



Regional Transit Services

Operated by the City of Coolidge

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Maricopa Association of Governments

Transit Committee

City of Coolidge Transit Department

■ Local Service

- Cotton Express
- Established 1990

■ Regional Service

- Central Arizona Regional Transit – CART
- Established July 2010

Local Service

- Cotton Express (established 1990)
 - Local deviated fixed route
 - Fare - \$1.25 one way, \$2.50 day pass, \$45.00 month
 - Paratransit
 - Fare - \$1.50 one way, \$3.00 day pass, \$40.00 month
 - 7 am to 8 pm, Monday thru Friday.
 - Average – 23,000 trips per year last 5 years.



Regional Transit

- 2011 Pinal County Transit Study sufficient transit demand exists (Florence to Maricopa)
- City of Coolidge regional pilot project (Florence to Casa Grande) in July 2010
- Regional transit effort unified in June 2011



Regional Transit Partnership

- June 2011, Coolidge, Pinal County, Florence and Central Arizona College - IGA - shared funding
 - IGA provides for local match
 - Average 25,000 trips per year
 - 45-50 percent of riders - CAC students



Regional Transit Operations

- ❑ City of Coolidge - service operator & applicant
CART operations and budget – oversight -
CART Board, (senior staff – Partners)
- ❑ Today operating with three dedicated regional
buses. Two buses used each day; one reserve
bus
- ❑ The regional bus cycles approximately every two
hours between Florence and Casa Grande



Potential Partners

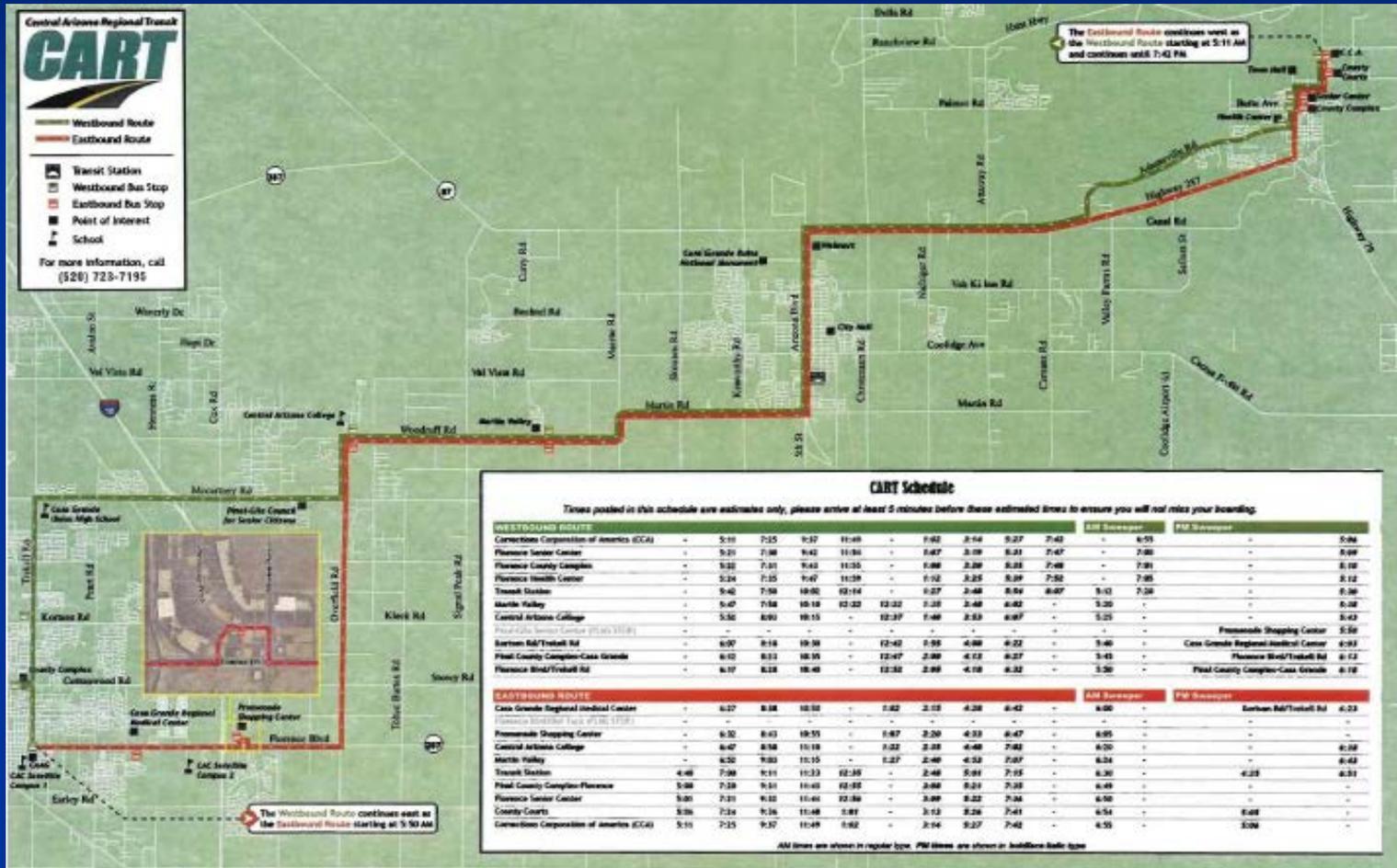
- ❑ Sun Corridor MPO formed last Summer.
- ❑ City of Casa Grande is the recipient of 5307 funding.
 - ❑ Casa Grande has been invited to join CART but has declined participation in the past.
- ❑ Regional service will continue under 5311 funding.
- ❑ Potential linkage with City of Maricopa transit services.



Vision and Planning

- ❑ Strategy is to grow the service slowly and carefully to ensure sustainability
- ❑ CART System hopes to be the link for communities to the Intercity Passenger Rail.

Route Map



CART Schedule

Times posted in this schedule are estimates only, please arrive at least 5 minutes before these estimated times to ensure you will not miss your boarding.

WESTBOUND ROUTE										AM Stopover		PM Stopover	
Carverton Corporation of America (CCA)	5:10	7:25	9:37	11:49	1:02	3:14	5:27	7:42	-	4:55	-	5:04	
Florence Senior Center	5:21	7:36	9:42	11:54	1:07	3:19	5:31	7:47	-	7:00	-	5:09	
Florence County Complex	5:32	7:47	9:53	12:05	1:18	3:30	5:42	7:58	-	7:09	-	5:18	
Florence Health Center	5:34	7:49	9:57	12:09	1:22	3:35	5:49	7:59	-	7:05	-	5:12	
Trask Station	5:40	7:56	10:02	12:14	1:27	3:40	5:54	8:07	5:13	7:24	-	5:36	
Marble Valley	5:47	7:54	10:10	12:22	1:35	3:48	6:02	-	5:20	-	-	5:38	
Central Arkansas College	5:52	8:00	10:15	-	12:27	4:00	6:07	-	5:25	-	-	5:43	
Barlow Rd/Trask Rd	5:57	8:14	10:30	-	12:42	4:05	6:12	-	5:40	-	Florence Shopping Center	5:50	
Pine County Complex-Casey Grande	6:12	8:31	10:45	-	12:47	4:09	6:17	-	5:45	-	Casey Grande Regional Medical Center	6:03	
Florence Blvd/Trask Rd	6:17	8:38	10:48	-	12:52	4:14	6:22	-	5:50	-	Florence Blvd/Trask Rd	6:12	
Pine County Complex-Casey Grande	6:17	8:38	10:48	-	12:52	4:14	6:22	-	5:50	-	Pine County Complex-Casey Grande	6:18	

EASTBOUND ROUTE										AM Stopover		PM Stopover	
Casey Grande Regional Medical Center	6:27	8:38	10:50	-	1:02	3:15	5:28	7:42	-	6:00	-	Barlow Rd/Trask Rd	6:23
Florence Shopping Center	6:30	8:43	10:55	-	1:07	3:20	5:33	7:47	-	6:05	-	-	
Central Arkansas College	6:47	8:58	11:10	-	1:22	3:35	5:48	7:59	-	6:20	-	6:38	
Marble Valley	6:52	9:03	11:15	-	1:27	3:40	5:53	7:57	-	6:24	-	6:43	
Trask Station	4:48	7:06	9:11	11:23	12:35	2:48	5:01	7:15	-	6:30	-	6:51	
Pine County Complex-Florence	5:30	7:38	9:51	11:44	12:55	3:08	5:21	7:33	-	6:49	-	-	
Florence Senior Center	5:35	7:43	9:52	11:44	12:56	3:09	5:22	7:34	-	6:50	-	-	
Country Courts	5:36	7:34	9:36	11:48	3:01	3:12	5:26	7:41	-	6:54	-	6:48	
Carverton Corporation of America (CCA)	5:10	7:25	9:37	11:49	1:02	3:14	5:27	7:42	-	4:55	-	5:04	

AM times are shown in regular type. PM times are shown in boldface italic type.

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