

## **Freedom Transit Shared Ride Fare Increase**

## Dear Valued Passenger:

Effective April 1, 2023, Freedom Transit fares will be increasing due to the rising costs of operating service over the last four years. You have been identified as a passenger who uses this service and would be impacted by this change.

The chart on the back of this letter identifies the new copays that you will be charged depending on whether you are registered as a Person with a Disability (PwD) age 18-64, a Senior over the age of 65, or an ADA Complementary Paratransit passenger. Fares will still be based on the number of miles an individual is traveling by the most direct route on roads (not how far you ride on a Freedom Transit vehicle).

Trips to senior centers and adult day care for registered passengers 60 years of age and older will continue at no charge due to continued sponsorship from the SW PA Area Agency on Aging. In addition, the SW PA Area Agency on Aging will continue to sponsor medical trips for registered passengers 65 years of age and older, so that an individual will still pay 7.5% of the total fare.

If you have any questions about your copay, please contact our office at 724-223-8747 or 1-800-331-5058.

Thank you for using Freedom Transit. We look forward to continuing to serve your needs.

Sincerely, Freedom Transit



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The chart below outlines the fare increase. (approximately \$0.25 - \$0.50 per trip)

Miles	Full Fare	Senior Copay Non-Medical	Senior Copay Medical	PwD Copay
0-1.99	\$15.00	\$2.25	\$1.15	\$3.00
2-3.99	\$22.00	\$3.30	\$1.65	\$3.30
4-6.99	\$29.00	\$4.35	\$2.20	\$4.35
7-11.99	\$35.00	\$5.25	\$2.65	\$5.25
12-19.99	\$42.00	\$6.30	\$3.15	\$6.30
20-24.99	\$49.00	\$7.35	\$3.70	\$7.35
25+	\$55.00	\$8.25	\$4.15	\$8.25

ADA Complementary Service will increase from \$2.55 to \$3.00 per trip.

More information at www.freedom-transit.org or 724-223-8747

Para obtener información en español, llame al 724-223-8747