

Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority Ridership Report – August 2020

Summary

- The COVID-19 pandemic continued to affect ridership
- The Blue/Green Line construction shutdown effective June 28, 2020 continued through August 8, 2020
- Trolley and Park-n-Ride services were resumed effective at the start of service on August 10, 2020
- System ridership in August was 1.2 million, representing 56% fewer riders than in August 2019
 - o Average fixed route weekday was 57% lower1
 - Average fixed route Saturday was 47% lower¹
 - Average fixed route Sunday was 46% lower¹
- Year-to-date ridership is 12.4 million, representing 42% fewer riders than through August 2019



Motorbus (MB)

Motorbus ridership in August 2020 was 57% lower than in August 2019

- Average weekday was 58% lower¹
- Average Saturday was 45% lower¹
- Average Sunday was 47% lower¹



Red Line (HR)

Red Line ridership in August 2020 was 50% lower than in August 2019

- Average weekday was 50% lower¹
- Average Saturday was 47% lower¹
- Average Sunday was 41% lower¹



Light Rail (LR)

Light Rail ridership in August 2020 was 78% lower than in August 2019

- Average weekday was 78% lower¹
- Average Saturday was 78% lower¹
- Average Sunday was 65% lower¹



HealthLine (RB)

HealthLine ridership in August 2020 was 54% lower than in August 2019

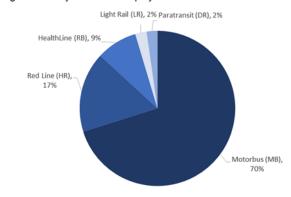
- Average weekday was 55% lower¹
- Average Saturday was 44% lower¹
- Average Sunday was 43% lower¹



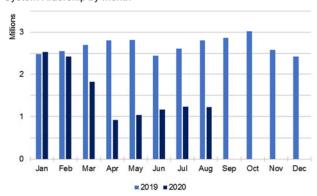
Paratransit (DR)

Paratransit ridership in August 2020 was 44% lower than in August 2019

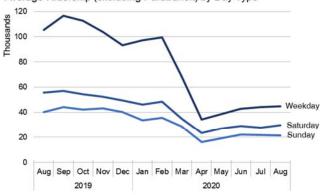
August 2020 System Ridership by Mode



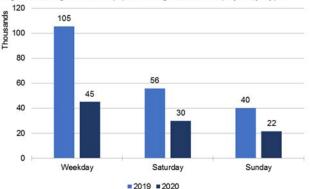
System Ridership by Month



Average Ridership (excluding Paratransit) by Day Type







¹ Average ridership by day type does not include atypical days as defined by the FTA for NTD ridership reporting