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Since a nation-wide search for a new general manager began in late 2021, LTD's assistant general manager Mark Johnson has led the District's day-today operations as interim general manager. In the coming weeks, the LTD Board of Directors will announce its general manager selection to the public. Here is a timeline of the public process LTD and the Board of Directors has used to select a new general manager:

- July 2021: General manager Aurora Jackson stepped down.
- August 2021: Assistant general manager Mark Johnson was promoted to interim general manager.
- Fall 2021: The LTD Board of Directors began planning the process to hire a new general manager.
- February and March 2022: The LTD Board of Directors hired executive search firm TransPro Consulting to lead a national search for LTD's next general manager. TransPro conducted extensive community outreach, including 11 focus groups and a community survey. Based on feedback from community members and LTD employees, TransPro developed a job description that reflects the community's and District's expectations for the position. The LTD Board of Directors approved the job description.



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- March and April 2022: LTD's Board of Directors reviewed applications and conducted preliminary interviews with candidates.
- May 2022: Three finalists were invited to Lane County for a facility tour and to participate in a community forum, employee forum, employee panel interview, and final interview with the Board of Directors.



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LTD Hosts Students Interested in Green Careers

Last month, LTD and other local companies hosted a career tour for University of Oregon students interested in sustainable transportation and green tech. Students visited local companies around town in one of LTD's new battery-electric buses. LTD employees talked with students about career paths in transportation planning, mechanics, marketing, public relations, human resources, and more. In partnership with Onward Eugene, LTD and other local companies showed students the wide array of career opportunities available in Lane County through hands-on learning.

Summer Service Change

Three times a year, LTD makes route and schedule adjustments to make bus service more efficient and meet the changing needs of our community. On June 12, the second service change of the year takes effect. Behind the scenes, our transportation planners study ridership patterns months in advance to create an operating schedule that meets the demand of our riders.

Only the bus routes with changes are listed below. For detailed information about these route changes visit: LTD.org/service-changes.





Independence Day Bus Service Monday, July 4

LTD buses and paratransit service will operate on SUNDAY SCHEDULES.

Customer Service Center will operate 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Administrative Office will be **CLOSED.**

For more information on LTD hours and holiday service, visit: LTD.org/hours-holiday-service.

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Not sure how to access LTD's public records? Follow these tips from our resident expert, Carrie. As a record information management specialist, she is adding new records to the online database every week. Here are her tips:

- Use pre-set search criteria to access frequently requested records conveniently. Easily access meeting materials, minutes, recordings, and bylaws by clicking the links for frequently requested records.
- To expand your search and see more results, search by "Document" Content." This searches for the exact words you type in any text-based file attached to a record.
- Looking for something very specific? Follow the Advanced Search instructions provided by Oregon Records Management Solution.
- If you're still having trouble, reach out to us by submitting a **public** • **records** request through the online portal.





Community Events

Children's Celebration & PetFest

Saturday, June 11 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Island Park, Springfield

Take any LTD bus route to Springfield Station and walk over to Children's Celebration and PetFest at Island Park. Willamalane, community partners, and exhibitors will share resources and fun interactive activities including live performances, an interactive train, and more! Admission is free with one food donation per person and pet. For more information visit:

willamalane.org/classes_and_programs/community_programs/events.php



Sheldon Block Party

Friday, June 24 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Sheldon Community Center, 2445 Willakenzie Rd, Eugene

Take Route 66 or 67 to celebrate the grand opening of Sheldon Pool and the beginning of summer with games, entertainment and food.

For more information visit: eugene-or.gov/DocumentCenter/View/27086/Family



Routes 66 or 67

Butte To Butte

Monday, July 4 6:25 a.m. – 7:50 a.m.

10K and 4 Mile Walk Shuttle departs at 5th and Oak.

Take a free shuttle to the starting line of Eugene's longest running community road race, the Butte To Butte, courtesy of the Oregon Track Club.

Route 971X will pick up passengers beginning at 6:30 a.m. at the bus stop at 5th and Oak and depart every 5-10 minutes.

The 5K does not have a shuttle service because the start and finish line are the same. Please do not park at the 10K/Walk start lines in South Eugene. There are no shuttles after the race back to South Eugene.

Please fold strollers before boarding and leave dogs at home.

For more information, or to register for the Aquafina Buttte To Butte, visit: buttetobutte.com



Take Route 971X

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