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Campaign/Contests Posts

DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · January 12 · Edited [?] ·

The days of pondering when exactly the bus and train will arrive at its stop are over! Starting next Monday, January 19, we will officially launch Where's My Ride, our vehicle-tracking tool, to the public. This service will enable passengers to see exactly where Connect buses and the A-train is through three different methods: an online portal, by text message and through automated voice calling.

Click here for more information about Where's My Ride: <http://bit.ly/1BHeN3X>



Ever wondered "where's my ride?"

With Denton County Transportation Authority's new vehicle tracking tool, you can find your bus or train in no time.

Find out more at RideDCTA.net

WHERE'S MY RIDE

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Dee Leggett, Paul McManus, Nancy Gates Wimberley and 11 others like this.

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DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)
Published by Stephanie Deik [?] · September 19, 2014 ·

Ride the free Game Day Shuttle: check out Beth Marie's Old Fashioned Ice Cream & Soda Fountain and UNT on the Square before the game. LSA Burger Co. and Mellow Mushroom Denton are the perfect spots to celebrate a Mean Green victory. See link for Shuttle schedule and stops



Mean Green Game Day - Discover Denton.

Introducing Mean Green Game Day, an all-new experience that seamlessly connects downtown Denton, the Mean Green Tailgating Village and Apogee Stadium with complimentary transportation for a complete original and...

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Published by Wendy Haun [?] · March 12 · Edited [?] ·

Who doesn't love selfies? How about one that could win you a prize pack worth \$225? Snap a quick pic with your favorite bus operator for a chance to win! Details here: <http://bit.ly/1AGFHU2>



SNAP TO WIN! Enter now!
#myDCTAdriver

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Peggy Menz, Juan C Rizo Lopez, Rhealyn Samuelson and 34 others like this.

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Kacey Gonzalez Well we'll do one any way!!
Like · Reply · 1 · March 12 at 1:01pm

Nicole Botello Okie dokie
See Translation
Like · Reply · March 12 at 1:01pm

DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · September 22, 2014 · Edited [?] ·

Who's ready for a weekend of old-fashioned fun? Make sure to check out Western Days in Lewisville, Texas this weekend. We will be providing free shuttles to and from Old Town Station. (Hint: you can ride the A-train for free too! Just tell the fare enforcement officer "Howdy" when he walks by!) <http://bit.ly/Zq5CaJ>



Ready to ride to the WESTERN DAYS FESTIVAL
LEWISVILLE, TEXAS

**FREE SHUTTLES WILL RUN BETWEEN
OLD TOWN STATION AND THE EVENT
EVERY 10-20 MINUTES BOTH
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.**

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Your Future Is Riding On Us. Deep Roots. Broad Wings. Bright Future.

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Tips/How to Posts

DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)
Posted by Adrienne Hamilton [?] · April 16 ·

Do you ride public transportation? If so, great! If not, check out our top five reasons why you should be riding: <http://bit.ly/1FXXq4D>



Get on the Ride.

5 Reasons You Should Be Riding Public Transportation
Public transportation is critical to our environment, economic development and general well-being for many of us and communities across the U.S. There are many great benefits to ditching your car a...
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Like Kristina Kirby Brevard, Rusty Comer, Kind Companions and 37 others like this.

DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · May 4 at 7:15am · Edited [?] ·

Did you know that you can take a bike onto any of our bus vehicles or the A-train? Make sure to dust off your wheels for #BikeMonth during May!



HOW DO I... PROPERLY LOAD A BIKE ON THE BUS?

STEP 1
Indicate to the driver that you would like to load your bike onto the bike rack in front of the bus. For smaller buses, ask to bring your bike onto the bus.

STEP 2
If bike rack on the bus is not already lowered, push it down so it is parallel to the ground.

STEP 3
Secure both wheels in the rack space and lift bar to secure both wheels to the rack.

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Tips/How to Posts

 **Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)**
Published by Adrienne Hamilton [?] · March 17 · Edited [?] · 

Tomorrow is Transit Driver Appreciation Day! Don't miss out on your chance to show your favorite DCTA driver some love. Check out these four easy ways to say thanks: <http://bit.ly/19vHKrE>



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 **Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)**
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · April 22 · Edited [?] · 

Wondering about some things you could do today to benefit the planet? Check out our #EarthDay tips at our blog: <http://bit.ly/1OaYmHk>



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Infographic Posts

DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)
 Published by Wendy Haun [?] · March 5 · Edited [?] ·

We have a varied history since our founding in 2002. With Transit Driver Appreciation Day coming up, we not only look at our present, but our past and our future as well.



History of DCTA

- 2001** DCTA founded by House Bill 3923.
- 2006** DCTA takes over existing bus services and starts operating bus service in Denton.
- Commuter Express launches**
- mid-2006** DCTA began construction on the A-train
- 2009** Passenger shelters installed at bus stops
- 2011** A-train launches DCTC opens
- 2015 and beyond** Comprehensive Service Analysis for further expansion of DCTA services

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👍 Caitlyn C. Moore, Matthew Epps, Man Tes and 31 others like this.

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 **Cordero Rojas** I love DCTA. Something to McKinney would be nice though. Maybe link up with TAPS

DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)
 Published by Wendy Haun [?] · April 28 at 6:30am · Edited [?] ·

Our ridership continues to trend up, with a 4.08% overall increase year-to-date compared to our 2014 fiscal year. Thanks for riding #DCTA!



MARCH 2015 RIDERSHIP

- TOTAL RIDERSHIP** 263,317
- BUS RIDERSHIP** 213,150
- A-TRAIN RIDERSHIP** 50,167

INCREASES ARE CALCULATED BY THE FISCAL YEAR (OCT. 1-SEPT. 30) TO DATE. OVERALL RIDERSHIP IS TRENDING UP PRIMARILY DUE TO UNT GROWTH.

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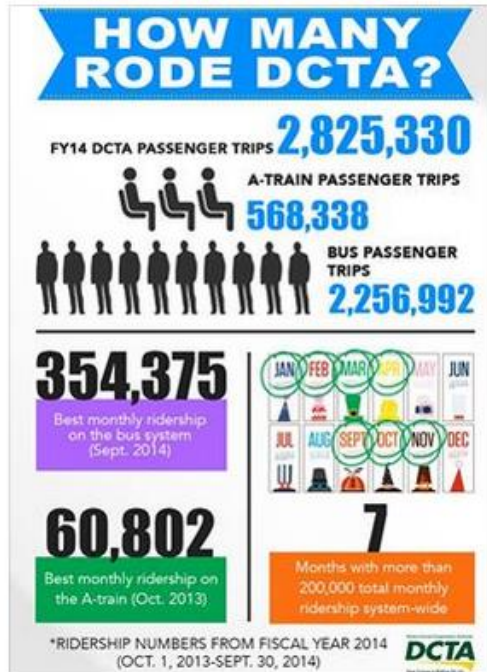
Infographic Posts



Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)

Published by Wendy Haun [?] · February 2 ·

How many people are REALLY riding DCTA? We delivered more than 2.8 million passenger trips during the 2014 fiscal year. Thanks for riding DCTA!



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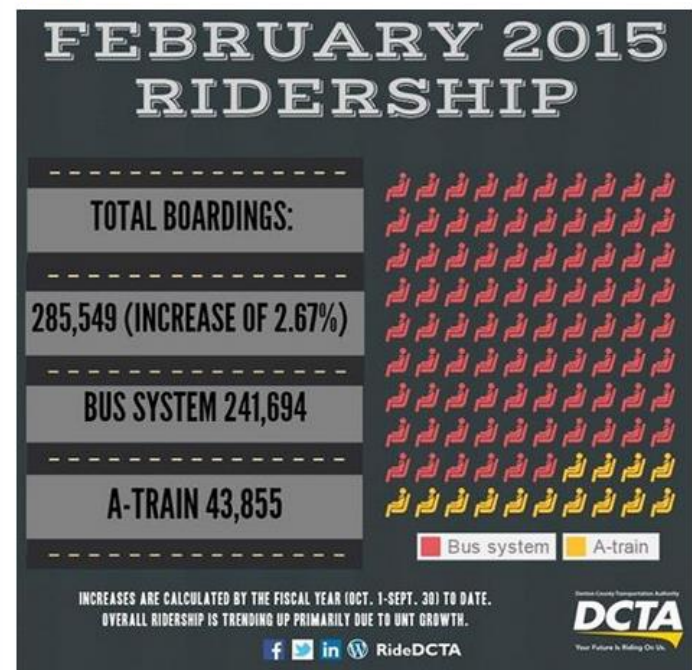
Man Tes, Nancy Gates Wimberley, Kim Phillips and 10 others like this.



Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)

Published by Wendy Haun [?] · March 31 · Edited [?] ·

Despite lower gas prices and inclement weather in February, we're still trending up in ridership over the 2015 fiscal year! Thanks for riding #DCTA.



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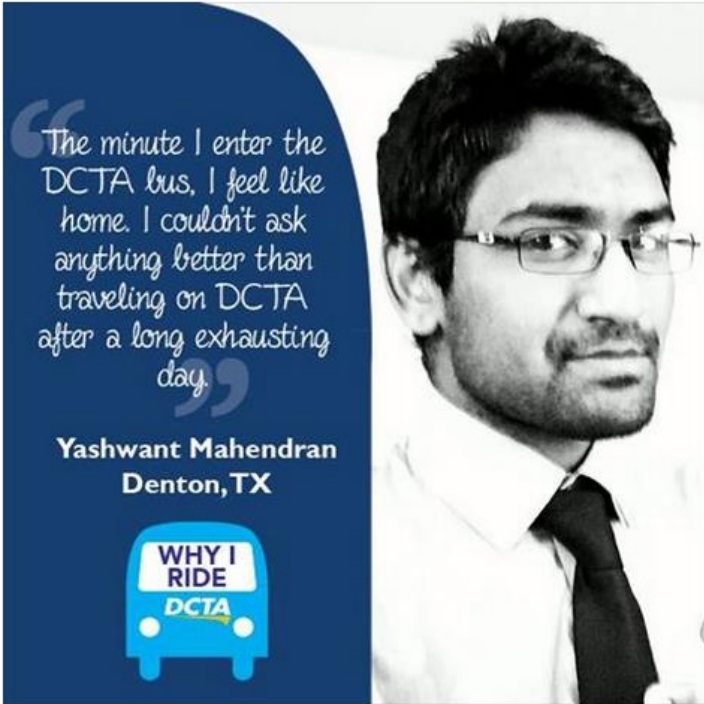
Ruth Lanigan, Caitlyn C. Moore, Andrew Rowlett and 16 others like this.

Why I Ride DCTA Posts

 Published by Wendy Haun [?] · April 29 at 9:45am · Edited [?] ·


Congratulations Yashwant Mahendran! You are this month's winner of our "Why I Ride DCTA" monthly pass drawing. Do you also like riding DCTA? Tell us why here: <http://bit.ly/13zZIWT>


Read all of Yashwant's responses at our blog: <http://bit.ly/1Jykt7f>




Yashwant Mahendran
Denton, TX

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 **Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)**
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · March 25 · Edited [?] ·

Congratulations Dorothy Silverio! You are this month's winner of our "Why I Ride DCTA" monthly pass drawing. Do you also like riding DCTA? Tell us why here: <http://bit.ly/13zZIWT>

Read all of Dorothy's responses at our blog: <http://bit.ly/1LXo2Gn>



Dorothy Silverio
Denton, TX

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Why I Ride DCTA Posts

DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · February 4 · Edited [?] ·

Enjoy riding DCTA? Share with us why you ride for a chance to be featured in our promotional materials and online platforms. All who share their stories will be entered in our monthly drawing for a chance to win a 10-pack of regional day passes! <http://bit.ly/13zZiWT>



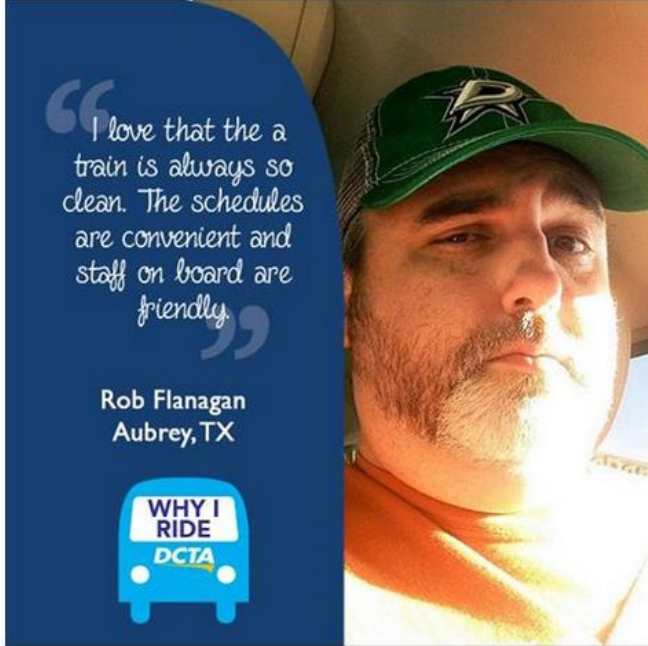
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👍 Jana Grose, Man Tes, Ron W. Reazor and 7 others like this.


DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · March 11 · Edited [?] ·

Rob from Aubrey rides the A-train to events. Read the rest of his thoughts about #DCTA at our blog: <http://bit.ly/1xcK6k5>



“ I love that the a train is always so clean. The schedules are convenient and staff on board are friendly. ”

Rob Flanagan
Aubrey, TX



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👍 Dianne Irizarry Mayfield, Lucy Isabel, Shawn Reynolds and 24 others like this.



Fun Things to Do this Month Posts

DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · May 4 at 3:00pm · Edited ·

Make sure to drop by the Campus Theatre for the final showings of *The Wedding Singer*, put on by Music Theatre of Denton!

Check out our blog for a complete listing of all fun May activities and events accessible via DCTA: <http://bit.ly/112TwrU>



TURN THE SPOTLIGHT UP
We'll get you here. Take Denton Connect Route 7 or 8. **DCTA**

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👍 Rusty Comer, Adam R. Reese, Music Theatre of Denton and 2 others like this.

mtD Music Theatre of Denton Thank you so much for the post!
Unlike · Reply · 1 · May 4 at 4:06pm

DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA) No problem!
Like · Reply · Commented on by Adrienne Hamilton [?] · May 4 at 4:49pm

DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · April 23 · Edited [?] ·

Start off the summer right with the first Twilight Tunes concert tonight, put on by Downtown Denton - Denton Main Street Association!



GET TO THE MUSIC
Three-block walk from Downtown Denton Transit Center
Take Denton Connect Routes 6, 7, or 8. **DCTA**

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👍 Alberto Hernandez Flores, Caitlyn C. Moore, Regina Roden Voorhees and 7 others like this.

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Fun Things to Do this Month Posts

 **Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)**
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · April 20 · Edited [?] ·

Head out this weekend to Denton Arts & Jazz Festival. Skip the parking hassle and get there with us! Travel info here: <http://bit.ly/1NZDnBW>



JOIN THE CROWD
● TAKE THE A-TRAIN (DOWNTOWN DENTON TRANSIT CENTER)
● TAKE DENTON CONNECT ROUTES 4, 5 AND 6

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 Rusty Comer, Randy Perkins, Michelle Myers and 10 others like this.

 **Regina Roden Voorhees** Jamey Foster, Lisa Salerno Foster, Wyatt Foster
Like · Reply · April 21 at 9:50am

 **Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)**
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · April 17 · Edited [?] ·

Time to start thinking about gardening! Ride DCTA and head out to the Denton Redbud Festival, sponsored by Keep Denton Beautiful, Inc., at the Civic Center tomorrow: <http://kdb.org/program/beautification/denton-redbud-festival/>



Don't miss your chance to Keep Denton Beautiful!
● Two-block walk from Downtown Denton Transit Center
● Take Denton Connect Routes 4 or 5

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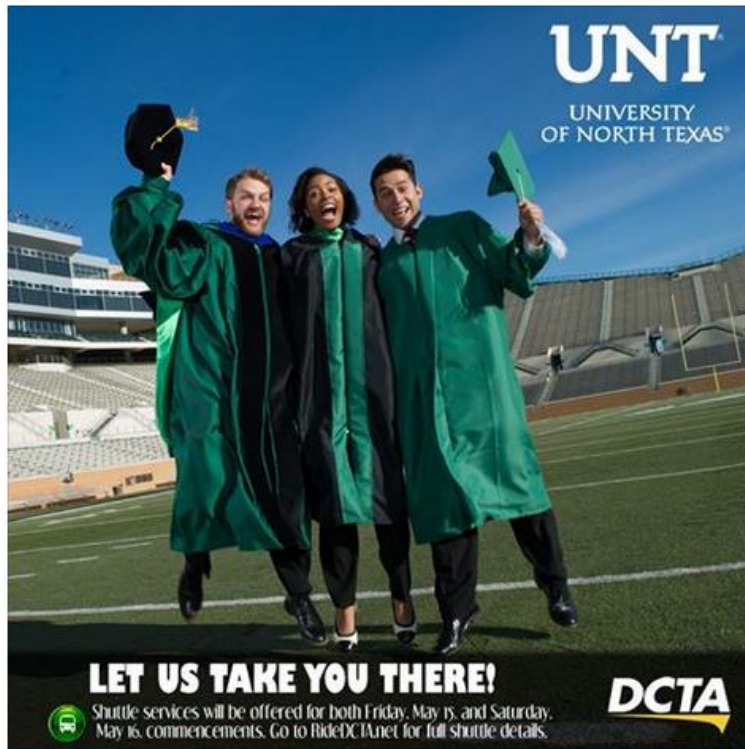
Key Announcements



Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)

Published by Wendy Haun [?] · May 5 at 4:30pm · Edited [?] ·

Look no further for the hassle-free way to get to University of North Texas commencement! We will offer complimentary shuttles to all of next weekend's festivities: <http://bit.ly/1bvNOJT>



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👍 Brytnie Jones, Glorianna Morgan, Uge Teran and 9 others like this.



Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)

Published by Wendy Haun [?] · April 15 · Edited [?] ·

Didn't make it to one of our Open House meetings? No worries - you can watch our Open House video and check out our proposed Regional Corridor Express System expansion plans! FM407 service for Highland Village is the first corridor we're looking to launch early next year.

Provide us with your feedback here: <http://bit.ly/1IUjqLT>



2015 DCTA Open House Video

Watch our Open House video and provide your feedback on our website: <http://bit.ly/1IUjqLT> Your opinion is crucial to our decision-making process of proposed...

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👍 Steve Bolivar, Eri Robb, Pam Keith-Green and 19 others like this.



Key Announcements

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Published by Wendy Haun [?] · January 5 · Edited [?] · 🌐

We will implement new service changes starting Monday, January 19. New schedules are available for viewing today. Check here for more information: <http://bit.ly/1CRvFc0>



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👍 Steven Gore, Leianne Griffin, Brian Wilson and 16 others like this.

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 **Adam Goldson** Very cool
Like · Reply · January 5 at 10:01am

 **Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)**
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · November 11, 2014 · Edited [?] · 🌐

In honor of those who have served our country, all former and present military personnel can ride DCTA services (excluding paratransit) for FREE today for Veteran's Day! Just show your military ID or discharge papers when asked for fare and THANK YOU for your service.



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👍 Jose Tizon, Tony Head, Shirley Waterman and 38 others like this.

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Flashback Friday Posts

 **Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)**
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · April 17 · Edited [?] ·

#FlashbackFriday: one of our old trains rolls through Denton towards the DDTC.

Tell us: what is your favorite place to go on the Denton Square, whether it's to eat, shop or just hang out?




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👍 Lesia James, Benito Muniz, Leianne Griffin and 24 others like this.


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 **Jacie McKim Fields** LSA Burger
Like · Reply · April 17 at 2:57pm

 **Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)**
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · February 6 ·

#FlashbackFriday: Check out this article from the Denton Record-Chronicle on how the generation who used trains as a primary mode of transit are rediscovering their love of trains with public transit.

Share with us: Did you ride the trains as a small child to get from place to place? Where did you frequently take them?




Old mode of travel back in vogue

Pat Colonna looks at home in a moving train. She sits reclined, a 75-year-old yoga teacher, spread across the double seat at the front of a backwards-moving rail car. She carries her bags, a book, a water bottle, an itinerary and walking...

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Flashback Friday Posts

DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · January 2 · Edited [?] ·

#FlashbackFriday: This is how we got the A-train on the track at our rail facility!
Share with us: Where is the best place you have gone on since we started running rail service?



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Caitlyn C. Moore, Emily James, Tormaine Thompson and 30 others like this.

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DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · October 3, 2014 · Edited [?] ·

Flashback Friday: Who rode the A-train when it looked like this?



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Dee Leggett, Sharone Kievlan, Kim Phillips and 110 others like this.

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Richard Hayner I live and work in Denton, so I don't have the pleasure to commute on the A-Train, but I ride it every year to the fair, and I did so before the trains looked like something out of a Flash Gordon movie. Love it. P.S. get off at Hebron Station some time and check out the historical marker. That's my baby.

October 4, 2014 at 7:30am · Like · 1



Rail Safety Posts

DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · February 19 · Edited [?] ·

Don't find yourself in this situation -- don't walk on train tracks, especially near bridges! See tracks, think train, from Operation Lifesaver Inc.



Nowhere to run.

**STAY AWAY FROM THE TRACKS
STAY OFF STAY AWAY STAY ALIVE
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DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · April 27 · Edited [?] ·

Don't be the fly here. Always be aware around train tracks! From us here at #DCTA and Operation Lifesaver Inc.



**WITH THE WEIGHT RATIO
OF 800 TO ONE,
THE TRAIN'S A FLY SWATTER
COMPARED
TO YOU.**

Before you step beyond the safety line. Before you stand on tracks close to the platform. Before you decide to take that shortcut across the tracks. Consider the impact.


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👍 Dee Leggett, Pamela Klekar Burns, Regina Roden Voorhees and 4 others like this.



Topical Industry Posts

 **Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)**
Published by Adrienne Hamilton [?] · April 7 · Edited [?] ·


We need Congress to invest long term in our transportation infrastructure to maintain and improve transportation systems that serve our nation in so many ways! Check out how federal investments have made a huge impact for DCTA and Denton County residents: <http://bit.ly/1Jhishh>





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PARTNERS STANDING UP FOR TRANSPORTATION


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 Public Transportation, Kevin Beck, Jay Schyler Raadt and 6 others like this.

 **Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)**
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · March 20 ·

For the ninth-straight year, there have been more than 10 billion passenger trips on public transportation. Thanks to our passengers for being part of that number!





Public transit hits 10.8 billion trips in 2014

A record 10.8 billion passenger trips were taken via public transportation in 2014, the highest number since 1956, according to a report from the American Public Transportation Association. This marks the ninth

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 Kristina Kirby Brevard, Jones Jennifer, Barbara Heffley and 47 others like this.



Topical Industry Posts

DCTA Denton County Transportation Authority (DCTA)
Published by Wendy Haun [?] · February 25 ·

We always hear of the financial benefits of public transit. But what about the health benefits? Read here about the ways taking transit is healthier than driving: <http://www.healthline.com/.../why-public-transit-is-better-th...>



Healthy Commutes: Why Public Transit Is Miles Better Than Driving

How you commute can make a difference in your health as well as your happiness.

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Published by Wendy Haun [?] · February 20 · Edited [?] ·

Need another reason to dump the pump for transit? Just look at all the things you could be spending your money on, according to the American Public Transportation Association! Figures taken from January's Transit Savings Report: <http://bit.ly/1JpP2Nv>

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👍 Ron W. Reazor, Lesia James, Paul McManus and 3 others like this.

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