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DC Neighborhood Connect (DCNC) is a low cost, shared ride shuttle service--

- On Demand
- Door to Door
- App and Phone Booking
- Operates in 3 service areas in the district (Effective 3/28/22)



### Goal:

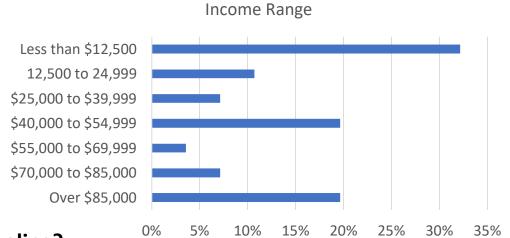
- Provides 1<sup>st</sup> and last mile transportation;
- Serve as a connector to other transit (metro stations and buses)
- Connect residents to vital community resources (Grocery stores, healthcare, community organizations)
- Provide an additional option for low-income residents in areas that may have fewer transportation options.

Fleet: 11 Ford Transit (8 passenger) Vans, 3 additional WAV minivans

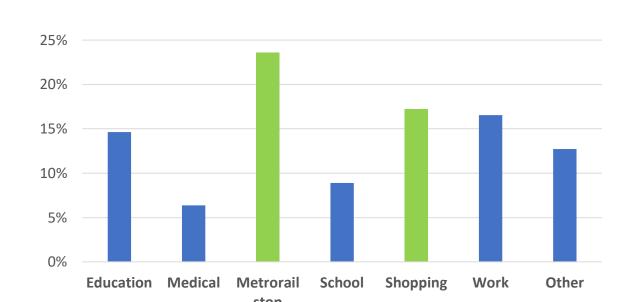




### Who is Riding?



### Where Are they Traveling?

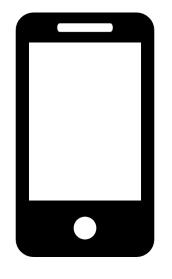


# Gender 3% 66% Female Male Non-binary/ third gender













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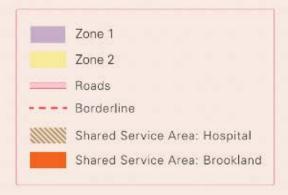




### Takoma Metro Zone 1 Walmart Supercenter Walmart Georgia Ave NW Supercenter Fort Totten Providence Health System Zone 2 Taylor St NE The Catholic University of America Georgia Ave-Petworth Brookland-CUA MedStar Washington Fort Lincoln Shopping Area Howard University Giant New York Ave NE Ivy City-Mom's Organic Shaw-Howard U NoMa-Gallaudet Um University

### Serving Parts of Northwest & Northeast DC

Service within zone and to sharedzone locations as marked. Shared service areas serve both zones.



For full details download the DC Neighborhood Connect app (on the App Store or Google Play) or visit dcneighborhoodconnect.com Serves Over 16 Communities in NW and NE:

### (Zone 1)

- Michigan Park
- Fort Totten
- Brightwood Park
- · Queens Chapel
- North Michigan Park
- Manor Park
- Lamon Riggs
- Takoma

### (Zone 2)

- Trinidad
- Ivy City
- Brentwood
- Eckington
- Langdon
- Ledroit Park
- Edgewood
- Brookland





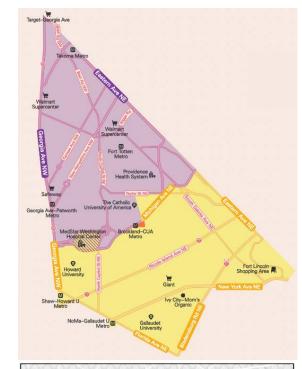


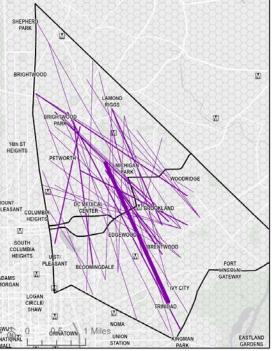
### **Service Changes Effective March 28, 2022**

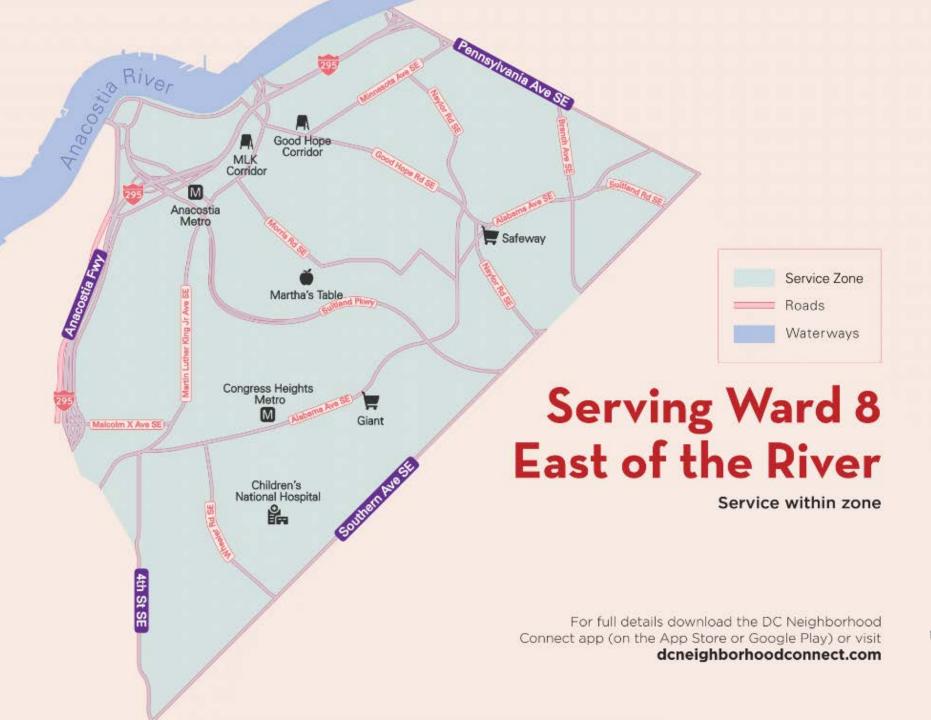
- Previous NW/NE Zone split into 2 smaller zones
- Services expanded to include
  - Fort Lincoln Community (includes "Shops at Dakota Crossing")
  - NOMA Metro Station

### Why the Service Changes?

- Previous NW/NE zone was too large
- Increase overall efficiency of program
- Decrease Customer Wait Times
- Add additional shopping options and connection to resources in/around NOMA
- Promote east/west travel to resources as opposed to North/South
- Travel patterns of DCNC Customers -- 76% of DCNC travel was east /west in Northern portion of Zone or and east/west in southern portion of zone. Only 24% traveled north/south.



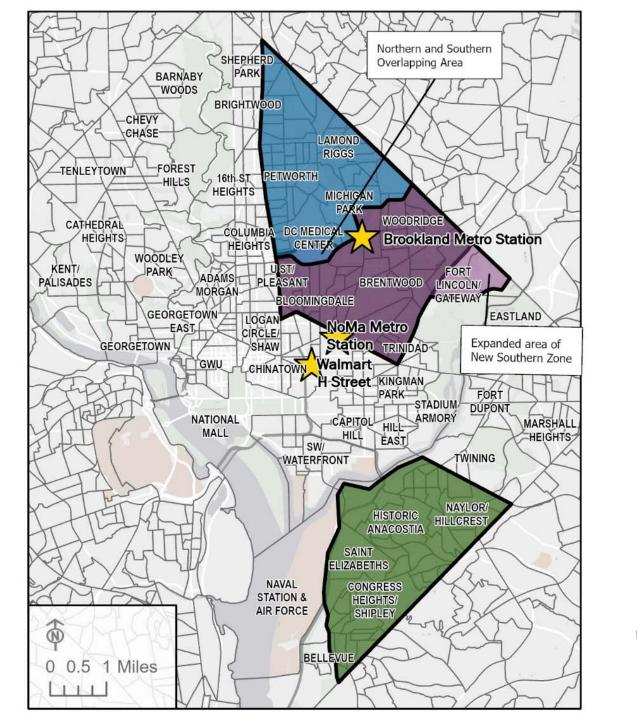




Serves Over 10 Communities in Ward 8:

- Fairlawn
- Randle Highlands
- Hillcrest
- Fairfax Village
- Anacostia
- Barry Farm
- Garfield Heights
- Buena Vista
- Congress Heights
- Washington Highlands





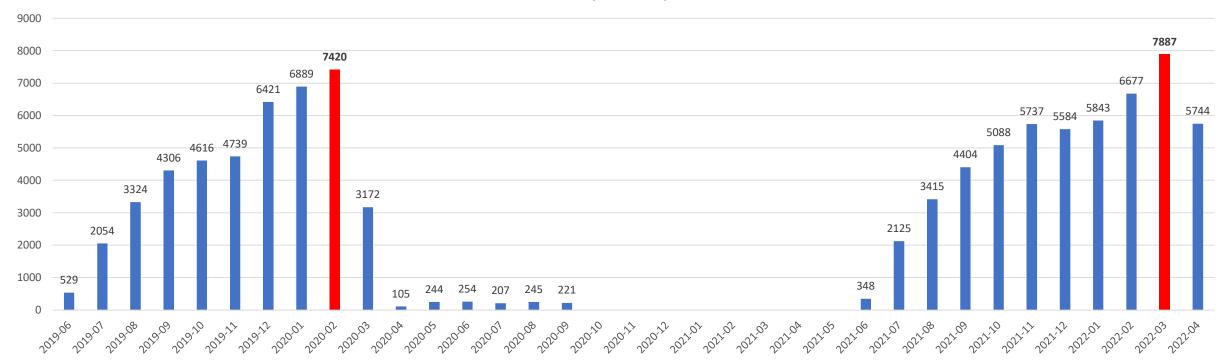






### **97,620 Total Trips** from Program Inception to 4/24/22

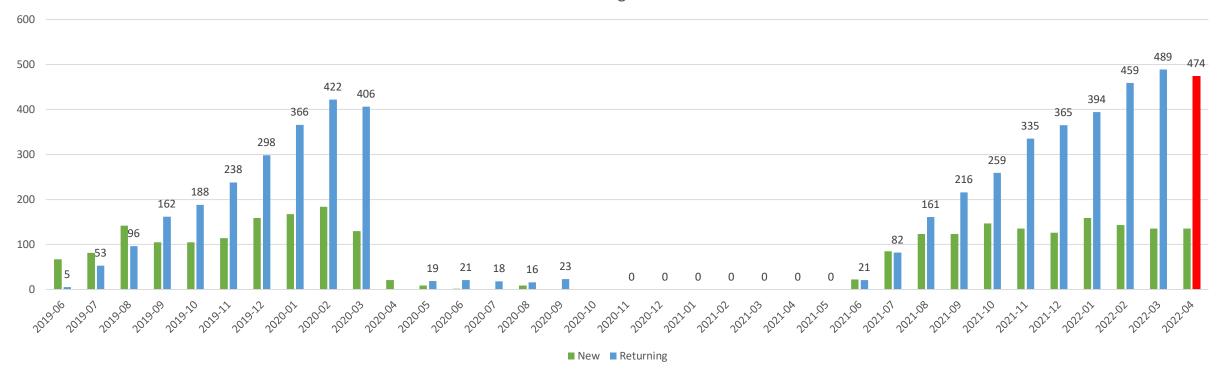
### **Completed Trips**







### **Returning Riders**

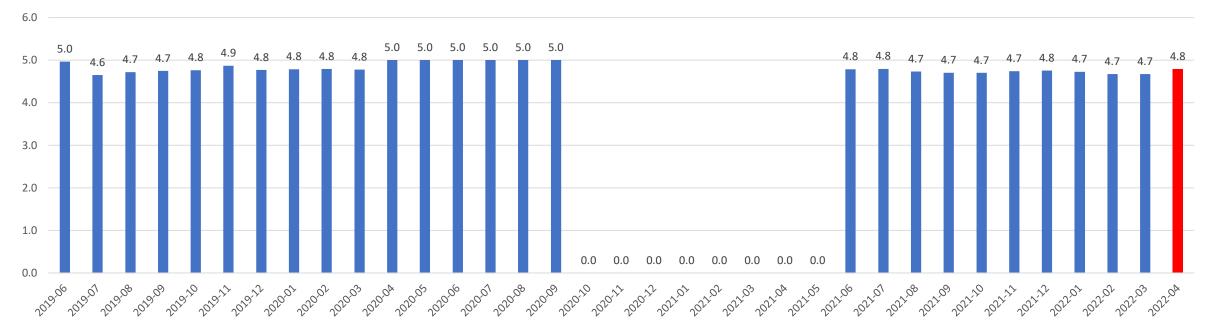






### **Ride Rating**

### Average Ride Rating







### **Next Steps**

- Additional vehicles/ drivers (Potentially 10 additional Vans)
- Monitor trip data of existing zones to determine success of the March 28<sup>th</sup> service change; where should additional vehicles and driver hours be allocated
- Engage customers to learn satisfaction after program changes
- Institution of Fares
- Analyze demographic data and current transit options to determine other areas
  of the district that can benefit from microtransit programs like this.





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