

## **STATUS OF LOCAL & REGIONAL SCHEDULED PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION**

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Previous Update: **August 11** – Updated information marked with \* and in **bold** typeface

This information was collected from each provider's web page as of the date shown above. This information is subject to update and change. Users should verify the accuracy of this information by contacting each provider directly.

### **FERRIES**

\* **WASHINGTON STATE FERRIES** - Effective June 21 the WINTER 2020 schedule will serve as the "Baseline" schedule and will remain in effect **through at least January 2, 2021**. During this period, service may be expanded throughout the route system as vessels, crews and funding become available and as ridership increases. Service to/from and within the San Juan Islands, between Coupeville and Port Townsend and between Point Defiance and Tahlequah will continue to operate on the printed Winter 2020/"Baseline" schedule without any planned reductions. Service on all other routes (Fauntleroy/Vashon/Southworth, Seattle/Bremerton, Seattle/Bainbridge, Edmonds/Kingston and Mukilteo/Clinton) will be subject to further reductions and/or modifications. Service to and from Sidney, BC is suspended and is subject to the re-opening of the U.S.-Canadian border to non-essential travel in addition to the availability of vessels, crews, funding and ridership.

GUEMES ISLAND FERRY – Service will operate on the published NON-PEAK schedule through September 30.

LUMMI ISLAND FERRY – Reduced service schedule is in effect indefinitely providing at least one round-trip sailing/hour during operating hours.

BLACK BALL FERRY LINE<sup>^</sup> – All service between Port Angeles and Victoria, B.C. is currently suspended. All sailings for the remainder of 2020 are in "pending status" and are dependent on the re-opening of the U.S.-Canadian border to non-essential travel.

\* **BC FERRIES** – BC FERRIES SERVICE OPERATES ENTIRELY WITHIN CANADA.  
ACCESSIBILITY TO TRAVELLERS ON THE U.S. SIDE OF THE BORDER IS SUBJECT TO BORDER-CROSSING RESTRCITIONS CURRENTLY IN EFFECT.

**Effective September 8 through October 13, service between Tsawwassen (Vancouver) and Swartz Bay (Victoria) will operate with daily departures leaving both terminals on ODD hours (7:00, 9:00, etc.) between 7:00 am and 9:00 pm with additional departures leaving both terminals on some (but not all) EVEN hours and with some day-of-the-week exceptions (Monday – Friday only, Thursday – Sunday only, etc.) or date-specific additions on EVEN hour sailings.**

## **BUSES & SHUTTLES**

SKAGIT TRANSIT – service reductions and suspensions extended indefinitely.

- Route 40X (Mount Vernon-March's Point) – Operates Monday-Saturday on the published SATURDAY schedule. Does not operate on Sunday.
- Route 409 (Anacortes) – Service Suspended.
- Route 410 (WA State Ferry-March's Point) – Operates Monday-Saturday on the published SATURDAY schedule. Does not operate on Sunday.
- Route 513 (March's Point-Swinomish Casino-Chuckanut) – Service Suspended.
- Route 615 (March's Point-La Conner-Mount Vernon) – Operates Monday-Saturday on the published SATURDAY schedule. Does not operate on Sunday.

OTHER ROUTES MAY BE SUSPENDED OR ARE OPERATING ON REDUCED SERVICE SCHEDULES. CHECK WITH SKAGIT TRANSIT FOR DETAILS.

ISLAND TRANSIT – Effective July 6, significantly expanded service will operate on most routes with Saturday service resuming on many routes on July 11.

- Route 411W (March's Point-Oak Harbor) operates 12 weekday and 5 Saturday round-trips.

BELLAIR AIRPORTER SHUTTLE – Effective June 21, five daily round-trips will operate on the Bellingham-Burlington-Seattle-SeaTac Airport route. Effective August 11, three daily round-trips will operate between Anacortes and Burlington connecting to/from SeaTac Airport. Service to/from Paine Field is suspended.

GREYHOUND<sup>^</sup> - Service at Mount Vernon to/from Seattle and Vancouver, BC is suspended. From Mount Vernon, one daily trip to Seattle and one daily trip to Bellingham are offered on Greyhound subsidiary BoltBus.

**\* SAN JUAN TRANSIT – Effective September 8, scheduled service will operate on San Juan Island ONLY ON WEEKENDS. On demand (dial-a-ride) service is offered on San Juan Island on weekdays by calling 360-378-8887. All service on San Juan Island will end for the season on September 30. Service on Orcas and Lopez Islands is suspended.**

## **RAIL**

AMTRAK<sup>^</sup> – Rail service at Mount Vernon to/from Seattle and Vancouver, BC is suspended. Amtrak Thruway bus service provides one daily trip between Mount Vernon and King Street Station in Seattle exclusively for Amtrak connecting passengers.

<sup>^</sup> Services increases and resumptions by Greyhound and Amtrak at Mount Vernon and by Black Ball Ferry Line at Port Angeles are all tied directly to the reopening of the U.S.-Canadian border to non-essential travel. These services should not be expected to increase or resume until the border reopens.