SAN JOAQUIN RTD PARTNERS FOR “RTD GO!”

In partnership with Uber, the San Joaquin Regional Transit District (RTD) has launched pilot program “RTD GO!” Through this program, as of July 3, passengers taking a trip from outside the normal RTD service area to one of eight local transit centers (or vice versa) can save up to 50% (up to $5 per ride) on the cost of traveling via Uber. This discount will be automatically applied within the Uber app should a customer’s trip meet these terms. “RTD GO!” can be used Monday through Friday, any time from 6am – 10pm. This one year pilot promotion aims to make it easier and cheaper for residents who live in more remote parts of San Joaquin County to stay connected.

(City of Pasadena Launches Bikeshare)

CITY OF PASADENA LAUNCHES BIKESHARE

The Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro) and the City of Pasadena have partnered to bring Metro Bike Share to Pasadena. As of July 14, 375 bikes provided by bikesharing company, BCycle, are available at over 30 stations across the city. Riders can access the bikes via a $20 monthly pass that offers unlimited 30-minute rides, a $40 Annual Flex Pass for $1.75 per ride, or on a per use basis for $3.50 per 30-minute ride. Metro Bike Share first launched in downtown Los Angeles and will also open at the Port of L.A. starting today, July 31. Through this bikeshare program, Metro splits the cost of the bikes in order to encourage bike and transit travel.

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