



NEIGHBORHOOD IMPACT STATEMENT

This Neighborhood Impact Statement provides details pertaining to the alteration of a RIPTA bus route. RIPTA holds a public hearing at least 30 days before the bus route change is scheduled to take effect.

Affected neighborhood(s):

Pawtucket

Effective date of service change:

January 18, 2025

Service frequency:

Weekday: 50 minutes

Saturday: 45 minutes

Sunday: 90 minutes

Affected bus route(s):

Route 78

Scheduled Public Hearing:

December 5, 2024: 12:30pm-2:00pm and

5:30pm-7:00pm

Providence Foundation

30 Exchange Terrace Ste 4C, Providence

Service hours of affected routes:

Weekday: 5:44am—11:04pm

Saturday: 6:37am—10:45pm

Sunday: 7:02am—8:10pm

Description of service change:

All inbound trips will turn right onto Newport Ave. from Beverage Hill Ave. and not continue to Narragansett Park Dr. The inbound service will no longer travel on I-195.

Benefits for service change:

This route change will help on-time performance for Route 78.

Reason for service change:

This service change is proposed due to declining passenger activity on Narragansett Park Dr. and because of on-time performance challenges related to the Washington Bridge closure.

Route 78

