

Prairie Hills Transit is an essential service – especially in times like these – that benefits all by providing dependable transportation to healthcare, pharmacy and grocery store.

Many **depend on Prairie Hills Transit** as their sole means of transportation for essential travel; therefore, we will continue to operate service for as long as we are able.

We fully support the CDC and local Health Department recommendations for social distancing and ask you heed the Governor’s order to stay out of public spaces as much as possible. Please **limit travel to necessary trips only** during this time. If you are experiencing symptoms, please avoid using public transit.

Safety

We are taking all precautions to ensure our bus operators, riders and the community are **safe**. Prairie Hills Transit is following all local and national safety guidelines.

- We thoroughly clean and disinfect our buses **multiple times daily**, paying particular attention to “**high touch**” areas, such as handholds and railings.
- We encourage riders to practice **social distancing** by putting as much space as possible between yourself and others.
- For our operators, we have created a **social-distancing buffer zone** by blocking off all seats six feet behind the operator.
- Operators have access to **personal protective equipment** should they choose to wear it.

Conditions are changing almost hourly and we will **continue to work closely with the local authorities on a coordinated response to the COVID-19 outbreak**. Please continue to check this page on our website and follow our social media channels for the latest updates.

To schedule a trip call dispatch at 605-642-6668 or toll free 877-673-3687. Hours for the call center have temporarily changed 8am to 4pm Monday through Friday. If you have any questions or concerns, please ask for Barb or Lisa.

We are grateful for your continued support of Prairie Hills Transit, the public transit system that is reliable and dependable.