

Dear Bus Pass Holder:

If you live in a **BC Transit area (outside of Metro Vancouver)**, please note the following:

- Starting January 1, 2017, if you have a valid BC Bus Pass (via Compass Card), you must also have a 2017 BC Transit sticker attached to your Compass Card to access bus travel in BC Transit areas
- If you have an active 2017 pass, you will automatically be sent a 2017 BC Transit sticker to attach to your valid Compass Card in December
- If you lose your sticker, or do not receive a sticker, please contact the BC Bus Pass program at 1-866-866-0800 or email: [SDSIBUSPA@gov.bc.ca](mailto:SDSIBUSPA@gov.bc.ca)

If you live in the **TransLink area (Metro Vancouver)**, please note the following:

- Starting January 1, 2017, if you would like to travel in a BC Transit area, you must request a 2017 BC Transit sticker to attach to your valid Compass Card
- Compass Cards not displaying the annual validation sticker will not be accepted as valid fare for travel in BC Transit area.
- You can request a 2017 BC Transit sticker by contacting the BC Bus Pass program at 1-866-866-0800 or email: [SDSIBUSPA@gov.bc.ca](mailto:SDSIBUSPA@gov.bc.ca)
- Once the BC Bus Pass program has confirmed your valid BC Bus Pass, they will mail you a 2017 BC Transit sticker. Please allow 2 to 3 weeks for mail delivery
- If you lose your sticker, or do not receive a sticker, please contact the BC Bus Pass program at 1-866-866-0800 or email: [SDSIBUSPA@gov.bc.ca](mailto:SDSIBUSPA@gov.bc.ca)

If you do not have a valid BC Bus Pass (via Compass Card), then you will not be eligible for a 2017 BC Transit sticker.

You do not require a 2017 BC Transit sticker to access travel in the TransLink area, a valid BC Bus Pass (via Compass Card) is all that you require.

If you have any questions, please contact the BC Bus Pass Program at 1-866-866-0800 or email: [SDSIBUSPA@gov.bc.ca](mailto:SDSIBUSPA@gov.bc.ca)

**Remember to hold onto your Compass Card bus pass as it is reloadable each year.**