



## Northern Virginia Transportation Authority

The Authority for Transportation in Northern Virginia

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### -- MEDIA EVENT ADVISORY --

## Northern Virginia Transportation Authority Announces a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony for New Arlington ART, Fairfax Connector, City of Fairfax CUE and Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission OmniRide Buses September 21, 2015 at 1 pm

### WHAT:

Ribbon Cutting Ceremony for recently purchased buses funded by the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority's (NVTA) FY2014 and FY2015-16 Programs.

### WHO:

The NVTA, in partnership with Arlington and Fairfax Counties, the City of Fairfax and the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission (PRTC).

### WHEN:

Monday, September 21, 2015 at 1 pm

### WHERE:

City of Fairfax City Hall, 10455 Armstrong Street, Fairfax, VA 22030

[Directions](#)

### INFORMATION:

NVTA Chairman Martin E. Nohe (Prince William County Supervisor), City of Fairfax Mayor R. Scott Silverthorne, Fairfax County Chairman Sharon Bulova, Arlington County Chair Mary Hynes and PRTC Chairman John Jenkins (Prince William County Supervisor), along with NVTA members, legislators, regional leaders and local transportation agencies, will welcome these new buses to their fleets with a ribbon cutting ceremony. The NVTA funds regional transportation improvements, such as new buses, to increase transit capacity and reduce congestion in Northern Virginia. The Authority is proud to host this event as part of Try Transit Week.

*NVTA was created by the General Assembly on July 1, 2002, to offer a common voice for Northern Virginia on transportation issues confronting the region. The Authority is made up of nine jurisdictions including: the counties of Arlington, Fairfax, Loudoun and Prince William; as well as the cities of Alexandria, Fairfax, Falls Church, Manassas and Manassas Park. The Authority is responsible for updating Northern Virginia's long-range transportation plan, TransAction, and since 2014 manages approximately \$300 million annually in public funds for transportation projects designed to provide congestion relief throughout Northern Virginia. For more information visit [www.thenovaauthority.org](http://www.thenovaauthority.org).*

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