



ROUTE 87 | FAIRMOUNT / WALNUT HILL

Route 87 is a crosstown route that operates through Woonsocket between Memorial Drive at Bourdon Boulevard and Diamond Hill Plaza via Woonsocket Depot, and provides service to many of the city’s important activity centers.

In the short-term, Route 87 would continue to operate its same regular alignment as at present. However, once Woonsocket changes some one-way streets to two-way, Route 87’s alignment would be revised as possible to operate service in both directions along the same streets. Schedules would be improved to operate service consistently every 30 minutes throughout the day and every 60 minutes at night, with timed-transfers Route 54 Woonsocket/Providence in the predominant direction of travel. To enable the consistent service and coordination with Route 54, the low ridership Railroad Street variant would be discontinued.

Proposed Changes

- Revise schedule to provide consistent weekday service, every 30 minutes during the day and every 60 during the evening.
- Improve weekend service frequencies to every 60 minutes.
- Coordinate transfers with Route 54 Lincoln/Woonsocket, which would become an all-day 54X Woonsocket Express.

Before and After Statistics

	EXISTING	PROPOSED
Span of Service		
Weekday	5:24 AM – 7:52 PM	5:30 AM – 8:00 PM
Saturday	6:40 AM – 7:30 PM	6:30 AM – 7:30 PM
Sunday	6:41 AM – 7:30 PM	6:30 AM – 7:30 PM
Headways		
Weekday		
AM Peak	15-38	30
Midday	11-38	30
PM Peak	13-30	30
Evening	30-35	60
Saturday	75-87	60
Sunday	75-97	60

Related Changes

- A new Route 88 Woonsocket /Highland Corporate Drive would provide new service to the eastern half of Woonsocket (see Route 88 section).



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