

# **Morrow County Public Transit 2025 Service & Route Updates**



## **Connecting Communities**

## THE GOAL

Our goal is to create a sustainable and efficient transit system network that remains steadfast in our mission to serve the community. We are committed to increasing access to reliable transportation for all residents of Morrow County, ensuring that every individual, regardless of their location or background, has the opportunity to connect with essential services, jobs, and educational opportunities.

## FIXED ROUTED SERVICE

The three new routes connect at our Boardman facilities multiple times throughout the day. By doing so, we provide Morrow County residents with convenient and reliable access to their local community as well as neighboring areas. We recognize the importance of connectivity, to vital services and employment opportunities within Morrow County, and the broader region. This approach will empower residents to travel easily, for work, education, healthcare, & other essential activities, fostering increased mobility and enhancing the quality of life for all. Our purpose is to create a transit network that is responsive, flexible, and supportive of the diverse needs of our community members. This 3-route fixed route system will support Morrow County Monday - Friday.

### **Amarillo Route Boardman Circular**

This route operates as a continuous loop within the City of Boardman, providing service every 45 minutes including the availability to deviate up to 3/4 of mile for prescheduled **ADA customers whose disability** creates the inability to get to the closest bus stop.

## **Rojo Route**

**Community Connector** 

This route serves as a fixed route connection to Heppner, Lexington, Hermiston, Umatilla, Irrigon, and Boardman. It is designed to provide residents in Morrow County access within their own communities and neighboring areas. The Rojo Route runs clockwise from Boardman while the Morado Route operations counterclockwise to provide more frequency within the county.

#### **Boardman Locations**

- Oregon Trail Library
- Boardman High School
- Community Counseling Solutions
- Columbia River Health Clinic
- Oregon Depart Human Services
- Morrow County Health Department
- City Hall / Police Station
- Murray's Drug
- Boardman Marina
- Harvest Foods
- Recreation Center

#### **Heppner Locations**

- Morrow County Courthouse
- Morrow County Fairgrounds
- Pioneer Memorial Clinic
- Willow Creek Terrance
- Mountain Glen Apartments
- St. Patrick's Senior Apartments
- Heppner Community Pool
- Harvest Foods
- Heppner Exercise Park
- Post Office
- Murray's Drug

#### Irrigon Locations

- Government Center
- Oregon Trail Public Library
- Junior / Senior High School
- Food Bank
- Irrigon Medical Clinic
- Stokes Landing Senior Center
- Dollar General
- Trevor Fox Children's Park
- Don Baxter Skate Park
- Irrigon Elementary School

## Morado Route

**County Connector** 

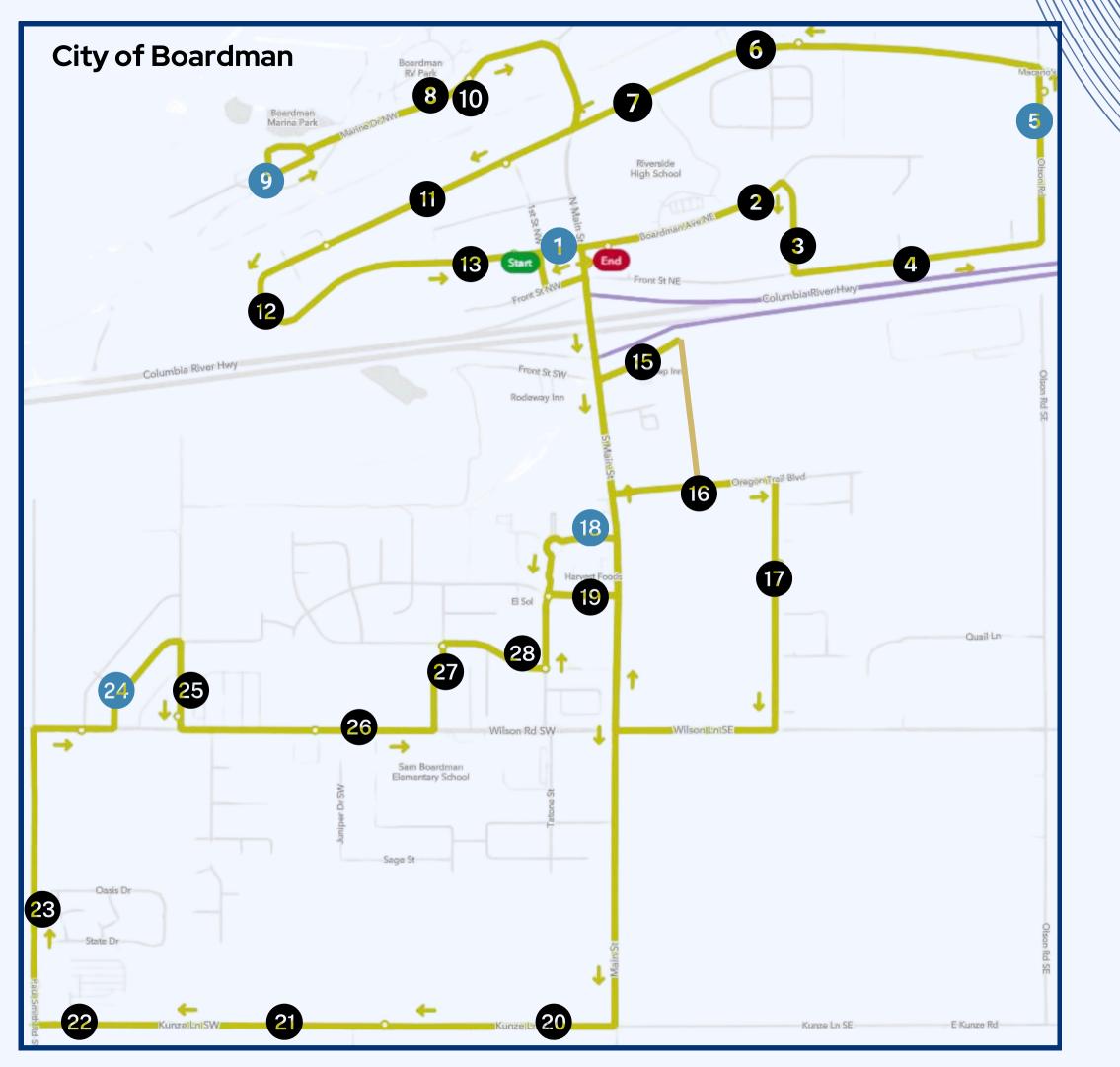
This route serves as the partner route to Rojo connecting Heppner, Lexington, Hermiston, Umatilla, Irrigon, & Boardman. It is designed to provide residents in Morrow **County access within their own** communities and neighboring areas.

#### Hermiston Locations

- Good Shepherd Hospital
- Wal-Mart
- Hermiston Aquatic Center
- Funland Playground (short walk)

#### **Umatilla Locations**

- Harvest Foods
- Umatilla High School

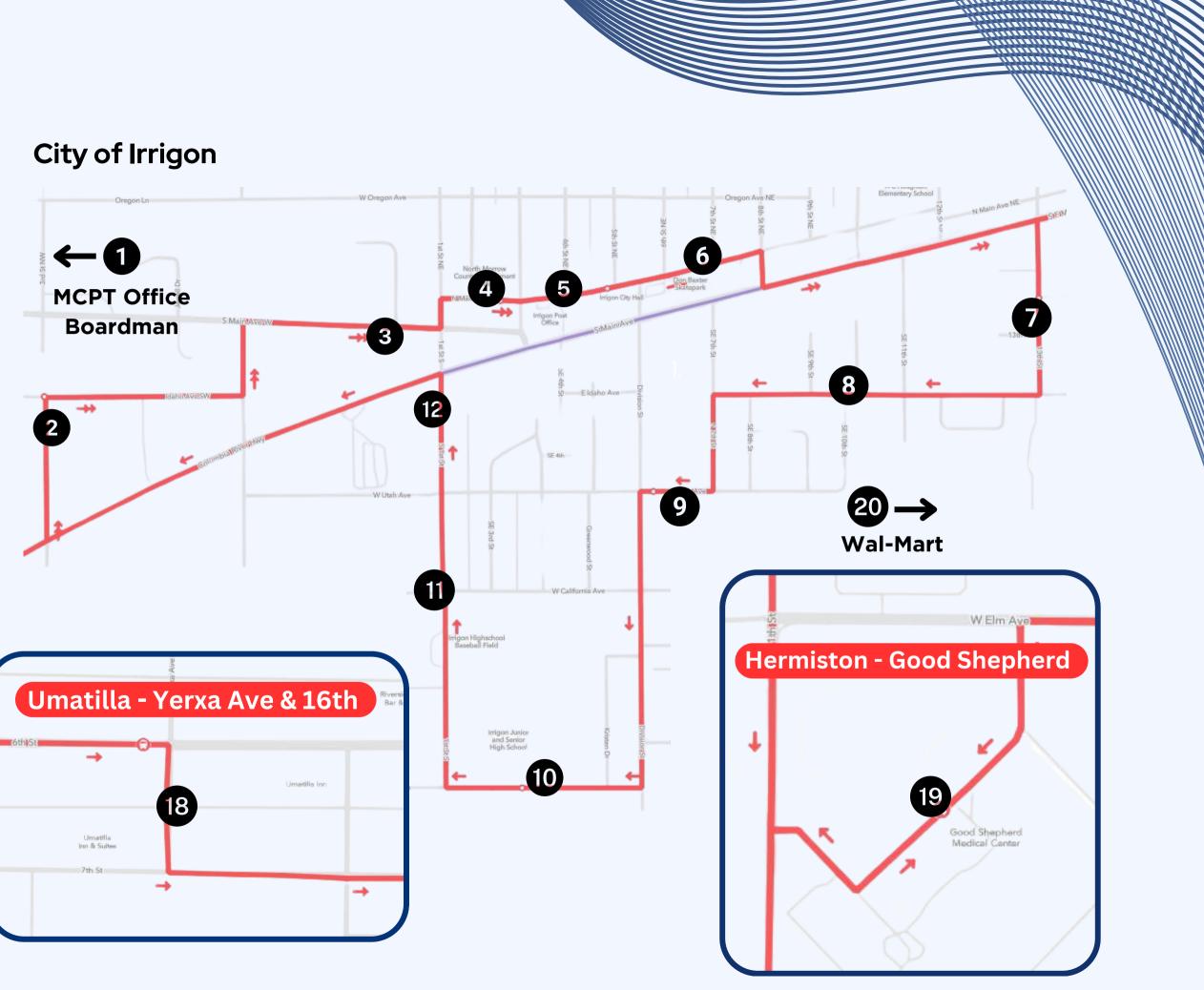


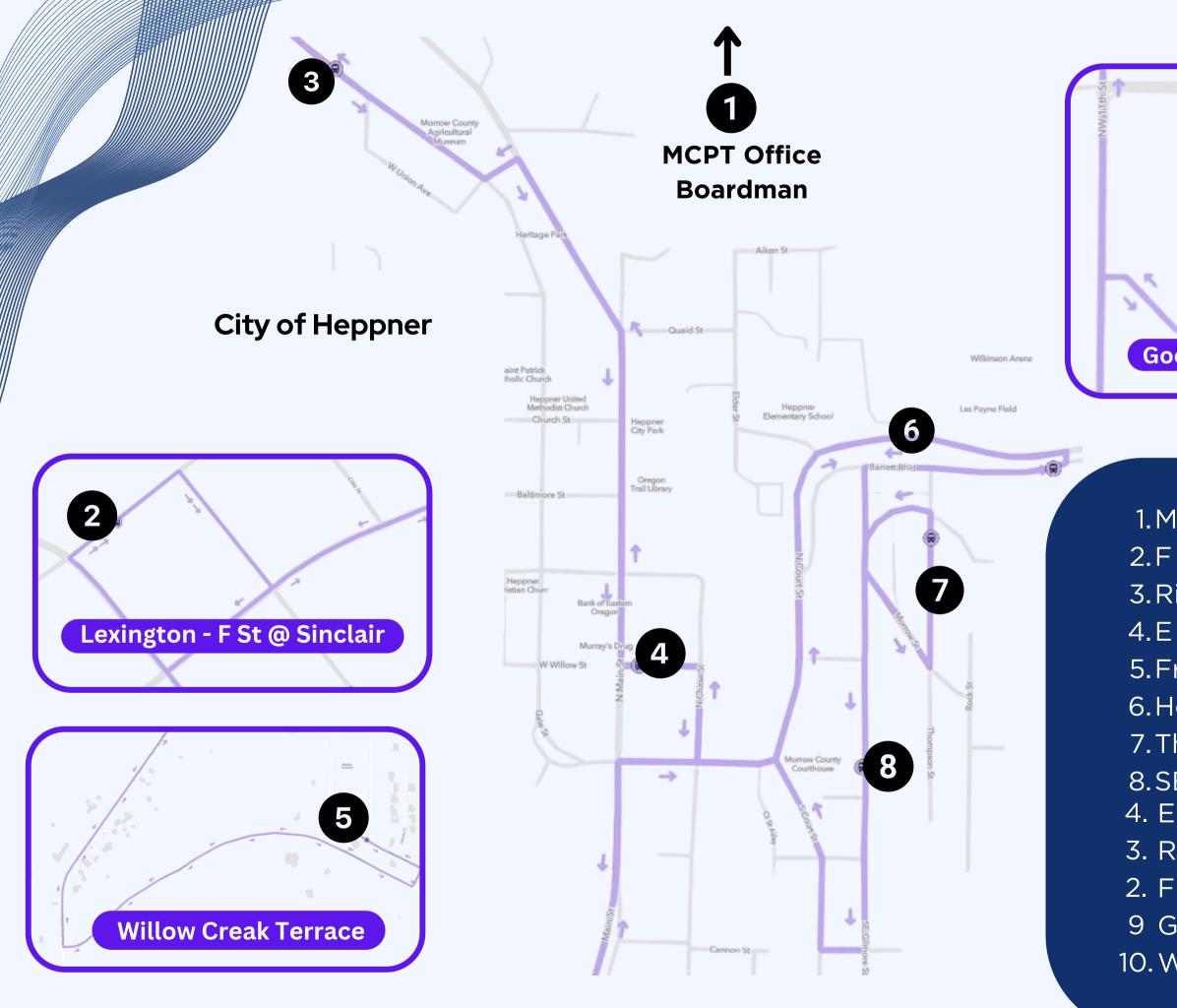
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Frank Gilliam Dr @ Willow Creek Terrace
Heppner Hwy @ MoCo Fairgrounds
Thompson Ave @ Pioneer Memorial Hospital
SE Gilmore St @ MoCo Courthouse
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### **Port of Morrow** First/Last Mile Service

The First/Last Mile concept in public transit refers to the portion of a passenger's journey that occurs between their home (or starting point) and the nearest transit station (first mile), or between the transit station and their final destination (last mile). It's the critical segment of the trip that connects people to the larger public transit network, and it often represents a barrier to fully utilizing public transportation.

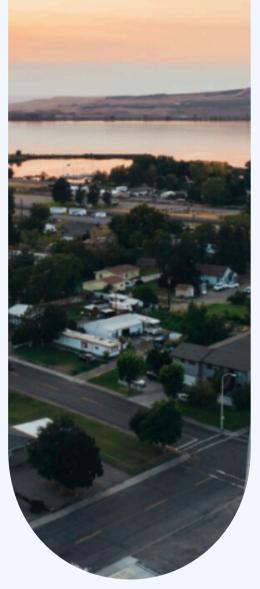
First/Last Mile Service can be pre-scheduled from our Boardman offices to any Port of Morrow employer during our standard operating hours.

## **Demand Response Service**

The Demand Response Van Service prioritizes medical transportation trips within Morrow County, Hermiston, and for approved Veteran Services, operating on a first-come, first-served basis. This service is designed to fill the transportation gaps where fixed route options are not available or practical for passengers who cannot access standard bus routes.

All Demand Response Rides are prescheduled at least 24-hours in advance.







"Public transit is the backbone of a connected community, providing access to opportunity, promoting inclusivity, and enhancing mobility for all. It is not just about getting from one place to another; it is about ensuring that every individual has the ability to participate fully in society, regardless of their background or circumstances."

## We've Moved

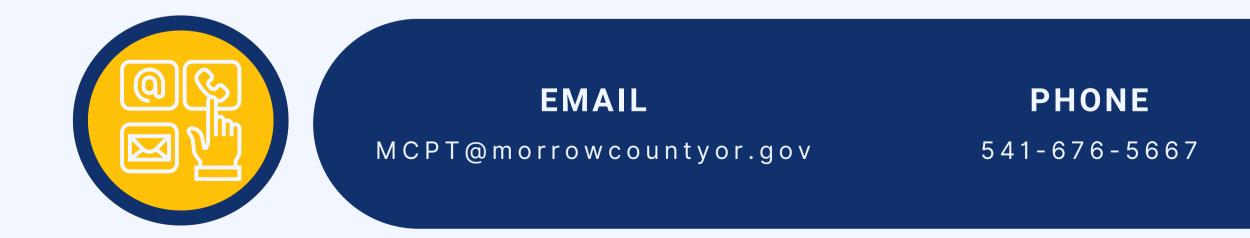
The Morrow County Public Transit (MCPT) office is now located in Boardman.

Our lobby is open to the public to answer questions and provide support.

# QUESTIONS?

We understand the importance of accessible and reliable public transit in our community. Whether you're commuting to work, running errands, or just getting around, we're here to help support you with any information or resources you might need regarding local transit options.

If you have questions about routes, schedules, or anything else related to public transportation, don't hesitate to reach out. We're committed to ensuring everyone has the support they need to move around our community with ease!





### WEBSITE

www.co.morrow.or.us/the loop