Changes are coming to Route 209

Starting Sept. 28, Route 209 will run only during peak commute times. A new Route 208 will provide hourly service between North Bend and Issaquah on weekdays and Saturdays. Route 208 will run in the opposite direction from Route 209 during peak commute hours and in both directions during non-peak hours.

These adjustments will better match service to the area’s needs and provide all-day service to the rapidly growing Snoqualmie Ridge area.

These changes are part of a larger revision of transit service in the Snoqualmie Valley that includes several route modifications and the creation of a new intra-valley shuttle. Our goal is to enhance mobility for Snoqualmie Valley residents in a way that is more cost-effective than fixed-route bus service alone.

Expanded transit options in the Snoqualmie Valley

• **Travel between Fall City and Snoqualmie**—The new Snoqualmie Intra-Valley Shuttle will run about every 90 minutes between Duvall and North Bend on weekdays between 6 a.m. and 7 p.m. The shuttle will be operated locally by Snoqualmie Valley Transportation. Riders will be asked for donations.

• **Travel between Fall City/Preston and Issaquah**—Route 209 will still have three trips in the morning and three in the afternoon for commuters. Eligible riders may also use existing on-demand service provided by Snoqualmie Valley Transportation.

• **Flexible routing**—The Snoqualmie Intra-Valley Shuttle will have flexible routing in Duvall and some parts of North Bend. Riders in those areas will be able to call to schedule pickup times.

• **Travel to/from Snoqualmie Ridge**—New Route 208 will provide service between North Bend and Issaquah, via downtown Snoqualmie and Snoqualmie Ridge, during weekday mid-day and evening hours and also on Saturdays. On weekday mornings, Route 208 will take riders from Issaquah to Snoqualmie Ridge, and Route 215 will still provide peak-period commuter service from Snoqualmie Ridge to downtown Seattle.

• **Travel to/from downtown Seattle**—To speed up service to and from downtown Seattle, Route 215 will no longer stop at the Issaquah Transit Center.

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Other transportation options

- **Ridesharing**—In addition to fixed-route transit service, Metro provides assistance with vanpools and carpools. To learn more, visit [www.kingcounty.gov/metro/rideshare](http://www.kingcounty.gov/metro/rideshare) or call 206-625-4500.

- **Community access shuttles**—Other transportation options for riders in North Bend, Fall City, and Snoqualmie include Community Access Transportation provided by Snoqualmie Valley Transportation (425-888-7001) and the Hyde Shuttle (425-333-4009), which is available to seniors and residents with disabilities for trips like errands and medical appointments.

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Adopted changes for September 2013

Note: This map does not reflect potential budget reductions in 2014 and 2015

Summary

208 - New all-day route
209 - Change to peak only
215 - Bypass Issaquah Transit Center
224 - More frequent

Intra-Valley Shuttle - New all-day service

Intra-valley shuttle flexible routing area.

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