

About Southwest Public Transit:

Southwest Public Transit is a private non-profit agency administered by a Board of Directors. Local transit is available to the general public. Service to out-of-town destinations is provided pending driver availability.

Arrangements can be made to extend driving time when needed. Out-of-town and weekend travel can be negotiated with advance planning.



STATEMENT OF NON-DISCRIMINATION

Under Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and its related statutes & regulations, no person or groups of persons shall, on the grounds of race, color, or national origin by excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any & all programs or activities funded in whole or in part with Federal funds. In addition, to Title VI, there are other non-discrimination statutes which include sex, age, & disability. These requirements define an overarching Title VI/Non-discrimination & ADA Program. Contact Director at 701-523-3241 to request additional information on our nondiscrimination obligations or to file a complaint. **We will consider every request for reasonable modification from persons with disabilities. Persons with limited English proficiency (LEP) may receive language assistance free of charge upon request. For modifications or language assistance call us at 701-523-3241.**

Services are funded in part by program income and state and federal grants.

Southwest Public Transit

Providing transportation to the general public.

Main Office—Bowman

207 1st ST SE (PO Box 16)
Bowman, ND 58623
701-523-3241

Hettinger

500 Railroad Ave
Hettinger, ND 58639
701-567-2476

New England

208 8th Street East
New England, ND 58647
701-579-5115



PASSENGER GUIDE



— OPEN TO THE PUBLIC —

Call ahead to schedule your ride with us.

Safe, friendly service with trained drivers.

Serving Adams, Bowman, Hettinger & Slope counties of North Dakota

800-280-0204 within ND

Main Office—Bowman
Monday through Friday
8 a.m.—4 p.m. 701-523-3241


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Southwest Public Transit Fares

As of 1/1/2014



Passenger Guidelines

In Town <u>Round Trip</u>	\$2 Hettinger	\$2 Bowman	
Within 1 mile \$2	Mon-Fri	Mon-Fri	
1-2 Miles \$3	9 am—4 pm	8 am—4 pm	
First Come First Serve Demand Response System. Call for a ride 24 hours in advance. A round trip is two stops and additional stops are \$1.00 each.			
Out of Town Round Trip	Adams County	Bowman or Slope County	Hettinger County
Round Trip Fare (Varies by number of passengers)	FROM: 1 Passenger/2+ Passengers		
To Dickinson	\$30/\$25	\$30/\$25	\$25/\$20
To Bismarck	\$60/\$45	\$65/\$50	\$50/\$40
To Rapid City, South Dakota	\$65/\$50	\$65/\$50	\$80/\$60 NE \$75/\$55
To All Medical Clinics	Free to Vets	Free to Vets	Free to Vets

- Driver will offer assistance from your pickup door to the door of your destination. Drivers may not enter homes. All locations must be accessible.
- All riders must use seatbelts. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
- Passenger's driveway and sidewalk must be free of snow and other obstacles.
- Passenger must not keep driver waiting for more than 5 minutes. Please provide a 15 minute notice of cancellation for local rides and a 24 hour notice of cancellation for out-of-town rides. We reserve the right to charge for no shows.
- No use of tobacco, alcohol, or prohibited drugs. Firearms and weapons are not allowed.
- Ramps must be provided at the residence of wheelchair passengers. Wheelchairs must be equipped with footrests.
- All equipment must be secured and not impede driver's ability to provide safe transportation. We will accept only occupied mobility devices that can be safely boarded, secured, and transported. These devices must fit on the lift platform and clear the lift entry into the vehicle. They must be securable by our tie-down system.
- A passenger who imperils the health or safety of the driver or other passengers by engaging in violent, disruptive, belligerent or illegal conduct may be refused service after a warning has been issued. This behavior includes, but is not limited to, not following passenger rules, use of profanity, panhandling, etc.
- Driver may offer assistance with up to 4 reasonably weighted packages.
- We are not medical providers. If you need special assistance (such as changing of oxygen canisters), you should have an escort.
- We do not provide "errand" service; please do not ask the driver to do your shopping or run errands for you.
- Service animals are allowed; pets and comfort animals are not.

Veterans fares are paid for by the V.A. for all Medical Appointments.

Out-of-town fares are based on destination and number of passengers. We also have co-op agreements with several clinics and hospitals in which they will pay for part of the fare. Please call **1-800-280-0204** to obtain current fare amount.

Fares may vary for destinations located outside of city limits and are subject to change at any time. Please call the office for more information. **Please have correct fare upon boarding. We reserve the right to deny transportation for non-payment or past due on account.**

Our services are provided first-come, first-served. Please call as soon as possible to schedule a ride so we can do our best to accommodate your needs. We are often booked weeks in advance.