



Agreement for Bulk Passes and Transportation Services for 2016-17 School Year

This Agreement, dated August 1, 2016, is entered into between Mountain Rides Transportation Authority ("Mountain Rides") and Syringa Mountain School ("Syringa").


- 1) Mountain Rides agrees to provide bulk bus passes for the Valley Route commuter bus and Hailey Route for use by the SYRINGA staff and students for the 2016-2017 school-year.
 - a) Passes are limited to use Monday through Friday, beginning on September 6, 2016 through June 9, 2017. Passes ARE eligible for use during weekends and school breaks between September 6, 2016 and June 9, 2017.
 - b) SYRINGA staff and students will show SYRINGA identification cards to Mountain Rides driver when boarding the busses. Mountain Rides will provide these passes with SYRINGA logo.
 - c) Mountain Rides will track SYRINGA usage of this program through ridership counts and report back to SYRINGA at the end of each school semester.
- 2) SYRINGA will provide additional internal promotion of this bulk pass program to staff and students in order to encourage usage.
- 3) Mountain Rides shall additionally provide at its expense during the term of this Agreement:
 - a) Alternative transportation education and awareness support for staff and students including usage of Hailey and Ketchum routes.
 - b) Coordination of press associated with this Agreement. Mountain Rides agrees that any use of photo or video of students must have permission from the parent/guardian of the student.
 - c) Future support and administration of Safe Routes to School programs (biking and walking to school).
- 4) The term of this Contract shall commence on September 6, 2016, and shall terminate on June 9, 2017, unless otherwise extended.
- 5) A joint evaluation of this Contract will be initiated by the Parties' designated representatives two (2) months prior to the expiration date. Following the evaluation, the Contract may be renewed and resigned for an additional one (1) year period upon terms and conditions agreeable by the parties in writing.
- 6) SYRINGA will pay to MRTA the amount of \$1500.00 to be paid as follows: \$800.00 due by October 1, 2016 and \$700.00 due on March 1, 2017. MRTA will prepare an invoice that will be submitted to SYRINGA Business Office prior to these payment dates.


- 7) Either party may, at its sole discretion, terminate this Contract immediately upon written notice with or without cause. In the event of such termination, SYRINGA shall have no further responsibility to make any payment under this Agreement beyond the date of the written notice and Mountain Rides shall have no further responsibility to accept bus passes for travel or perform any other services required by this Agreement.
- 8) MRTA covenants that it shall not discriminate against any patron, employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, disability, color, sex, or national origin.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of the date first set forth above.

SYRINGA

MOUNTAIN RIDES TRANSPORTATION

By: Christine Fornner
Its: 
7/6/2016

By: 
Its: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR