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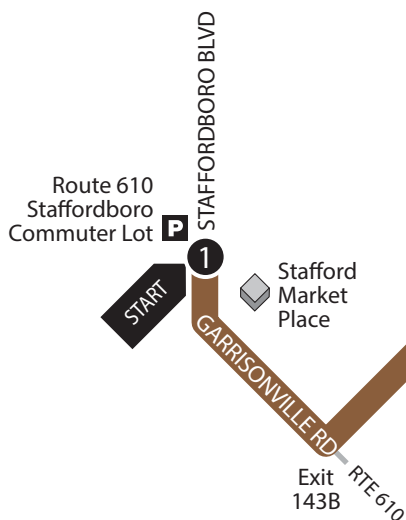
From Stafford To  
Downtown Washington



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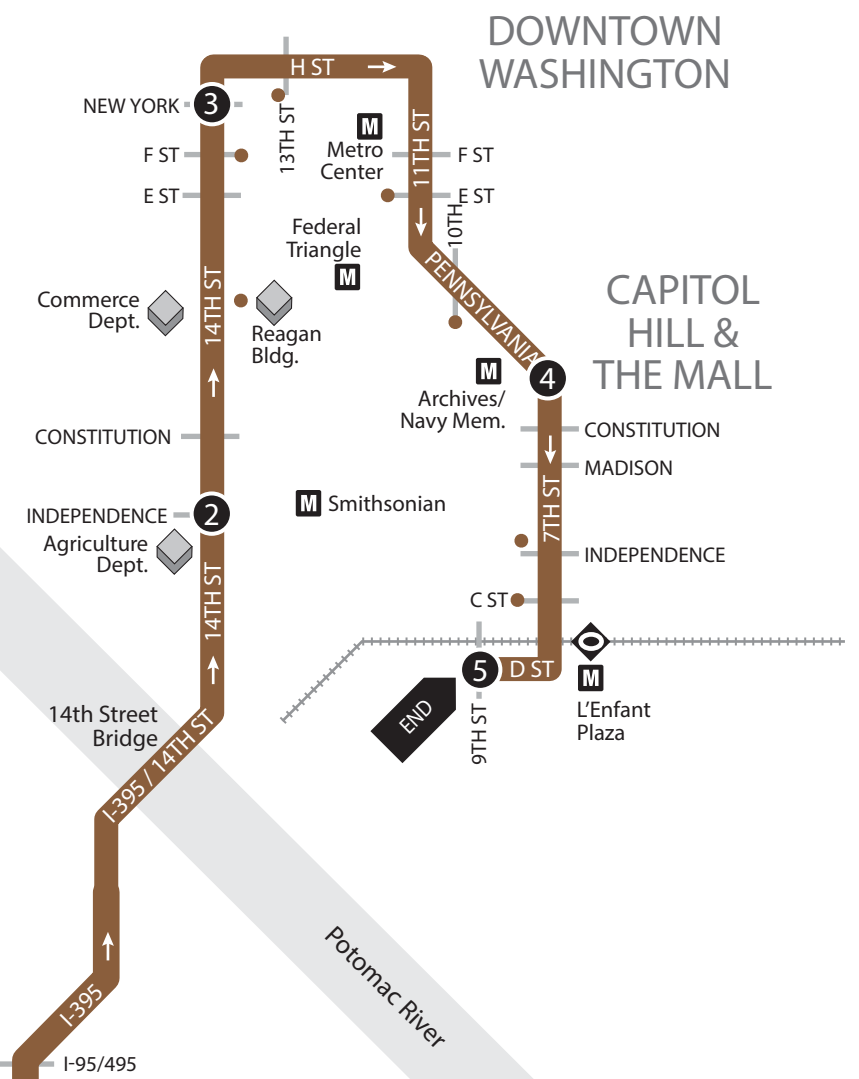
- Bus Stop  
(Bus also stops at the numbered timepoints)
  - Transfer Center
  - Commuter Lot
  - Point of Interest
  - Metrorail Station
  - VRE Train Station
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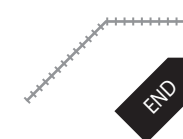
AQUIA HARBOR

Non-stop along I-95 and I-395



DOWNTOWN WASHINGTON

CAPITOL HILL & THE MALL



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Trip Number	Days of Service	1 Route 610 Staffordboro Commuter Lot	2 14th St and Independence	3 14th St and New York	4 Pennsylvania and 7th St	5 D St and 9th St, SW
<b>STAFFORD-WASHINGTON • MORNING SERVICE</b>						
543-1	M-F	4:38	5:29	5:34	5:46	5:51
543-2	M-F	5:33	6:22	6:27	6:37	6:42
543-3	M-F	6:33	7:27	7:34	7:45	7:52
543-4	M-F	7:23	8:14	8:22	8:35	8:42

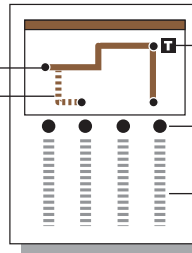
See other side for afternoon and evening trips to Stafford

### INSTRUCTIONS

The route always runs from left to right. The map and timetable also read from left to right. The bus stops here at listed times. Look for the matching symbol below the map.



The bus travels here sometimes. See schedule for trips that travel this route variation.



Transfer Center is a location where many transfer options are available between OmniRide buses or other regional transit services. Transfers are also possible at other locations where routes intersect.

The bus stops at each of the times listed below the symbol.

The timetable shows WHEN the bus stops. Times are always approximate and depend upon traffic and weather conditions. Shaded trips operate Monday through Thursday only.

### FARES – CASH AND SMARTRIP®

Exact cash fare or SmarTrip is required; the driver does not carry cash.

#### Regular Fares

One-way cash fare to/from Northern Virginia and Washington .....	\$ 9.20
One-way SmarTrip fare .....	\$ 6.90
Local destinations within Prince William, Manassas and Manassas Park ..	\$ 1.55
Local Bus Day Pass – SmarTrip Only (see below) .....	\$ 3.60
Local Bus Weekly Pass – SmarTrip Only (see below) .....	\$14.35

#### Reduced Fares

(See below for eligibility) 9:30 AM to 3PM and after 7 PM

One-way fare* .....	\$ 4.60
Local Bus Day Pass – SmarTrip Only (see below) .....	\$ 1.80
Local Bus Weekly Pass – SmarTrip Only (see below) .....	\$ 7.15

\*MUST BE PAID WITH CASH OR WMATA issued Senior SmarTrip or Metro Disability ID/ SmarTrip card.

#### FREE Fares

Children 5 & under (2 per paying adult, children 8 and under cannot ride unattended)

Local Bus Day Passes and Weekly Passes may be purchased on buses and at the OmniRide Transit Center. Passes are good for travel within Prince William, Manassas and Manassas Park. Day Passes are valid all day on the date issued. Weekly passes are valid for one week from first use. **PASSES CAN ONLY BE PURCHASED WITH A SMARTRIP CARD.**

Reduced Fare Eligibility is applicable to adults 60 years and older, persons with a disability or persons presenting a valid Medicare card. Senior citizen verification may be required. Riders eligible for reduced fares on OmniRide buses **MUST PAY WITH CASH** or a WMATA issued Senior SmarTrip Card or a Metro Disability ID/SmarTrip card. Passengers meeting reduced fare eligibility may apply for a Reduced Fare Eligibility Card by contacting OmniRide Customer Service.

### TRANSFER OPTIONS

Transfers ARE ONLY AVAILABLE FOR FARES PAID WITH SMARTRIP. They are good for 3 hours on the day issued. There are no FREE transfers between OmniRide Local buses. Passengers should consider purchasing a day or weekly pass for OmniRide Local travel that requires the use of multiple bus routes.

#### Using a SmarTrip card:

The electronic farebox will calculate and automatically deduct the correct fare from your SmarTrip card.

#### When paying in cash:

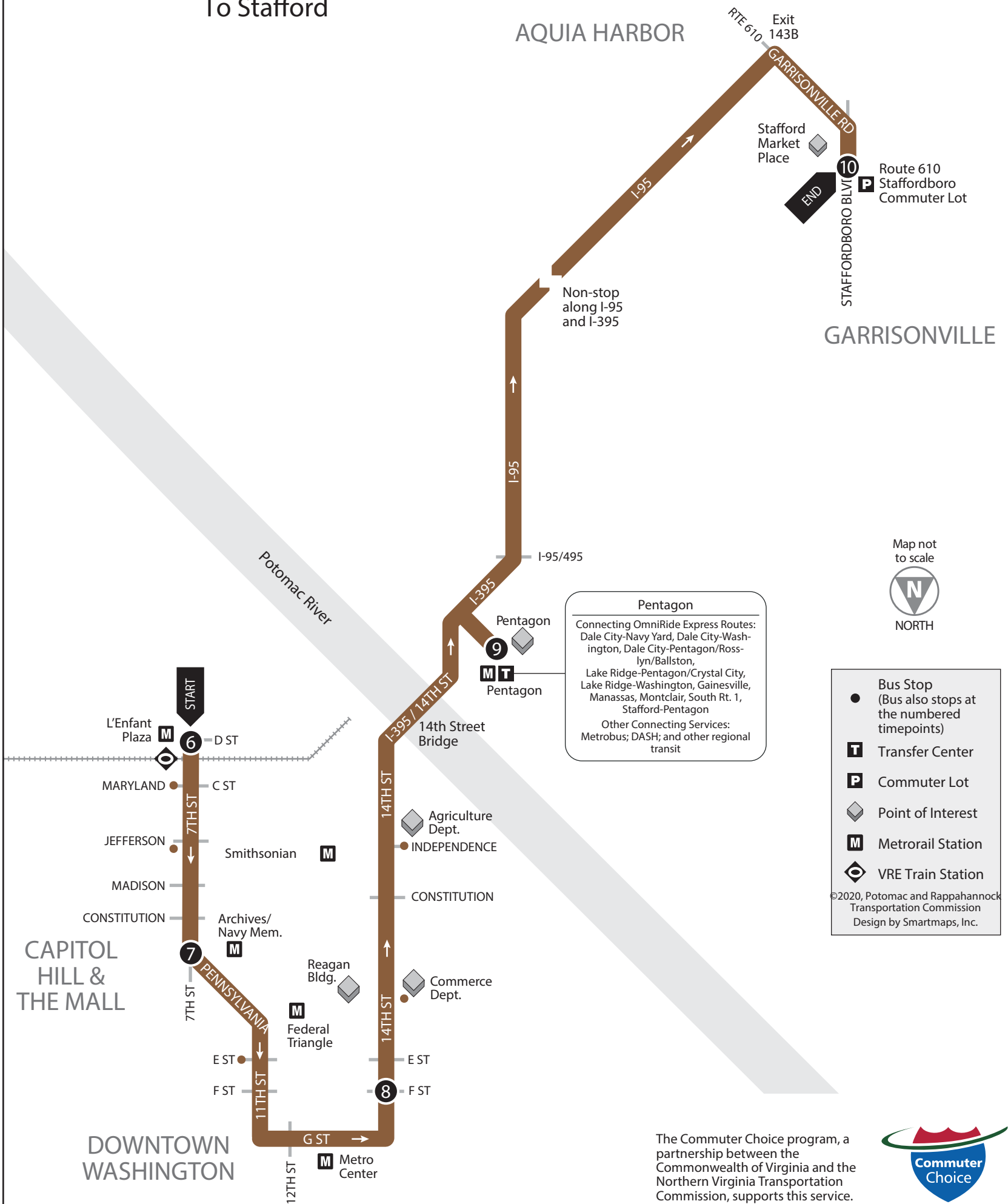
No transfers. Must pay separate fares on each bus.

#### Between OmniRide Buses and VRE Trains:

- VRE monthly pass holders—boarding an OmniRide bus at a VRE Station or the bus stop nearest a VRE Station ride FREE. When riding an OmniRide bus to get to a VRE Station, the applicable bus fare is required.
- ALL other VRE pass holders—are required to pay applicable bus fare when traveling to and from VRE Stations.

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<b>STAFFORD-WASHINGTON • AFTERNOON &amp; EVENING SERVICE</b>						
543-1P	M-F	1:38	1:44	1:53	2:10	3:04
543-2	M-F	3:15	3:24	3:33	—	4:42
543-3	M-F	3:55	4:04	4:16	—	5:27
543-4	M-F	4:30	4:39	4:55	—	6:11
543-5	M-F	5:20	5:28	5:44	—	6:57

See other side for morning trips to Downtown Washington.

### SmarTrip® Sales Locations

OmniRide Transit Center  
Administrative Office (6 AM – 7 PM)  
14700 Potomac Mills Road, Woodbridge, VA  
(703) 730-6664

#### The Commuter Stores

- Ballston  
4238 Wilson Blvd., Suite 1244  
Arlington, VA  
(703) 528-3541
- Crystal City  
1615-B Crystal Square Arcade  
Arlington, VA  
(703) 413-4287
- Rosslyn  
1700 N. Moore St., Suite 235  
Arlington, VA  
(703) 525-1995

#### Other Outlets

- SmarTrip cards may be purchased and value added at the OmniRide Transit Center, Todos Supermarket and online at SmarTrip.com. See the complete list of local outlets at OMNIRIDE.com.
- Vending machines located at Metro Stations and other Metro locations with large parking facilities.
- Online at SmarTrip.com and Commuterpage.com.

### Other OmniRide Services

OmniRide Metro Express offers three routes to connect you with nearby Metrorail stations.

- The Prince William route connects eastern Prince William with the Franconia-Springfield Metro Station, with stops at the OmniRide Transit Center, Potomac Mills Mall and Route 1 in Woodbridge.
- The Manassas route connects Manassas with the Tysons Corner Metro Station.
- The Linton Hall route serves stops along the Linton Hall Corridor then travels express on I-66 to the Tysons Corner Metro Station.

OmniRide Local (demand responsive) buses serve six routes in Prince William and the Manassas area. In Eastern Prince William County (demand responsive) serve four routes. With advance notice, buses can leave the route to serve locations up to 3/4 mile off the route. In the Manassas area, buses operate two fixed routes. A pilot paratransit program serves riders with disabilities within 3/4 mile of the standard route with advanced notice.

OmniRide East-West Express connects Eastern Prince William and the Manassas area, with transfers to OmniRide Local buses and OmniRide Express buses.

OmniRide also offers a FREE ridematching service that matches you with a carpool or vanpool that best suits your commute needs.

### Connecting Service

OmniRide Express buses connect to these other regional transit providers.

- Metrorail and Metrobus system provides service throughout the Washington Metropolitan area. (202) 637-7000
- Fairfax Connector buses serve Northern Virginia. (703) 339-7200
- Virginia Railway Express has six commuter rail stations in the Prince William and Manassas areas. (800) RIDE-VRE

### Other Commuter Services

OmniRide also participates in these regional commuter programs:

- SmartBenefits® is a tax-free, employer-sponsored transit benefit. It is electronically paid monthly and can be downloaded to SmarTrip cards. (202) 962-1326.
- Guaranteed Ride Home (GRH)—This program relieves commuters of the fear of being stranded in the event of a personal emergency or unscheduled overtime by providing up to four free rides home per year. (800) 745-RIDE

OmniRide is a service of the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission.