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BUTTE COUNTY TRANSPORTATION GUIDE

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Transportation Resources

Local & Regional Services

B-Line Butte Regional Transit

B-Line Regional Transit provides regional transportation for Butte County in and between the Chico, Oroville and Paradise communities.

PHONE: (530) 342-0221 (Chico/Paradise) or toll free 1(800)822-8145

WEB: <http://www.blinetransit.com/>

SERVICE AREA: Butte County

HOURS: B-Line operates 7 days a week, please check scheduling online or at a Transit center for your particular line.

FEES: see

<http://www.blinetransit.com/Fares/index.html>

Discounts are available for those over 65, disabled or with valid Medicare card.

Paratransit and dial-a-ride services available starting at \$2.75

Tickets may be purchased online or at local offices.

LOCAL OFFICES:

Chico: City of Chico, Chico Transit Center

Oroville: City of Oroville, Butte County Public Works

Paradise: City of Paradise

Catholic Ladies Association

Can provide up to two bus tickets (call for eligibility requirements)

PHONE: (530) 895-8331

HOURS: Mon.-Fri. 9am- 12pm

ADDRESS: 1386 Longfellow Avenue, Chico, CA

Glenn Ride

Glenn Ride is an affordable Public Transportation System for everyone with seven round trips every weekday and three round trips on Saturday from Willows to Chico with en-route service to Artois, Orland and Hamilton City. All buses are equipped with accessible lifts and bicycle racks.

PHONE: 934-6700;

1-888-800-RIDE (888) 800-7433

FEES: \$1.50(one-way in Glenn County) and \$2.50 (to & from Chico); children younger than 6 ride free; bus passes available.

SERVICE AREA: Willows to Chico and servicing the communities of Artois, Orland and Hamilton City

HOURS: http://gcppwa.net/documents/transportation/transit_info/glenn_ride_schedule.pdf

Glenn Trans (Dial-A-Ride) offered for those unable to use Glenn Ride in the Orland and Willows areas.

Services are restricted to within 1.5-mile radius of the respective city halls of Orland and Willows.

HOURS: Tues and Friday 10:00 am to 4:00 pm

FEES: Per destination \$3.00 per one-way trip with prior day reservation or \$5.00 per trip for same day service.

North Valley shuttle

Transportation to and from the Sacramento airport serving Chico, Paradise, Oroville, Gridley, Live Oak, and Yuba City.

PHONE NUMBERS: 891-1219;

Toll Free 1-800-832-4223

ELIGIBILITY: Any person[s] in the serviceable locations needing transportation to or from the Sacramento airport.

FEES: \$60-\$140; varies by passenger # and location; www.northvalleyshuttle.com

SERVICE AREA: Chico, Paradise, Oroville, Gridley, Yuba City, Sacramento Int'l Airport

HOURS:

<http://www.northvalleyshuttle.com/index.php?pg=schedule>

DIRECTOR: Marty Griffin

PLEASE NOTE: Van Pool is offered to save passengers money if traveling with family, friends, or neighbors.

Where to find services

Chico, Paradise, Oroville, Gridley, Yuba City, Sacramento Int'l Airport

Chico to Sacramento: Jack's Restaurant, 6th & Main

Sacramento Routes: depart from Sacramento Int'l Airport

<http://www.northvalleyshuttle.com/index.php?pg=schedule>

Paradise to Sacramento: Cozy Diner, 6371 Skyway

Oroville to Sacramento: Cornucopia Restaurant, 515 Montgomery

Gridley to Sacramento: Black Bear Diner, 1586 HWY99

Yuba City/Marysville to Sacramento: Perko's Café & Grill, 724 Onstott Frontage Road West

Long Distance Services

Amtrak

Amtrak provides railway and bus transportation routes throughout the continental United States.

PHONE: 1-800-USA-RAIL (1-800-872-7245)

EMAIL: acac@amtrak.com

WEB: www.amtrak.com or <http://www.amtrakcalifornia.com>

SERVICE AREA: continental US

Notes: Tickets must be purchased online for both of the below sites in Butte County.

Where to find services

Chico Amtrak Thruway Bus Stop Station (CIC)

Street Address: 450 Orange St., Chico, CA 95928

Phone(s): 1-800-872-7245 (1-800-USA-RAIL)

Email Address: acac@amtrak.com

Web Address: www.amtrak.com

Service Area: Stockton/Sacramento
-- Redding

Oroville Amtrak Thruway Bus Station

Street Address: Highway 70 and Grand Avenue

Phone(s): 1-800-872-7245 (1-800-USA-RAIL)

Email Address: acac@amtrak.com

Web Address: www.amtrak.com

Service Area: Oroville

Greyhound

Greyhound provides bus transportation to over 2400 locations in North America (excluding Alaska and Hawaii).

PHONE NUMBERS:

Fare and schedule info: 1-800-231-2222

Customer Care: 214-849-8966

7AM-7PM, M-F CST

Spanish: 1-800-531-5332 5AM-2AM CST

FEES: varies by route

LANGUAGES: English, Spanish

SERVICE AREA: North America

DIRECTOR: Dave Leach, President and Chief
Executive Officer

Where to find services

Chico Greyhound Station

Address: 450 Orange St. #2, Chico

Telephone #'s: 343-8266

Hours: (call to verify)

Station and Ticketing: M-F 9AM-2PM; Sat 9AM-
12PM

Tom's Sierra Company Inc.**Address:** 890 Dam Blvd., Oroville**Telephone #'s:** 532-1607**Hours: (call to verify)****Station and Ticketing:** M-F 6AM-10PM**Greyhound Package Xpress**

Same-day and early-next-day package delivery to thousands of destinations

Greyhound Travel Services

Charter packages for businesses, conventions, schools, and other group.

Personal Auto and Taxi Services**AAA**

AAA provides a variety of auto resources for members and nonmembers.

PHONE: 1-800-922-8228;

1-888-937-5523 (Travel Center)

HOURS: Mon-Fri 7AM-9PM, Sat 7AM-7PM**WEB:** <http://www.csaa.com>**EMAIL:** www.csaa.com; email on website under 'contact us'**SERVICE AREA:** Northern California, Nevada, & Utah**Note:** available for Spanish-speakers**Where to find AAA services****Local AAA Office (Chico)****Street Address:** 2221 Forest Ave.**Phone(s):** 332-2600**Hours:** Mon-Fri 8:30AM-5:30PM**Geographic Area Served:** Chico**Hours:** Mon-Fri 8:30AM-5:30PM**Web Address:** <http://www.csaa.com/about-aaa/find-us/chico>**Oroville****Street Address:** 1430 Feather River Blvd.**Phone(s):** 538-8900**Web Address:** <http://www.csaa.com/about-aaa/find-us/oroville>**Geographic Area Served:** Oroville

AAA Emergency Road Service

Offered for members of AAA. AAA's Emergency Road Service helps you get back on the road or to the nearest mechanic if necessary.

ELIGIBILITY: AAA members

FEES: varies by route

SERVICE AREA: Northern California, Nevada, & Utah

PHONE NUMBERS: 1-800-222-4357 (AAA-HELP) or 1-800-922-8228

AAA Topsy Tow

AAA's efforts to make the roads safe for all motorists on ten different holidays. To prevent drinking and driving, Topsy Tow is a free ten-mile tow home for your car, the car's driver, and passengers.

ELIGIBILITY: Anyone who is a drinking driver and their potential passengers. You do NOT need to be an AAA member to utilize this program.

FEES: No fees for up to ten miles.

SERVICE AREA: Northern California, Nevada, and Utah

HOURS: 6PM-6AM on various holidays

check <http://www.csaa.com/auto/car-traffic-safety/aaa-topsy-tow-program> for more details.

PLEASE NOTE: You cannot make reservations.

PHONE NUMBERS: 1-800-222-4357 (AAA-HELP)

SERVICE AREA: Throughout Northern California, Nevada, & Utah

California Department of Motor Vehicles

For everything pertaining to the sale/buying of vehicles, registration, licensing and all official acts regarding personal and commercial vehicles.

PHONE: 1(800)777-0133

HOURS: Mon/Tues/Thurs/Fri 8am-5pm

Wed: 9am-5pm

SERVICE AREA: California

WEB: <http://www.dmv.ca.gov>

ADDRESS: Chico 500 Cohasset Road 31

Oroville 775 Mitchell Ave

Paradise 5921 Clark Road

Taxi Services

The following Taxi companies operate within Butte County.

Liberty Cab*
530-898-1776

Checkers Taxi
530-899-9997

Chico City Taxi
530 893-8294
*Ask driver about other
available discounts

Chico Yellow Cab*
530-893-4444

American Taxi*
530-342-2929

Ace Cab of Butte County*
530-872-2221

Taxi Dave
530-566-0447

* Denotes services that offer discounts for seniors and/or people with disabilities

Elderly, Disabled and Medical Transport

American Cancer Society

The ACS will provide transportation to anyone needing to get to a cancer treatment appointment.

Must call **1(800)227-2345** with details about the appointment to reserve transportation in advance.

Angel Flight Air-Medical Transport

Provides non-emergency air transportation to medical appointments. Coordinates free air transportation of patients who need to travel to distant medical care, but cannot afford the cost of commercial transportation.

PHONE: 1(888) 426-2643

HOURS: Mon-Fri 8:30am – 4:30pm

ELIGIBILITY: Clients must be ambulatory and able to sit upright, in stable medical condition. Request for Angel Flight transport must be made by the medical facility.

SERVICE AREA: Western 13 states

ADDRESS: 4620 Haygood Road, Suite 1, Virginia Beach VA, 23455

Anthem Blue Cross – Medi-Cal

Provides non-emergency transportation to medical appointments in the form of bus vouchers, gas reimbursement and para-transit passes. Further road transportation is available to patients with certain medical needs. Please call for more information

PHONE: 1(877) 931 4755

ELIGIBILITY: Individuals enrolled in a Medi-Cal plan through California Health & Wellness.

Must call to 3-5 days prior to the appointment and provide information including, doctor's name, doctor's office address, phone number and fax number, the address where the individual needs to be picked up, and the address where they need to be dropped off.

SERVICE AREA: Butte, Glenn counties

WEBSITE: www.mss.anthem.com/ca/pages/medi-cal.aspx

B-Line Paratransit

B-Line Paratransit is a shared ride service designed to meet the needs of seniors and persons with qualifying disabilities who are unable to use the B-Line fixed route services.

ELIGIBILITY: For ADA Paratransit, individuals must receive Americans with Disabilities Act certification, Dial-a-Ride requires certification for individuals that do not receive ADA or who are over 70. First time riders must complete an Eligibility application.

FEES: One-way fare starts at \$2.50

SERVICE AREA: Chico, Oroville, and Paradise areas

HOURS: M-F 5:50 am – 10 pm, Sat. 7am – 10 pm Sun. 7:50 – 6pm

PHONE: (530) 342-0221 or toll free 1-800-822 8145

(530) 879-2468 Eligibility

WEBSITE: <http://www.blinetransit.com/Paratransit/index.html>

California Health & Wellness – Medi-Cal

Provides non-emergency transportation to medical appointments in the form of bus vouchers, gas reimbursement and para-transit passes. Further road transportation is available to patients with certain medical needs, please call for more information.

PHONE: (866) 842 0631

ELIGIBILITY: Individuals enrolled in a Medi-Cal plan through California Health & Wellness.

Must call to 3-5 days prior to the appointment and provide information including, doctor's name, doctor's office address, phone number and fax number, the address where the individual needs to be picked up, and the address where they need to be dropped off.

SERVICE AREA: Butte, Glenn counties

WEBSITE: www.cahealthwellness.com/

Corporate Angel Network, Inc.

Providing free flights for cancer patients using free seats on corporate flights. Open to all cancer patients, bone marrow donors and bone marrow recipients traveling without the need of medical support.

PHONE: 1(914)328-1313

1(866)328-1313 (Toll free for patients)

HOURS: Mon-Fri 9am-5pm EST (6am-2pm PST)

ELIGIBILITY: Must be a cancer patient, bone marrow donor or bone marrow recipient, eligibility is not based on financial need and patients may travel as often as necessary.

First Responder Medi-Trans

Critical Care Transport, Paramedic Ambulance, Basic Life-Support Ambulance, Gurney-Van Service and Wheel-Chair Services to skilled nursing facilities, Assisted living communities, Board and Care groups, and Hospitals in Butte, Placer, Sacramento and Yolo Counties.

ELIGIBILITY: Illness, injury or disability

FEES: Medicare, Medi-Cal and Private insurance is accepted

SERVICE AREA: Butte, Glenn and surrounding counties

PHONE: (530)891-4357 Service/Intake

(530) 897-6345 Administrative/Billing

WEB: <http://www.firstresponder.com>

Gridley Golden Feather Flyer

Private, shared, and public means of transportation for all ages.

ELIGIBILITY: Gridley residents

FEES: call for more information

SERVICE AREA: Gridley

PHONE NUMBERS: 370-1945; 846-5695

Other Notes: Handicap access available

Mercy Medical Angels

Free, long Distance ambulatory outpatient transport service for individuals in medical and financial crisis

PHONE: 1(888) 675-1405

Patient travel: 1(800)269-1217

WEB: www.mercymedical.org

HOURS: Mon-Fri. 9am-5pm

ELIGIBILITY: All ages, low-income or financially distressed individuals or families.

SERVICE AREA: Operates Nationally

FEES: None

Merit Meditrans

Non-emergency medical transportation and special event medical services.

ELIGIBILITY: Patients requiring transportation to routine doctor's appointments and physical therapy sessions and those requiring a Certified Nurse's Assistant to travel with them.

FEES: call for more information

HOURS: 24 hours/day by appointment

SERVICE AREA: throughout Butte County

PHONE NUMBERS: 893-8690

WEBSITE: www.northstateditrans.com

ADDRESS: 1355 Eaton Rd. Suite A. Chico

Other Notes: Handicap access available

Miracle Flights for Kids

Providing transportation for Children suffering from cancer or other debilitating diseases to specialized medical treatment centers across the US. Any child needing medical treatment or seeking a second opinion not in there are is eligible.

PHONE: 1(800) 359-1711

1(702) 261-0494

HOURS: Mon-Thurs 7:30 am-6pm

SERVICE AREA: Operates Nationally

WEB: www.miracleflights.org

EMAIL: wpmcgee@miracleflights.org

ADDRESS: 2764 North Green Valley Pkwy, Suite 115 Henderson, NV, 890142120

ELIGIBILITY: Child/Young adult patient must be able to board the aircraft unassisted. Patient cannot be on any type of life support system. At least 10 business days' notice for flight reservations to be done. Must arrive at least 2 hours ahead of when flight is to depart. Must sign waiver of liability, must possess signed Doctor's certification form, and must fill out and sign Income Certification Form.

Work Training Center

A transportation system offered by WTC for those unable to use public transportation.

ELIGIBILITY: available to all, regardless of physical or behavioral challenges

FEES: call for more information

SERVICE AREA: Chico

PHONE NUMBERS: 343-7994

ADDRESS: 2255 Fair St., Chico

Other Notes: Handicap access available

Resources for Children and Students

Preschool and School Children

Chico Unified School District Transportation

Fee-based home-to-school transportation for eligible students residing within the Chico Unified School District boundaries.

PHONE: (530)891-3097

ELIGIBILITY & FEES: call for more information

SERVICE AREA: Chico

PHONE NUMBERS: Pamela Eckert & Tammi Ramos

Transportation Coordinators - 891-3097 x3197

ADDRESS: 2455 Carmichael Dr., Chico

California Children's Services (CCS)

CCS can assist with transportation (gas vouchers, bus and taxi fares), lodging and meals to help a family obtain CCS authorized medical services outside Butte County.

WEB: <http://www.buttecounty.net/publichealth/nursing/ccs.html>

ADDRESS: The Butte County Office of California Children's Services is located at 2491 Carmichael Drive, Suite 400 Chico, CA 95928 Office

HOURS: Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

PHONE: 530-895-6546

FAX: 530-895-6557

Oroville City Elementary School District

Transportation for all students within the Oroville School District (Elementary through High School)

PHONE: (530)538-2300

ELIGIBILITY: Students must live more than 2 miles from their assigned school

FEES: Variable, call for details

SERVICE AREA: Oroville School District

WEB:

<http://ouhsd.org/modules/cms/pages.phtml?pageid=184064&sessionid=1d70915102b4f109caa73751a2a5ee84&sessionid=1d70915102b4f109caa73751a2a5ee84>

Oroville Union High School District

Transportation for all students within the Oroville School District (Elementary through High School)

PHONE: (530)538-2300

ELIGIBILITY: Students must live more than 2 miles from their assigned school

FEES: Variable, call for details

SERVICE AREA: Oroville School District

WEB:

<http://ouhsd.org/modules/cms/pages.phtml?pageid=184064&sessionid=1d70915102b4f109caa73751a2a5ee84&sessionid=1d70915102b4f109caa73751a2a5ee84>

Paradise Unified School District

Transportation for students living and attending schools in the Paradise Unified School District

PHONE: (530)872-6484

ELIGIBILITY: Living within PUSD boundaries and attending the school of their area of residence

FEES: Variable, call for details

SERVICE AREA: Paradise Unified School District

WEB: <http://www.pusdk12.org/Departments/Transportation/index.html>

B-Line

Offers discount Fares and passes for students in grades K-12, ages 6-18.

University and College

Butte College Transportation

Butte College runs a bus service for Butte College students to get to any of the Butte College campuses

ELIGIBILITY: Must be a Butte College student with valid student ID

PHONE: Admissions and Records: 530-895-2361 (for questions regarding fees)

Facilities, Planning and Management: 530-895-2352 (questions regarding transportation)

SERVICE AREA: Butte and Glenn Counties.

WEB: http://www.butte.edu/community/bus_schedule.html

B-Line

Allows Butte College students to purchase a Regular 30-Day Pass at the student pass price. You must be a registered Butte College student and can purchase these passes at the Butte College Chico Center only.

Normally B-Line Student passes are for students K-12 (up to High School).

CSU, Chico Transportation & Parking Services

CSU, Chico Transportation and Parking Services offer modes of transportation to students.

PHONE: 898-5555

ADDRESS: 400 W. 1st St., Chico

WEB: <http://www.csuchico.edu/taps/index.shtml>

SERVICE AREA: Chico

B-Line

Chico State Wildcat ID card

Chico State Students, Faculty and Staff ride the B-Line for free. (This program is funded by the Associated Students and the University.) When you get on the bus, slide your card along the magnetic stripe reader and if it is a current, valid ID the fare box will accept the card. If the ID is no longer a valid (the user is not currently enrolled), then the fare box will reject the card.

Craig C-Shuttle

A shuttle available to Craig Hall residents and guests. The shuttle travels between CSU, Chico campus and Craig Hall.

ELIGIBILITY: Craig Hall residents and guests

FEES: free for residents

SERVICE AREA: CSU, Chico campus and Craig Hall

PHONE NUMBERS: 1-800-559-1393

Rideshare & Zimride

A private network that allows Chico State staff, students, and faculty to share seats in cars and coordinate commutes.

ELIGIBILITY: anyone with a car or in need of a rideshare

FEES: varies between riders.

SERVICE AREA: CSU, Chico campus and Craig Hall

PHONE NUMBERS: 1-800-559-1393

Please Note: Zimride is not managed by CSU, Chico

Zipcar

A program allowing students, faculty, and staff 18+ to share cars.

PHONE: 1(866)-4ZIPCAR (494-7227)

ELIGIBILITY: students, faculty, and staff 18+

FEES: \$35 membership fee plus \$8/hr., which includes gas, insurance, cleaning, and maintenance

WEBSITE: <http://www.zipcar.com/chicostate/>

SERVICE AREA: CSU, Chico

Bicycle Resources



Bike Paths

For a complete and detailed map of bike paths in Chico, click:

http://www.bcag.org/documents/transit/bike_maps/BCAG_BIKE_MAP_front_web.pdf

Bike Resources

In Chico:

<http://www.chicovelo.org/main/links-a-numbers>

In Oroville:

<http://www.lakeorovillebicyclists.org/>

Nationwide:

<http://www.traillink.com/>

Buy a Bike

Sensible Cyclery

Sells reconditioned and refurbished used bicycles at a discount to the public. Operates as a vocational training opportunity for Caminar clients and residents of Avenida Apartments.

PHONE: (530) 343-4580

PRICES: Range from \$50-\$200

HOURS: Tues.-Thurs. 11 am – 2 pm

Fri. & Sat. 9 am – 5 pm

ADDRESS: 2505 Esplanade, Chico, CA

WEB: <http://www.caminar.org/resources/2015/3/4/social-enterprise-business-caminar-sensible-cyclery>

Discounts are available to those who ask. Donations are always accepted.

Craigslist

<http://www.craigslist.org>

Popular listing site for people selling their bikes. BEWARE OF SCAMS

California Bike Laws

http://www.dmv.ca.gov/pubs/brochures/fast_facts/ffd137.htm

Transportation Donations and Volunteers

Jesus Center accepts donations of bus and transportation passes.

Passages and Community Action Agency of Butte County accept volunteers to help drive people in need to appointments, as well as help with other services.



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