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## Connecting You & Northern Colorado: Mobility Newsletter

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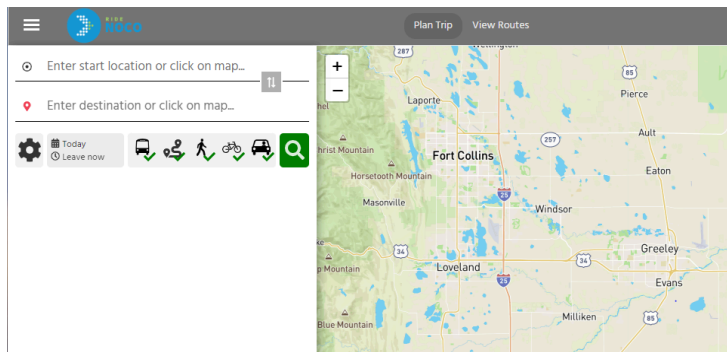
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Read on for the latest mobility updates in Northern Colorado.

## RideNoCo Trip Discovery Tool Launch

[RideNoCo's Trip Discovery Tool](#) has officially launched! This tool allows people in Northern Colorado to find a variety of transportation options and plan trips across the region. A major goal of this project was to add volunteer transportation providers and smaller agencies such as 60+ Ride, RAFT, SAINT, and BATS to an online trip planner.



[GFTS-Flex](#) databases were built to include these agency's service areas, eligibility criteria, scheduling details, and contact information. Additionally, this project leveraged existing [GFTS](#) data from transit agencies across and beyond Northern Colorado including Greeley-Evans Transit, Transfort, City of Loveland Transit (COLT), Estes Transit, Via Mobility Services, RTD, CDOT's Bustang, and even the Rocky Mountain National Park Shuttle. The inclusion of volunteer transportation providers alongside public transit providers is a first of its kind in the United States for a trip planning tool.

## 2022 Northern Colorado Mobility Accomplishments

2022 was a busy year for the NFRMPO Mobility Team and partners in Northern Colorado! A few key accomplishments include:

- Created a Regional Mobility Action Plan (MAP) to implement the strategies established by the 2021 Coordinated Plan
- Substantial completion of the [Trip Discovery Tool](#)
- Completion of the work of the Trip Scheduling Steering Committee to guide Phase 3 of the RideNoCo rollout
- Envision transportation funding support via FTA 5310 funds
- 60+ Ride van and funding support via CDOT and Weld County
- Via Mobility Services obtained funding to return to rural Weld County in 2023
- Travel training event with the Immigrant and Refugee Center of Northern Colorado in partnership with GET, 60+ Ride, and RideNoCo
- Completed 2 walk audits that incorporated the NFRMPO's [Bike & Ped Safety Reporter](#) Tool and the Larimer County Public Health and Environment's Walk Audit Toolkit
- 4500+ Riders Guides distributed regionally
- Worked with United Way of Weld County and other partners to develop the transportation component of the Weld County AARP Age Friendly Action Plan

## Northern Colorado Mobility Committee and 2023 Meeting Calendar



Since 2021, the Weld County and Larimer County Mobility Committees have emphasized the need for a platform to discuss regional mobility issues by meeting as a Joint Mobility Committee; meeting once in 2021 and then twice in 2022. At the October 2022 Joint Mobility Meeting, the WCMC and LCMC collectively decided to begin meeting quarterly in 2023 as a Northern Colorado Mobility Committee to continue investing time on regional mobility topics and creating cross-jurisdictional

networks to address the mobility needs of our Northern Colorado communities.

Additionally, the Partnership for Age-Friendly Communities of Larimer County's (PAFC) Mobility & Access Priority Group has formally decided to fold into the Larimer County Mobility Committee beginning in January 2023. Due to these changes, the 2023 Mobility Meeting Calendar will differ from previous years as noted below:

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### 2023

#### Meeting Dates:

Jan. 24: LCMC

Feb. 28: NCMC

Mar. 28: WCMC

Apr. 25: LCMC

May 23: NCMC

June 27: WCMC

July 25: LCMC

Aug. 22: NCMC

Sept. 26: WCMC

Oct. 24: LCMC

Nov. 28: NCMC

Dec. 12: WCMC

In 2023, each committee will meet once a quarter, on the fourth Tuesday of that month as follows:

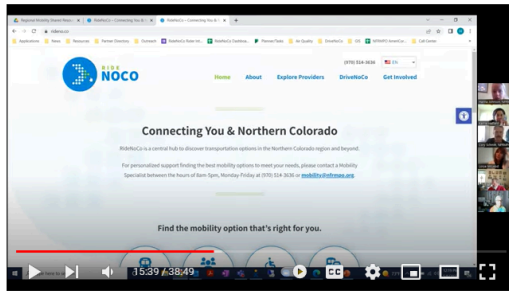
- **Larimer County Mobility Committee** meets in January, April, July, and October on the fourth Tuesday from 1:30 to 3:00 PM
- **Weld County Mobility Committee** meets in March, June, September, and December on the fourth Tuesday from 1:30 to 3:00 PM
- **Northern Colorado Mobility Committee** meets in February, May, August, and November on the fourth Tuesday from 1:00 to 3:30 PM

If you would like to add these meetings to your calendar, please email [mobility@nfrmpo.org](mailto:mobility@nfrmpo.org) and our staff will forward the calendar invitation to you. [All meeting materials can be accessed on the NFRMPO website.](#)

## Travel Training Program to Expand in 2023

RideNoCo will continue to expand and enhance travel training opportunities in 2023. NFRMPO staff will provide both in-person travel trainings as well as online webinars for professionals in Northern Colorado. Keep an eye out for travel training opportunities on RideNoCo's social media accounts and future newsletters.

If you or your agency is interested in hosting or partnering with RideNoCo for travel training, please email [mobility@nfrmpo.org](mailto:mobility@nfrmpo.org). All travel trainings are catered to each audience's needs and preferences based on location, client needs, training goals, and other considerations.



PAFC Lunch &amp; Learn: RideNoCo!



## DriveNoCo



Are you a driver looking for a new employment opportunity? Or maybe a community member eager to help a neighbor in need? DriveNoCo is your resource to find paid and volunteer driving opportunities in Northern Colorado. Serve your community by helping people get where they want and need to go!

**Transportation Providers:** DriveNoCo wants to recognize the hard work of your drivers! Please submit a nomination for the "Driver of the Quarter" to be featured in our next newsletter! Submit your nominations to [mobility@nfrmpo.org](mailto:mobility@nfrmpo.org) by March 1, 2023.

## Regional Transportation News & Engagement Opportunities

**[Transfort User Survey open for public comment through the end of January.](#)**

**[Fort Collins draft Vision Zero Action Plan open for public comment through January 6th.](#)**

Please reach out to [mobility@nfrmpo.org](mailto:mobility@nfrmpo.org) if your organization would like to include mobility engagement opportunities or information for next quarter's newsletter. This could include public outreach efforts, surveys, announcements, etc.

### Volunteer Driving Opportunities:

[60+Ride](#)

[RAFT](#)

[SAINT](#)

[Via Mobility Volunteers](#)

### Paid Driving Opportunities:

**GET:** [Part Time](#) & [3/4 Time](#)

[Heart&Soul](#)

**Transfort:** [3/4 Time](#)

[zTrip](#)

[Via Mobility Services](#)

## Bring RideNoCo to your Organization



With the RideNoCo website and call center launched, the NFRMPO Mobility Team would love to meet with your agency and clients to share how RideNoCo can be a resource and partner in helping people meet their mobility needs in the region.

Please reach out to RideNoCo at [mobility@nfrmpo.org](mailto:mobility@nfrmpo.org) or (970) 514-3636 if you would like NFRMPO staff to meet with your organization or provide outreach materials.

## Get Involved with NFRMPO



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See what's happening at the NFRMPO and join us at one of our upcoming events or meetings. For a comprehensive and up to date calendar of events, visit <https://nfrmpo.org/calendar>, and to download meeting materials, visit <https://nfrmpo.org/meeting-materials>.

Due to the current circumstances regarding COVID-19 many meetings are being conducted virtually or a hybrid of virtual and in-person. Please check our [Events Calendar](#) for the most up to date information.

## Upcoming Mobility Meetings

**Northern Colorado Mobility Committee (LCMC & WCMC)** The next Northern Colorado Mobility Committee Meeting will be February 28th, 2023.

**Larimer County Mobility Committee (LCMC)** The next LCMC meeting is January 24th, 2023.

**Weld County Mobility Committee (WCMC)** The next WCMC meeting is March 28th, 2023.

[All meeting materials can be accessed on the NFRMPO website.](#)



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