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Clipper® Now Available on Marin Transit’s Shuttles and West Marin Stagecoach

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San Rafael, CA – On August 18, 2014, Marin Transit will officially launch Clipper® on its Community Shuttle and West Marin Stagecoach services. Clipper® is a stored value, fare-payment card that is accepted on most public transit services in the San Francisco Bay Area. With this launch, Clipper will be accepted throughout Marin County on all Marin Transit and Golden Gate Transit and Ferry services.

Marin Transit customers can purchase Clipper® cards at the San Rafael Transit Center Monday–Friday from 7 am–6 pm and at select retail locations including Walgreens, Whole Foods Markets, and Quezada Market in San Rafael’s Canal neighborhood. These locations will also allow customers to load and reload cash value onto the card as needed. Adult Clipper® cards are also available for order online at clippercard.com. In addition to the convenience of using an integrated fare payment system, riders will enjoy a 10% discount off the Marin Transit and Golden Gate Transit local cash fare.

Clipper® cards discounts for youth and seniors are also available by mail, email or fax with applications available in English, Spanish, and Chinese. Customers can download applications from the Clipper® website at clippercard.com/discounts. Applications must be accompanied by proof of age. Customers who need to get a card right away can apply in person at a Clipper® Customer Service Center or the San Rafael Transit Center. Visit marintransit.org or clippercard.com for a full list of in-person Clipper card application locations and hours in Marin.

The Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) manages the Clipper® program. MTC is the transportation planning, financing and coordinating agency for the nine-county San Francisco Bay Area. For more information about Clipper®, contact Clipper Customer Service at (877) 878-8883. More information on Clipper® is available at www.clippercard.com.