



95 EXPRESS LANES

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It's here



- Managed lanes network of more than 40 miles – Stafford to Tysons in 40 minutes
- » Regional HOV/transit network extended to Stafford County
- » New choices for all I-95 travelers
- » New capacity
- » Improved system performance with traffic management system and incident response
- » E-ZPass and enhanced enforcement mean fewer cheaters





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HOV to Express Lanes

- New rules
- New signage and traffic patterns
- E-ZPass requirement
- HOV to Express transition
- Enforcement

Be prepared, stay safe



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Step 1: Get an E-ZPass

- » Carpoolers must have an E-ZPass Flex
- » Order today

Step 2: Visit 95ExpressLanes.com

- » Map route
- » Familiarize with signage
- » Make sure to use E-ZPass properly
- » Understanding pricing
- » Learn important safety information

Extensive education



- » Advertising
- » Festivals & events
- » Employer & stakeholder outreach
- » Media outreach
- » Social media
- » Contests and incentives driving E-ZPass adoption
- » Targeting existing user groups and preparing transit providers
- » Incentive programs for carpoolers and toll-paying customers
- » Educational videos and interactive tools

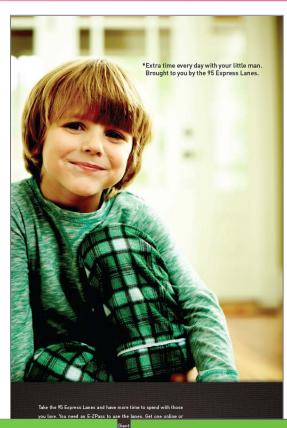


Extensive education



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- More than 500M estimated impressions
- » Paid program runs October to June with:
 - » Print
 - » Radio
 - » Online
 - » Outdoor & On-road
 - » Gas station
 - » Transit





Get there faster.

Opening December.

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E:ZPass





How the 95 Express Lanes Will Work

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- » Conversion of HOV lanes to HOT lanes
- » Spans 29 miles from Edsall Road to Garrisonville Road
- » Extends road nine in south and adds third lane from PW Parkway to Edsall Road
- » Seamless connection to 495 Express Lanes



Rules of the road



- » Express Lanes are reversible with similar timing as today's HOV system
- » Dynamic system with variable tolls will manage traffic
- » Mandatory E-ZPass for all users
- Transit, motorcycles and HOV-3 with an E-ZPass
 Flex ride for free
- » Rules of the road in effect24 hours a day, seven daysa week





Keeping traffic moving



- » Pricing signage in advance of all entrances and on the Lanes
- » Toll rates adjust to keep lanes free flowing
- » Sensors monitor traffic 24/7 and system adjusts toll prices as necessary
- » All-electronic -- no toll booths
- » Express Assist to aid disabled drivers
- » Average rush hour trip \$6 to \$8 for a distance of 10 to 12 miles
- » Low of around 20 cents to a mile to about 80 cents during rush



HOV-3 travel





- » HOV-3 qualifies for toll-free travel
- » Carpools and vanpools need the switchable E-ZPass Flex
- » Available through Virginia and Maryland's E-ZPass offices, retail locations and online
- » E-ZPass Flex works on all other E-ZPass facilities

Accessing the 95 Express Lanes ExpressLanes



NORTHBOUND TRAVEL



SOUTHBOUND TRAVEL



Transition area



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The Express Lanes end and the HOV lanes begin on I-395 just north of Edsall Road



E-ZPass

Operated by VDOT

Method of Payment on the Express Lanes

Which E-ZPass is for me?



	Virginia
I have an E-ZPass.	No action required unless you want to carpool
I need an E-ZPass.	 Obtain online, over phone or from retailer Costs \$35 in pre-paid tolls for both a regular E-ZPass and the Flex No monthly fee, but one-time upgrade of \$10 if Flex is not used in HOV mode for a period of 6 months beginning 7/1/15 for those who obtained Flex after 10/1/14
I want to carpool for free.	 Get an E-ZPass Flex Costs \$35 in pre-paid tolls No monthly fee, but one-time upgrade of \$10 if Flex is not used in HOV mode for a period of 6 months
I want to exchange my regular E-ZPass for a Flex.	 Online or at VDOT customer service center No pre-paid toll requirement for existing accounts No monthly fee, but one-time upgrade of \$10 if Flex is not used in HOV mode for a period of 6 months beginning 7/1/15 for those who obtained Flex after 10/1/14



Customer Service

Customer assistance



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Need Help?



We want your Express Lanes travel to be as smooth as possible.

We know you may have questions about your trip or invoice. HERE ARE SOME QUICK ANSWERS:

Traveled without an E-ZPass® and need to pay your toll? »

Need to pay a toll invoice? »

Not satisfied with your Express Land
Have questions about how Express

Have another question? Visit our Custom

- Extended call center hours
- Working with travelers in early days
- Carpool transition program
- "Missed a Toll"
- First-timeForgiveness



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Express Lanes	 Pay missed toll Dispute tolls Pay toll invoice Trip routes/maps On-road issues 	www.ExpressLanes.com 855-495-XPRS (9777) customercare@expresslanes.com	
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Thank You

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