## February 2025

## **UC MOVES Coalition**

UC MOVES is a group of people who live and work in our community and are passionate about bringing safe, convenient, accessible, affordable, and efficient transit options to our community.







## Ohio Loves Transit Week February 9th-15th

The week of February 9th is an opportunity to demonstrate how much we appreciate our transportation providers. Be sure to show your providers and drivers some love by telling them thank you for all of their hard work and dedication to get you from point A to point B. As part of this week, on February 11th, the Ohio Mobility Managers will be meeting with legislation to talk about transportation for each of their delegated counties. This will provide an opportunity to voice the positive stories of the local transit agencies as well as advocate for additional resources to leave no one behind.

If you have a story that you would like for your Mobility Manager to share, please contact Jenni Fauber @ (937)645-2063 or jennfer.fauber@uchd.net



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Ohio Needs Transit... now more than ever.
#OhioLovesTransit

## 2024 Golden Nugget Award

The Golden Nugget Award was established in 2022 to be awarded to a Union County transportation provider who goes above and beyond to support the community in transportation needs. The 2024 recipient was voted upon by UC MOVES Coalition members to allow for their voices to be heard.



The nomination for 2024 went to a transportation provider that is always willing to take an extra step and is not afraid to explore unchartered territory to do what can be done to get an individual to where they need to go. Through hard work and dedication, it is my honor to present Penny Wood with A Way Out Transportation with the 2024 Golden Nugget Award. Penny also received this award in 2023 and has made a name for herself in the local transportation community. This award is well deserved and Union County extends its gratitude to Penny and her team for providing safe, reliable, and affordable transportation.

Penny started in 2016 with A Way Out Employment Services, LLC. About five years ago she decided to take the leap and start providing transportation within Union County as a way to get the individuals she helps employ to their jobs. Penny has since expanded transportation services to all Union County residents to meet the needs of the community. She and her husband coordinate over 1,000 trips per month in which she and her drivers work diligently to get these individuals where they need to go.

Thank you Penny for all you do for our community!

## Do you have some extra time and are interested in a volunteer opportunity?

If you answered yes, you may consider being a volunteer driver to help individuals in your community get to where they need to go.

RideConnect is a program conducted by:



Great reasons to consider being a volunteer driver:

- Flexibility
- Mileage Reimbursement
- Help individuals get to where they need to go

If you are interested in this opportunity, contact the Mobility Manager at (937)645-2063 for details or visit

https://cssmv.org/services/transportation/rideconnect/



## MARY-CO-ROUNDS

If you or someone you know want to take advantage of this service, or you just want to ride around Marysville, see below for the schedule!

See the most recent schedule below!



## Marysville Mary-Go-Round

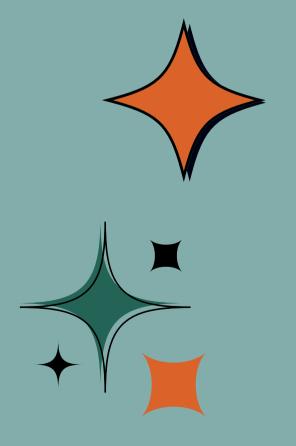


### **Tuesday Schedule**

STOP NAME	LOOP 1	LOOP 2	LOOP 3	LOOP 4	LOOP 5	FINAL DROP OFF
Helen Evans	10:00	10:55	12:05	1:00	1:55	2:50
Windsor Manor	10:07	11:02	12:12	1:07	2:02	2:57
Residences at Maple Glen	10:15	11:10	12:20	1:15	2:10	3:05
Walmart	10:25	11:20	12:30	1:25	2:20	_
Aldi	10:35	11:30	12:40	1:35	2:30	_
Bridges Community Action	10:45	11:40	12:50	1:45	2:40	_

The times, locations, and schedule may change subject to weather conditions!

Contact A Way Out at (937)209-0555 if you have any questions.



### Ride UC

### An Uber Rideshare Program

### This service is available 24/7.

The voucher is available for other zip codes including: 43319, 43067, 43065, 43017, 43016, and 43344 (as long as the ride is to or from 43040)

Learn more at: <a href="https://www.growunioncountyohio.com/ride">https://www.growunioncountyohio.com/ride</a>

## Take Advantage of the New Ride UC Program in Partnership with Uber!

Benefit from subsidized transportation to work, appointments, and other destinations in the designated service area.

#### **Details**

- To participate you must have an active Uber account and download the Uber app on a smartphone.
- Rides to and from 43040 are eligible for UC vouchers.
- Incentive provided for workforce transportation from 43040 to the Honda Campus.
- Discount opportunities are limited, and incentives may vary.
- Rider responsible for costs in excess of voucher amount, tips, and cancellation/no-show fees.



growunioncountyohio.com/ride (937) 642-6279



This program continues
to grow and be beneficial
to our community.
Scan the QR code to
claim your \$5 voucher.







Uber

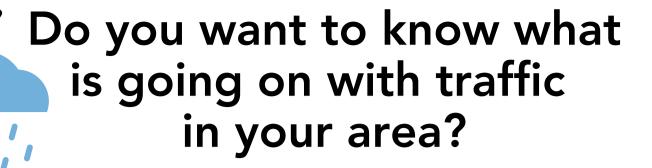
### **EMERGENCY RIDE HOME PROGRAM**



The MORPC Emergency Ride Home (ERH) program is a free service that assures commuters taking alternative modes of transportation to and from work won't be stranded in the case of an emergency, illness, or unexpected overtime. It's a foolproof benefit meant to ease the minds of commuters who carpool or vanpool, bike, or take the bus to work and need to get home quickly.

The program is now allowing registered users to take their emergency rides with the licensed rideshare provider of their choice (Uber, Lyft, or a taxi provider). Users will pay for the ride up front and be reimbursed via a mailed check within 4 weeks after uploading their receipt on gohiocommute.com/morpc.





### DOWNLOAD THE OHGO APP

Be the first to know before you go. With the OHGO app, drivers get real-time traffic updates, personalized route notifications, can view live traffic cameras, and get accurate delay times.

## TRANSPORTATION AND MOBILITY RESOURCES

GETTING PEOPLE PLACES

# Union Co. MOVES Coalition



#### MEDICAL (SENIORS/MEDICAID)

UCATS (937) 642-5100 (wheelchair access)

Wings Support & Recovery (937) 642-9555

Legends Lift & Transport (937) 358-2024 (wheelchair access)

> A Way Out (937) 209-0555



### SPECIALIZED/QUALITY OF LIFE

Legends Lift & Transport (937) 358-2024 (wheelchair access) Wings Support & Recovery (937) 642-9555 For current clients only

A Way Out (937) 209-0555

Veteran's Services (800) 686-2308 No-cost to the VA for veterans or spouses Hospets (614) 266-3267

Transportation for pets of seniors and hospice



#### RIDE SHARE/PUBLIC

GOhio Commute
Share a ride to work
Register at
gohiocommute.com

Lyft
Download the app
to schedule a ride
www.lyft.com

Download the app to schedule a ride www.uber.com

GoBus
Bus routes across Ohio
Schedule a ride online at
www.ridegobus.com



### **VOLUNTEER RIDES**

Union Co. Neighbor to Neighbor (877)354-8262

Members are paired with volunteers for a small monthly fee



#### WORKFORCE

A Way Out (937) 209-0555



### AMBULETTE/AMBULANCE

Robinaugh EMS (937) 599-2340





### OUR VISION

Enhance and develop infrastructure where transportation is accessible to all people for all reasons.

### **OUR MISSION**

Advocate and plan for transportation systems that balance convenience and efficiency.



### **CORE VALUES**



### STRATEGIC GOALS

Leverage and coordinate existing resources to streamline services.



Secure and maintain funding for transportation



Ensure
coordination and
collaboration when
planning for
services.

## The next UC MOVES Coalition Meeting is March 5th, 2024

Join us and find out what is happening in the world of transportation in your community.

Contact Jenni Fauber at (937) 645-2063 for more information or to attend!

January UC MOVES Meeting Minutes



## Contact Jenni with UC MOVES using one of the options below:



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