

Getting Around

BY CAR

Even for those unfamiliar with the area, making your way around is relatively easy. Motorists will usually find traffic to be light. Most parts of the Region boast plenty of parking.

Motorists will find it easier to travel around the western side of the Region with the completion of State Route 288, which runs from I-95 in Chesterfield to Route 250 in Goochland.

Here are a few tips to help you on your way.

- Downtown streets are generally one way, with Broad Street as an exception.
- Tolls ranging from 20 cents to \$1.50 are found on the Downtown Expressway, Powhite Parkway and Pocahontas Parkway.
- On-street parking in the city is generally free on weekdays after 6 p.m. and on weekends. One- to two-hour metered parking is allowed on weekdays. Be sure to read the parking signs carefully. Call (804) 646-0400 if your vehicle is towed.
- Many parking lots are dispersed throughout the city, with hourly prices ranging from less than a dollar to \$6. (See map on page 46.)

RENTAL AND CHARTER VEHICLES

Charter services, luxury limousines, specialized handicapped-accessible transportation and most national car-rental companies operate throughout the Region. For rides to and from the airport, rely on taxi companies or Groome Transportation, (804) 222-7222 or www.groometransportation.com.

BY TAXI

Taxi services are available in the Richmond Region, including the Richmond International Airport, Greyhound/Trailways terminal, Amtrak stations and at hotels. Prices start at a \$2.50 drop rate plus \$2 per mile.

BY BUS

GRTC Transit System bus fares cost \$1.25 each, or a Super Saver ticket book offers rides for less than \$1.25 (\$10 per book, \$5 per book for senior citizens). Transfers cost 15 cents or 10 cents for Super Saver ticket holders, while senior citizens transfer for free on local routes. Visit www.ridegrtc.com.



PHOTO COURTESY AIRTRAN AIRWAYS

AirTran Airways provides low-cost fares for travel to the Region.

CHARTER AND MOTORCOACH COMPANIES

Carey VIP Chauffeured Services

915 North Allen Ave.
Richmond, VA 23220
(804) 648-5466
www.careyvip.net

(804) 275-6051
www.martzgroupva.com

Newton Bus Service

3016 Peebles St.
Richmond, VA 23223
(804) 649-2744

Classic Limo

1733 Old Oakland Road
Richmond, VA 23231
(804) 301-5690
www.vaclassiclimo.com

Professional Tours

6415 Osborne Turnpike
Richmond, VA 23231
(804) 236-0006
888-686-8696
www.professionaltours.us

Greyhound Bus Tours

2910 N. Boulevard
Richmond, VA 23230
(804) 254-5918

Spirit Tours

2716 Jon Page Court
Glen Allen, VA 23060
(804) 553-0069
www.spiritourscscoach.com

Groome Transportation

5500 Lewis Road
Sandston, VA 23150
(804) 222-7226
www.groometransportation.com

Universal Tours

7206 Hull Street Road
Suite 111
Richmond, VA 23235
(804) 745-2648
www.universaltours.net

James River Bus Lines

915 North Allen Ave.
Richmond, VA 23220
(804) 342-7300
www.jrbl.com

Virginia Tours

1621 North 28th St.
Richmond, VA 23223
(804) 644-2901

Magic Carpet Tours Bus Service

10336 Huguenot Road West
Richmond, VA 23235
(804) 323-6320 (office)
(804) 232-0082 (garage)

Winn Bus Lines, Inc.

1831 Westwood Ave.
Richmond, VA 23227
(804) 358-6666
www.winnbus.com

Martz Richmond

5115 Commerce Road
Richmond, VA 23234