

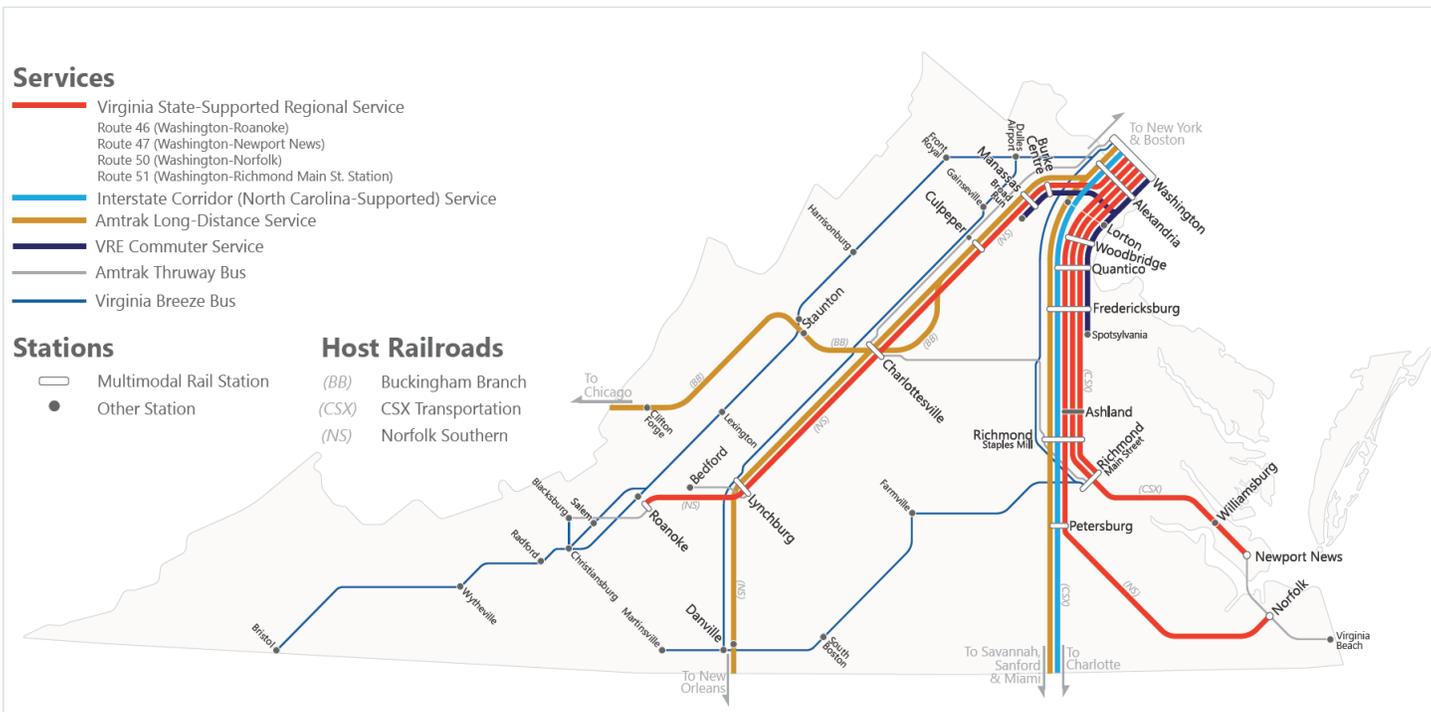
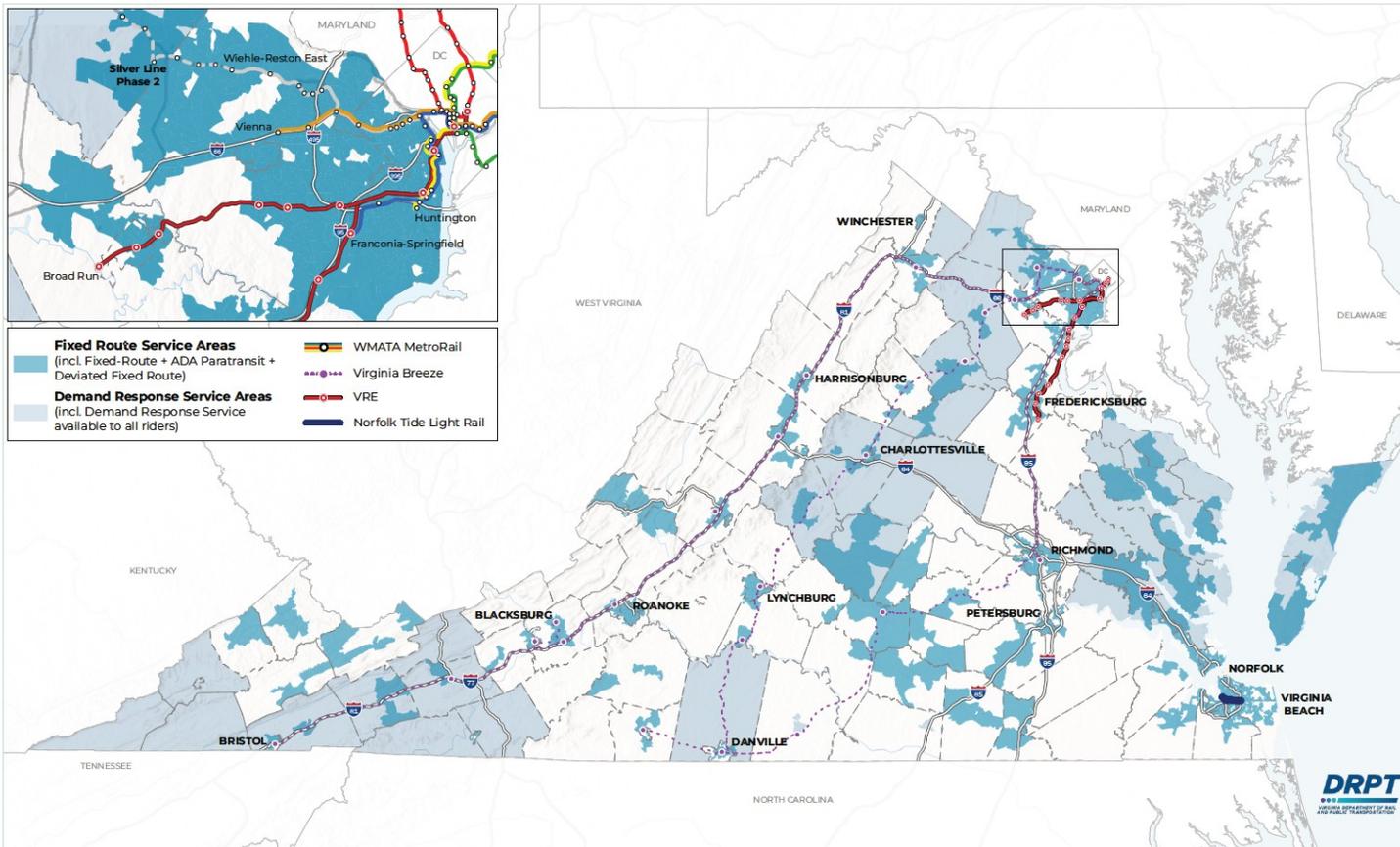


# FY 2025

## Impact of Transit & Rail in Virginia

# Maps of Public Transit Service and Intercity Rail/Bus Routes

Maps created by the Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation



# Ridership Statistics

## FY 2025

Public Transit Agency	Trips	Virginia Breeze	Trips
WMATA - VA Portion	88,244,889	Capital Connector	6,846
GRTC - Richmond	12,108,170	Highlands Rhythm	19,330
Fairfax Connector Bus System	9,687,227	Piedmont Express	7,210
Hampton Roads Transportation (HRT)	9,365,924	Valley Flyer	33,741
City of Alexandria (DASH Bus)	5,758,247		67,127
Blacksburg Transit	4,783,530	<b>Amtrak Ridership</b>	
Potomac and Rappahannock (OmniRide)	3,041,456	Alexandria	372,327
Arlington County Transit	2,640,152	Ashland	42,110
Virginia Railway Express	1,987,202	Burke Centre (2010)	14,721
Harrisonburg Transit	1,957,345	Charlottesville	199,357
Williamsburg Area Transit	1,578,514	Clifton Forge	2,178
Charlottesville Area Transit	1,552,117	Culpeper	21,372
Greater Roanoke Transit	1,454,390	Danville	8,324
City of Fairfax (CUE Bus)	949,010	Fredericksburg	114,797
Loudoun County Transit	819,623	Lorton (Auto-Train)	265,950
Greater Lynchburg Transit Company (GLTC)	704,093	Lynchburg	79,575
Petersburg Area Transit	511,726	Manassas	52,758
FXBGO! (Fredericksburg)	323,706	Newport News	109,799
City of Danville	242,131	Norfolk (2013)	224,375
JAUNT	232,978	Petersburg	60,480
CSPDC/ BRITE Bus	215,834	Quantico	20,492
Virginia Regional Transit	196,650	Richmond - Main Street (2004)	129,928
District Three Public Transit (Mountain Lynx Transit)	180,698	Richmond - Staples Mill	506,023
Radford Transit	140,253	Roanoke (2018)	105,926
Mountain Empire Older Citizens Transit	130,587	Staunton	5,519
Four County Transit	130,218	Williamsburg	74,190
Bay Transit	128,678	Woodbridge	37,278
Winchester Transit	106,471		2,447,479
Farmville Area Bus	101,678		
STAR Transit	98,845	<b>Year-Over-Year Ridership Growth</b>	
Suffolk Transit	89,631	Virginia Breeze	8.6%
RADAR Transit/UHSTS	70,287	Public Transit	18.2%
Bristol VA Transit	43,130	Passenger Rail	4.4%
Town of Bluefield (Graham Transit)	31,857	Total	18.0%
Pulaski Area Transit	31,591		
Blackstone Area Bus Service	28,279		
Town of Altavista Transit	15,947		
Lake Area Bus	12,961		
Greensville Emporia Transit System	11,743		
Town of Bedford (Otter Bus)	7,175		
Town of Chincoteague (Pony Express)	6,249		
	<b>149,714,943</b>		

# Impact of Public Transit and Intercity Rail/Bus Service

Data is derived from multiple sources including Federal Transit Administration (FTA), Federal Railroad Administration (FRA), Amtrak, Virginia Dept. of Rail and Public Transportation (DRPT), Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), Federal Department of Energy (US DOE), and US Census Bureau. Data is based on FY 2025 ridership. We want to give a very special thanks to DRPT for helping to create this report, as well as WMATA, DRPT, VPRA, Harrisonburg Transit, and Winchester Transit for the use of their photos and graphics. Updated January 2026.

## Transit & Rail Connects the Commonwealth:



**93 percent**  
Virginians



**2.7 million**  
Jobs



**70 percent**  
Higher education

## Transit & Rail Grows our Economy



**\$14 billion**  
Economic benefits  
generated annually



**112,100+**  
Jobs created/sustained  
each year



**\$25.9 Million**  
Roadway maintenance  
savings annually

## Transit & Rail Improves our Environment



**1.42 Billion**  
Passenger miles  
off our roads



**29.2 Million**  
Gallons of fuel  
not burned



**260,100+**  
Metric tons of CO<sup>2</sup>  
emissions not released



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