	3:18	3:23	3:33	3:43
3:50	3:56	4:07	4:17	4:20	4:25	4:35	4:45
4:50	4:56	5:07	5:17	5:25	5:30	5:40	5:50
5:55	6:01	6:12	6:22	6:30	6:35	6:45	6:55

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No service Saturdays, Sundays, or holidays.

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