



**LEGEND**

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- Route 47 ReFlex Zone
- Timepoint
- Point of Interest
- Piggly Wiggly Ticket Location
- SuperStop
- Transfer Point
- Connecting Route(s)

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### REFLEX ROUTE 47 MONDAY - FRIDAY

To Eastover

Stop #	1 Patterson & Garners Ferry SuperStop	2 Garners Ferry & Atlas EB	3 Garners Ferry & Pineview EB	4 Garners Ferry & Old Garners EB	5 Garners Ferry & Lower Richland EB	6 Garners Ferry & Old Eastover EB	7 Lewis Scott Court	8 Chalk & Main SB
AM	5:36	5:38	5:42	5:44	5:51	5:57	6:15	6:17
PM	1:36	1:38	1:42	1:44	1:51	1:57	2:15	2:17

### REFLEX ROUTE 47 MONDAY - FRIDAY

To Patterson & Garners Ferry SuperStop

Stop #	8 Chalk & Main SB	9 Poultry Road & Bluff Rd SB	10 Bluff Rd & Congaree Rd	11 Congaree National Park	12 MLK & Clarkson NB	13 Lower Richland & Bluff SB	14 Bluff & John Mark Dial Dr SuperStop	1 Patterson & Garners Ferry SuperStop
AM	6:23	6:31	6:39	—	6:57	7:06	7:16	7:26
PM	2:23	2:31	2:39	2:47	2:57	3:06	3:16	3:26

\*Congaree National Park on request Monday-Friday. Please ask the bus operator to be dropped off there or call (803) 255-7124 when the bus leaves timepoint 3 for pick up.

### REFLEX ROUTE 47 SATURDAY

To Eastover

Stop #	1 Patterson & Garners Ferry SuperStop	2 Garners Ferry & Atlas EB	3 Garners Ferry & Pineview EB	4 Garners Ferry & Old Garners EB	5 Garners Ferry & Lower Richland EB	6 Garners Ferry & Old Eastover EB	7 Lewis Scott Court	8 Chalk & Main SB
AM	9:38	9:40	9:44	9:46	9:53	9:59	10:19	10:21
PM	1:38	1:40	1:44	1:46	1:53	1:59	2:19	2:21

### REFLEX ROUTE 47 SATURDAY

To Patterson & Garners Ferry SuperStop

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# ReFlex Route 47

## EASTOVER/GADSDEN

Weekday &  
Saturday Service



### WEEKDAYS

Every 120 Minutes 5:30 AM – 7:30 PM

### SATURDAY

Every 120 Minutes 9:30 AM – 3:30 PM

### Walmart

**Garners Ferry Road**  
**Lower Richland Boulevard**  
**Main Street • Atlas Road**  
**Bluff Road • Eastover**  
**Gadsden • Hopkins**

Connections to Routes 44X, 45, 46, 61, 62, and 88 available at Patterson and Garners Ferry and Alvin S. Glenn Detention Center SuperStops



[www.CatchTheCOMET.org](http://www.CatchTheCOMET.org)  
803.255.7123 • 711 through Relay Service



### Fares:

Effective 4/12/2021	Basic	Discount*	Express
One Way	\$2.00	\$1.00	\$4.00
All-Day Pass	\$4.00	\$2.00	\$6.00
7-Day Pass	\$14.00	\$7.00	\$28.00
10-Ride Pass	N/A	N/A	\$40.00
31-Day Pass	\$40.00	\$20.00	\$80.00
Route Deviation on Flex Routes	+\$2.00	+\$1.00	N/A
Express Route Upcharge	+\$2.00	+\$1.00	(see left)
Soda Cap Connector	\$1.00	\$0.50	N/A
Transfer (60 minutes only)	FREE	FREE	FREE
<i>Free transfer requires COMETCard</i>			

#### \*Discount Fares are available to:

- Seniors ages 65 years old and older with ID
- Persons with Disabilities with The COMET Half Fare ID
- Medicare Card Holders with ID
- Youth ages 16-18 years old with The COMET Half Fare ID
- Veterans with a Military ID, Veterans ID or DD-214 form
- Half Fare ID Cards can be obtained at COMET Central. Call (803) 255-7100 for more details.
- The COMET offers free programs for DART passengers, youth 39 inches to 15 years old, students in middle and high schools in Richland and Lexington Counties and selected employers. Visit [www.CatchTheCOMET.org](http://www.CatchTheCOMET.org) or call (803) 255-7100 for details.
- Santee Wateree RTA and Fairfield County Transit System transfers are accepted for no additional cost.

### Passes

#### COMETCards, Day, 7-Day, and 31-Day Passes can be purchased:

- In person:** All Piggly Wiggly Stores in Columbia, Eastover and Springdale Town Halls, Columbia Visitors Center and COMET Central, 1745 Sumter Street in Columbia
- On our website:** [www.CatchTheCOMET.org](http://www.CatchTheCOMET.org) (credit card)
- On our Apps:** **Transit**, **Moovit** or **Token Transit** app from Google Play or App Store (credit card or cash wallet payable at the COMET Central)
- By mail:** The COMET, 3613 Lucius Road, Columbia, SC (check, credit card or money order)
- On the bus:** Day, 7-Day or 10-Ride Passes (cash)
- All passes are non-refundable, non-replaceable and non-transferable. NO CASH REFUNDS.
- Businesses and organizations that purchase in bulk can purchase Basic passes at Discount prices. Call (803) 255-7133 or email: [info@CatchTheCOMET.org](mailto:info@CatchTheCOMET.org) for more details.

### How To Read The Timetable

- Find the schedule for the day of the week and the direction you wish to ride.
- Find the timepoints closest to your origin and destination. The timepoints are shown on the route map and indicate the time the bus is scheduled to be at the particular location. Your nearest bus stop may be between timepoints.
- Read down the column to see the times when a trip will be at the given timepoint. Read the times across to the right to see when the trip reaches other timepoints. If no time is shown, that trip does not serve that timepoint.

### Holiday Schedule

Sunday service is provided on New Years Day, Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day, Presidents Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day and Veterans Day.

No service is provided on Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day. A Saturday schedule operates on the Day after Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve.

### Customer Service

- Visit COMET Central located at 1745 Sumter Street, Columbia. It is open 7 days a week from 5 a.m. to 11:45 p.m. Customer Service is available 7 days a week from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Call Center telephone hours are available 7 days a week from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.
- Plan your trip by downloading Transit app from Google Play or the App Store. You may also pay fares, find Blue Bikes, and order Lyft and Uber cars. Your one stop shop!
- Lost and Found:** If you leave an item on The COMET bus, please call (803) 253-7100 to see if it has been retrieved. The COMET or its contractors are not responsible for lost or stolen items on board its vehicles. Items not retrieved within 30 days will be donated to local charity or disposed of.



### Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964

The Central Midlands Transit (COMET) is committed to ensuring that no person is excluded from participation in or denied the benefits of its services on the basis of race, color or national origin, as provided by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended. For more information, or to file a complaint, contact The COMET Compliance and Civil Rights Officer, as defined above, FTA Office of Civil Rights, Attention: Title VI Program. Coordinator, East Building — 5th Floor TCR, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, Washington, DC 20590 or SCDOT, Attn: Title VI Program Coordinator at (803) 737-5095, or in writing to the Office of Business Development & Special Programs, 955 Park Street, Suite 117, Columbia SC 29202.

### How To Ride The COMET



- Transit Stops:** The COMET buses only stop at signed transit stops. Flag stops are not permitted, except on Routes 47 and 97. A complete transit stop list for each route is available on our website at [www.CatchTheCOMET.org](http://www.CatchTheCOMET.org). Some transit stops have benches, shelters, trash cans and cart corrals.
- Catching the Bus:** Be at the transit stop, 5 minutes before the scheduled departure. Make sure the bus operator can see you. Check the headsign on the front, curbside or rear of the bus to ensure you board the correct route. When boarding at night, wear bright clothing and flash the bus operator with a light.
- Paying your Fare:** Be ready to pay your fare or present your pass when you board. Bus operators cannot make change. Should you overpay, a change card will be issued for future use on The COMET.
- Exiting the Bus:** When you see your destination or transfer point, signal the bus operator, by pulling the cord near the window, pushing the yellow strip or calling out “next stop”. Please provide enough notice, so that the bus operator can stop safely. If you are not familiar with the area, ask the bus operator for assistance. Please do not cross in front of the bus when exiting and do not forget your bicycle if you have one!
- Inclement Weather & Service Interruption:** For The COMET inclement weather and service interruption information, please visit call (803) 255-7118 or check The COMET website, Facebook or Twitter (CatchTheCOMET) for updates.
- Plan Your Trip and Track Your Bus:** Check out this new feature on our website by visiting [www.CatchTheCOMET.org](http://www.CatchTheCOMET.org).
- Innovative Mobility:** The COMET offers additional programs such as free Blue Bike rides in Downtown Columbia by asking for the code from the bus operator, \$8.00 subsidy on Lyft and Uber for trips to and from the grocery store and between 8 p.m. and 6 a.m., 7 days a week, DART service for those with a disability that cannot ride The COMET buses, mobility services for seniors and persons with disabilities that live in Richland and Lexington Counties outside of the DART service area and a vanpool program for commuters to work. To learn more, visit [www.CatchTheCOMET.org](http://www.CatchTheCOMET.org) or call (803) 255-7100.
- Bicycles:** Bicycle racks are located on the front of all The COMET buses. Racks are available on a first come-first served basis. Customers are responsible for loading and unloading bicycles, and use the racks at their own risk.
- Animals on The COMET:** Service animals are welcome. Non-service animals may travel on the bus if secured in a cage or muzzle.

### ReFlex Route 47 Eastover/Gadsden

ReFlex Route 47 is a special kind of service The COMET is offering.

- The bus follows a schedule like a regular route and includes an area map with departure/arrival times. You can wait at one of our convenient bus stops along the route and hop aboard to enjoy a stress free ride. But this service also picks up people who don't live right on the route.
- ReFlex Route 47 can serve destinations within the flex zone. All you have to do is schedule your trip at least 2 hours in advance with our customer service agents at **(803) 255-7123**. Let us know your pickup point and time.
- ReFlex Route 47 will take fixed-route customers to the SuperStops at Patterson & Garners Ferry Walmart to make connections with Routes 44X, 45, 46, 62, or 88, or at Alvin S. Glenn Detention Center to make connections with Route 61. Paratransit customers can also transfer to another DART van at these locations.
- Customer service representatives will let you know when you'll be picked up.
- Reservations should be made at least 2 hours in advance and are provided on a first come first served basis.
- Remember to be at your pickup location on time so we can keep the bus on schedule.
- Look over the times and map on this schedule to find the times best suited to your schedule.

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