Ocean Ride

Waretown Shopper’s Loop

Ocean Ride operates a flex route service to residents of Ocean Township (Waretown). Advance reservation is required by calling Town Hall. This service is available to senior citizens (age 60 and over) and adults with disabilities and the general public.

Service operates on TUESDAYS ONLY

PICKUPS begin at 8:45 AM
DEPARTS shopping locations at 11:30 AM

Fares:
General Public: $2.00 (ONE WAY)
Seniors & Persons w/ Disabilities $1.00 (ONE WAY)
EXACT CHANGE REQUIRED

To sign up for Ocean Ride’s Waretown service, please call the Ocean Town Hall at 609.693.3302 ext. 221 to reserve your seat or to request further information. Reservations are accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis based on seating capacity.

Our vehicles are wheelchair-accessible for your convenience. Please advise Town Hall if you require use of the lift so we can allow extra time in our schedule for boarding. In the event of high rider demand, and the Township of Ocean reserve the right to rotate riders to provide equal access to transportation service by residents.

We ask that you make your reservation each week by calling no later than 4:30 PM the Friday before service. In the event you are unable to ride on your scheduled day of service, please be sure to call Town Hall to cancel your reservation as soon as possible to allow others to ride.

Your cooperation is greatly appreciated!

Service Description

TUESDAYS

★ Destinations: Route 72
- Stafford Park (near Target)
- Kmart/Staples
- Walmart/Pathmark
- Stafford Square/Shop-Rite
- Kohl’s/Home Depot

★ Riders must select one (1) destination when making a trip reservation.

Call Town Hall 609-693-3302 ext. 221

2nd TUESDAYS of Alternating Months (6 trips a Year)

Service to Ocean County Mall:
Operates the following months:
February, April, June, August,
October & December

PICK-UP 9:00 AM from Township of Ocean Engel Sprague Senior Center
239 11th Street, Waretown

NO home pick-ups for this service.

Rider Requirements

- Passengers must carry their own package. Maximum of 2 (two) bags.
- Packages cannot take up seating capacity or block aisles or exits.
- Drivers may not accept tips or gratuities.

Additional Services

- Reserve-A-Ride Service - Available to senior citizens (age 60+) and persons with disabilities. Pre-registration is required. Please call 1.877.929.2082, then press 1 for further information.
RIDES OCEAN RIDE ALL AROUND TOWN! SHOPPING, DOCTOR, LIBRARY! WHEREVER YOUR DAY TAKES YOU!

Operates Tuesday

Accessibility
Our buses are wheelchair lift-equipped. Drivers are trained to assist passengers who need help.

RIDERS NEEDING LIFT TRANSPORTATION
Call Ocean Ride 24 hours in advance
(732) 736-8989, Press "4"

FARES:
(open to all ages)
$1.00 Senior Citizens & Person w/Disabilities
$1.00 Students (Valid ID required)
$2.00 General Public
EXACT CHANGE REQUIRED

Rider Guidelines:
No Smoking
No Eating or Drinking
No Littering
Speak Softly on cell phones
Riders must carry their own packages

Closed County Holidays
New Year's Day
M.L. King's Birthday
Lincoln's Birthday
Washington's Birthday
Good Friday
Memorial Day
Independence Day
Labor Day
Columbus Day
Election Day
Veteran's Day
Thanksgiving Day
Thanksgiving Friday
Christmas Day

- Bus times are approximate.
- Bus times on schedule correspond with number stops. You may get on and off the bus along the route, by signaling to the driver (where roadway conditions permit).

Drivers cannot make unscheduled route changes.

Route deviation service is available to riders up to one block of either side of the printed bus route where conditions allow. Limit of one deviation per trip will be honored. Riders must call Ocean Ride 24 hours in advance (732) 736-8989 then press "4" for a Supervisor.

Ocean Ride reserves the right to authorize appropriate route deviation requests, subject to local regulations.

MAKE A CONNECTION

Expand your travels on Ocean Ride by making connections to other transportation services

Going To
2nd Tuesday, Alternate Months:
Whiting
Brick, Pt. Pleasant

Connect With
February, April, June, August, October, December
OC 1 Whiting
OC 3A Brick, Pt. Pleasant

Where
Ocean County Mall
Ocean County Mall

OCEAN COUNTY TRANSPORTATION SERVICES DEPARTMENT
(732) 736-8989
Toll-Free 1 (877) 929-2082
Dial 711 for NJ Relay System
(For riders who are deaf, hard of hearing, deaf-blind & speech impaired)

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Non-Discrimination Policy
Title VI Notice to Beneficiaries
Ocean Ride is committed to ensuring that no person is excluded from, or denied the benefits of, or subjected to discrimination under any program or activity for which the Ocean County Board of Chosen Freeholders is responsible by reason of race, color, national origin, or disability. If you believe that you have been subjected to discrimination, you may file a complaint with the Ocean Ride Office, (732) 736-8989 ext. 235 or visit the website at www.co.ocean.nj.us/transportation.

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