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Coach Service Connects City of Sierra Madre with Downtown Los Angeles via the Metro Gold Line

Transportation to and from Sierra Madre and downtown Los Angeles has gotten easier, thanks to a circular, nine-mile Sierra Madre Gateway Coach service that stops at several city locations and connects with the Sierra Madre Villa Metro Gold Line Station in East Pasadena.

Metro Gold Line trains then take passengers through Pasadena, South Pasadena, Highland Park, Lincoln Heights and Chinatown to downtown Los Angeles and back.

Sierra Madre Gateway coaches will operate on a streamlined route during the peak commute hours of 6-9 a.m. and 4-7 p.m. Monday through Friday.

During the non-peak hours of 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., service is extended to include additional points of interest throughout the City of Sierra Madre, including the Civic and Senior Centers, Sierra Madre School and Mount Wilson Trail Park.

The regular fare for the coach service is 50 cents. Seniors, disabled and youth 16 and under with ID ride for free. Fare exemptions can be obtained at no cost at the Community Services Department located at 611 East Sierra Madre Boulevard. The Metro Gold Line requires a separate fare.

For more information, visit WWW.CI.SIERRA-MADRE.CA.US. For information on Metro Bus and Rail timetables, visit WWW.METRO.NET or call 1-800-C-O-M-M-U-T-E.

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