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LTD Reopens the General Manager Search

The LTD Board of Directors reopened the search to recruit the District's next General Manager during its June Meeting.

In late May, the LTD Board of Directors offered the position to Jameson Auten, the Deputy General Manager with the Kansas City Area Transit Authority, but he withdrew from consideration for the job.

Mark Johnson will continue as LTD's Interim General Manager until a new General Manager is hired.

TransPro Consulting has been retained to continue LTD's executive recruitment for its next General Manager. An interview timeline has not yet been established, but will be announced at a later date.

[Click Here for announcements on the General Manager Search](#)

LTD Gets WILD!

Throughout the past decade, LTD has partnered with Mobility International USA (MIUSA), a disability-led organization headquartered in Eugene, dedicated to advancing disability rights and leadership globally.

On June 2, LTD and MIUSA hosted an accessible transportation discussion with a delegation of international disability advocates here for the MIUSA Women's Institute on Leadership and Disability (WILD) program. Participants had an opportunity to learn about our accessibility features available on every LTD bus, to promote advocacy and accessible public transportation in their home countries. LTD is proud to showcase our commitment to connecting our disability community.

Accessible Services Program Manager John Ahlen said, "We've been fortunate to learn from the experiences of this amazing group of advocates. We want to share the message around the world, that accessible public transportation helps people with disabilities live independent lives."



Hello, World! Meet LTD!

The World Athletics Championships (WCH Oregon22) are coming to the United States for the first time ever and are being held right here in Eugene at historic Hayward Field. As we welcome thousands of visitors to our community, riders may experience full buses, delays, and detours during the WCH Oregon22.

When riding the bus during this historic track and field event be sure to:

- Plan ahead
- Be patient
- Allow extra time to get to your destination

Thank you for helping us welcome the world and showcase what makes our community so special.

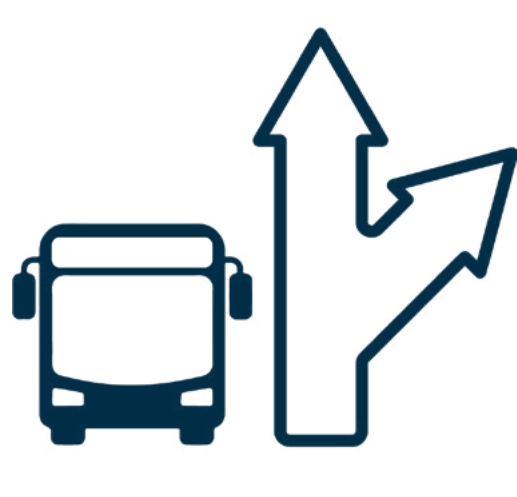
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WCH Oregon22 Detour Information

Due to the WCH Oregon22 road events, many of LTD's routes will be on detour from July 15-24.

For more detailed detour information, visit: [LTD.org/Event-Detours](https://ltd.org/Event-Detours).

LTD EVENT & DETOURS



There's a Lot to See on LTD

Whether you're a visitor to our area or a Lane County resident, it's easy to hop on the bus and visit local attractions or leave the city behind to wander through the woods.

- Take the bus to Eugene Station and walk to the Park Blocks at 8th and Oak for the Saturday Market.
- If you're looking for groceries, shopping and dining all in one place, take Route 12 or EmX to the Shoppes at Gateway.
- Find farms, country stores, restaurants, golfing, fishing, and more along Route 91 and the McKenzie River.
- Take Route 1, 66 or 67 to Skinner Butte for a quick hike and a panoramic view of the Eugene skyline.
- Savor and indulge at Oakway Center and Valley River Center by taking Route 66 or 67 for local shopping and dining venues.

There's a lot to see when you ride LTD!

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](https://ltd.org/hours-holiday-service).

Community Events

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 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 Butte To Butte, visit: buttetobutte.com

Take Route 971X

Oregon Country Fair

July 8-10
11:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

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The Oregon Country Fair, the region's three-day iconic festival of entertainment, hand-made crafts and food, returns in person this year. Event-goers simply need to show their OCF ticket to ride the free LTD event shuttle on July 8, 9 and 10. Tickets must be purchased in advance at [TicketsWest](https://ticketswest.com). To learn more, visit OregonCountyFair.org.

Take Routes 988x/989x

Lane County Fair

July 20-24

Lane Events Center, 796 W 13th Ave, Eugene

The Lane County Fair is fun for all ages, filled with rides, games, exhibits, furry friends, concerts, entertainment and more. To learn more, visit: atthefair.com.

Take Routes 33, 36, 41, & 55