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### KING COUNTY METRO & CHARIOT PARTNER

Partnership to launch on-demand shuttle service, Ride2, in Bellevue, WA Launched on October 23, 2018 (1 year pilot)

King County Metro has partnered with Ford-owned microtransit service provider, Chariot, to launch Ride2 – a one-year pilot shuttle service aimed at facilitating access to public transit and alleviating demand for parking. Through this program, as of October 23, locals can take on-demand shuttles to and from Bellevue's Eastgate Park-and-Ride, where there is a range of other public transit options. Chariot service is available within the designated service area from 6-10am and 4-8pm on weekdays. Shuttle service will be free for the first few months of the program. Later, rides will cost a standard Metro bus fare, with transfers being free of charge if a transit card is used. Rides can be reserved via phone or by using the "Ride2 Park & Ride" app.

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#### RTC PARTNERS WITH LYFT FOR RIDES PILOT

Partnership to improve commuting for employees in North Las Vegas, NV Launched on November 1, 2018 (6 month pilot)

The Regional Transportation Commission of Southern Nevada (RTC) is partnering with rideshare service provider, Lyft, and sports merchandise company, Fanatics, for a six-month pilot program. Through this partnership, subsidized rides are available to Fanatics employees to make it easier for them to travel between designated public transit stops and the Northgate Distribution Center in North Las Vegas – with RTC subsidizing \$1 per trip, Lyft reducing standard ride rates, and Fanatics covering the remaining balance. The program is part of RTC's Workforce Mobility Program and can be expanded to other companies at Northgate Distribution Center (an area not served by RTC's existing transit routes), in order to improve job access.

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