

Seattle Transportation Benefit District

Proposition 1:

VOTE YES to PRESERVE & EXPAND BUS SERVICE

What does a "yes" vote mean?

A 0.1% sales-tax increase and \$60 car-tab fee (\$20 rebate for low-income car owners) will generate new funding for Metro.

A "yes" vote on Seattle TBD Prop. 1 would not only restore eliminated service, but also **fund badly-needed additional bus service and improvements in Seattle. That would mean more frequent service and less crowded buses.**

King County has canceled upcoming cuts by digging deep into Metro's reserve fund and banking on a booming economy. But sales tax is a highly volatile revenue source. **There is no guarantee that the next few years will be recession-free and that sales tax revenue will not once again slump.**

Vote YES to safeguard our transit system!

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Whose Buses? Our Buses! Whose City? Our City!

Seattle's economy is booming, but who reaps the benefits? Developers and big businesses may be making record profits, but for many of us the recession continues. We can't afford rent, we can't find a stable job, we're homeless or facing foreclosure, bus fares are too high and service is unreliable. It doesn't have to be this way. We have power if we can learn how to use it. It's up to us to organize and fight to make Seattle Our City!

Public Transit is a Critical Part of Stopping Climate Change

A commuter using public transit will prevent 20 pounds a day in carbon emissions. That amounts to 4800 pounds per year. That means cleaner air and less congested roads. For our environment and our future, ride the bus and join the fight for affordable mass transit.

The Transit Riders Union Wants YOU!

Do you ride the bus? Then you're a transit rider, and you belong in the Transit Riders Union. TRU is a democratic member-run union that YOU can join: we are fighting to for better public transit for all. We have power in numbers. Join us today.

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