

BTMO Transportation Update

Back to School with BTMO: Your guide to transit discounts for the upcoming school year

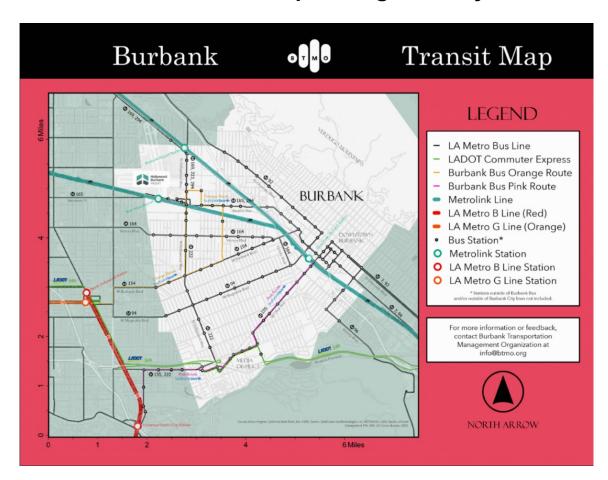


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Looking for commute alternatives for the start of the new school year?

Check out our guide to see discounted student tickets with Metro, BurbankBus, and Metrolink.

Plus, your discounts are not limited to school hours! Use your reduced student fares all school year long when riding with BurbankBus, Metro, and Metrolink.

Show us your favorite place to take transit



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BTMO is hosting a virtual campaign with Go Glendale and Warner Connects to highlight the beauty of transit with a **transit-friendly destination guide**.

Participate by April 30 for the chance to win some awesome gifts, including a **Kindle**, \$30-\$50 **gift cards**, a **backpack cooler**, or a **bike kit** gift basket.

- 1. Take an image on transit, at a station, or a transit-friendly destination.
- 2. Upload it to our online form.
- 3. Stay tuned for an interactive map with the locations and images!

Upload your photo

All aboard for Train Festival 2025



Image Source: Union Station

Los Angeles Union Station, with presenting partners Metro, Amtrak and Metrolink, will once again welcome train enthusiasts from Southern California and beyond to learn, explore and celebrate all things rail at the much-anticipated **Train Festival 2025: LA's Spirit in Motion.**

This **free**, **open-to-the-public community event** is set for Saturday, September 20 and Sunday, September 21, from 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM.

Come see a dynamic lineup of railroad equipment tours and displays, model train exhibits, interactive information booths, live entertainment, giveaways, family-friendly activities and much more!

This is a FREE event for all ages.

Articles of Interest

City removes DIY crosswalks around popular West LA park. Organizer says, game on



Source: L.A. Times

John Rossant and Carlo Ratti | L.A. Times

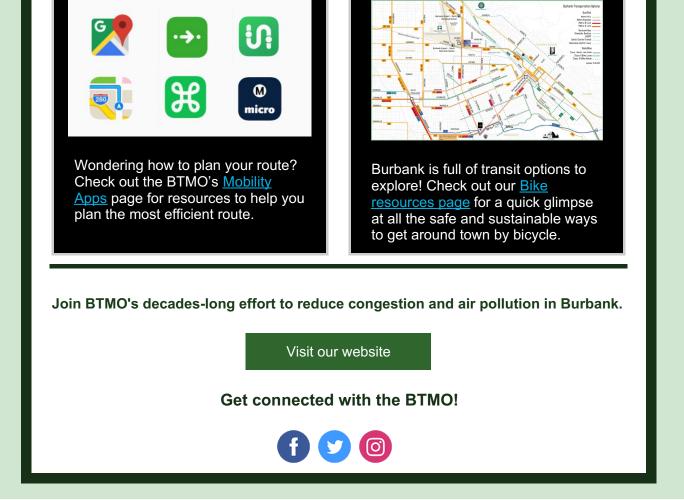
"What if L.A.'s so-called flaws — its low density, car culture and decentralized sprawl — weren't liabilities in a changing world, but underappreciated assets? Not because they were the right urban solutions all along, but because the systems beneath them are shifting?

Urban form has always followed transportation infrastructure. Roman roads influenced the creation of grid-based military cities. Railways shaped satellite towns. Subways gave rise to vertical density.

Today, the emergence of autonomous mobility solutions like robot taxis as well as distributed energy — decentralized, small-scale energy generation located near where energy is actually consumed — is redrawing those relationships once again — and the L.A. model just may be a big beneficiary in the long run."

Read the full article here!

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