

## 8 Peninsula Loop M8

Casco Bay Ferry Terminal

MONDAY - FRIDAY

SATURDAY

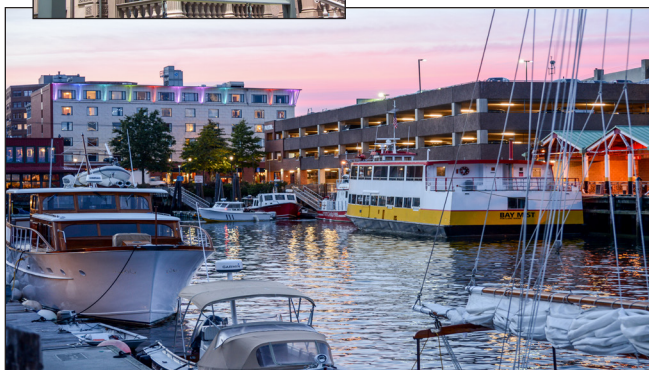
| OUTBOUND<br>Departs            |                    |                         |                    |                      | INBOUND                    |   | Arrives                        |
|--------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Casco Bay<br>Ferry<br>Terminal | Franklin<br>Towers | Whole<br>Foods          | Hannaford<br>Plaza | Congress<br>& Forest | Maine<br>Medical<br>Center | Congress<br>& Forest<br>(Harmon's<br>Florist) | Casco Bay<br>Ferry<br>Terminal |
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| 6:10                           | 6:14               | ends at Franklin Towers |                    |                      |                            |   |                                |
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### NO SUNDAY SERVICE

**METRO's Route #8** provides convenient bus service from Ocean Gateway and Casco Bay Lines Ferry Terminal to downtown Portland with connections to other routes and destinations.

METRO's eight routes travel throughout the Greater Portland region with service to Portland, Westbrook, Falmouth and the Maine Mall area of South Portland with connections to other transit options. There are hundreds of bus stops located throughout our service area.

All buses have bike racks and are wheelchair accessible.



## Four Easy Steps to Taking the Bus

1. Refer to the map for details about your route. Arrive at the bus stop at least five minutes before the bus is due to arrive. Have your fare ready - exact change (see fare info below).

2. If you plan to ride the bus several times during your visit, consider purchasing a Day Pass for \$5, or a TenRide Ticket if you are with a group, at the METRO Pulse at Elm Street (Stop B on map inside)

3. Pull the yellow cord before you approach your stop.

4. Explore and have fun!

### Fare Information

- Regular one way fare: \$1.50 (exact change)
  - TenRide Tickets: \$13.50 (no expiration)
  - Seniors/persons with disabilities: 75¢ one way fare
  - TenRide reduced Tickets: \$6.75 (no expiration)
  - METRO Day Pass: \$5 (unlimited for one day)
- Free transfers between METRO and South Portland Bus Service; TenRide tickets can be used on both transit systems (see above).

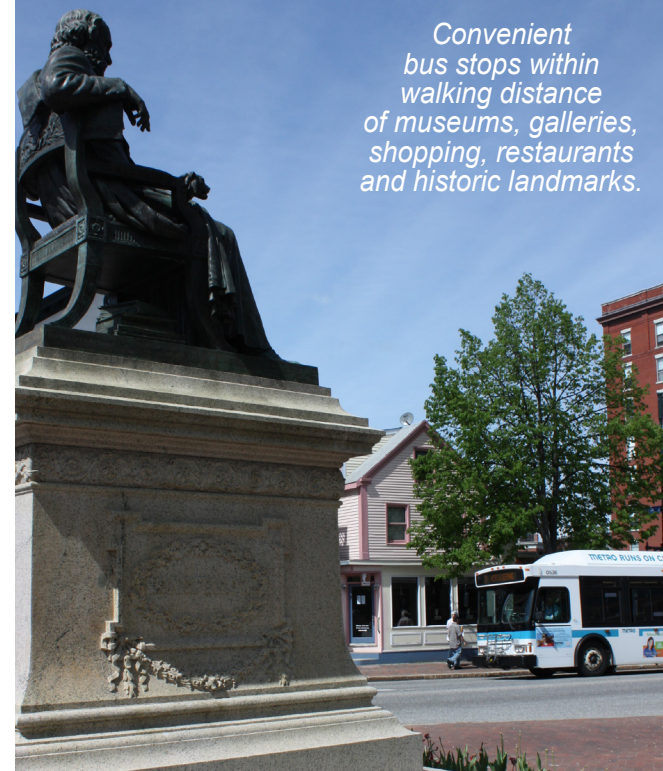
Tickets can be purchased at the METRO Pulse, one block from the Elm Street / Cumberland Ave. stop (see map inside), or pay as you go.

For updates and additional information, visit us online at [gpmetrobus.com](http://gpmetrobus.com) or call 207-774-0351.

## Visit Portland at your own Pace

*Round trips throughout the day from the waterfront to the Arts District, Portland's historic West End and Old Port.*

*Convenient bus stops within walking distance of museums, galleries, shopping, restaurants and historic landmarks.*



*Easy and accessible transportation from Ocean Gateway and the waterfront.*

## Hop on METRO's Route #8.

Check out the Art District's museums and galleries, see the Longfellow Statue and Victoria Mansion -- along Portland's historic West End -- and travel back through the Old Port.

Stay on the bus and return to the waterfront or stop along the way. Check out other routes to explore the Greater Portland Region.

Look inside for schedule, map & information.

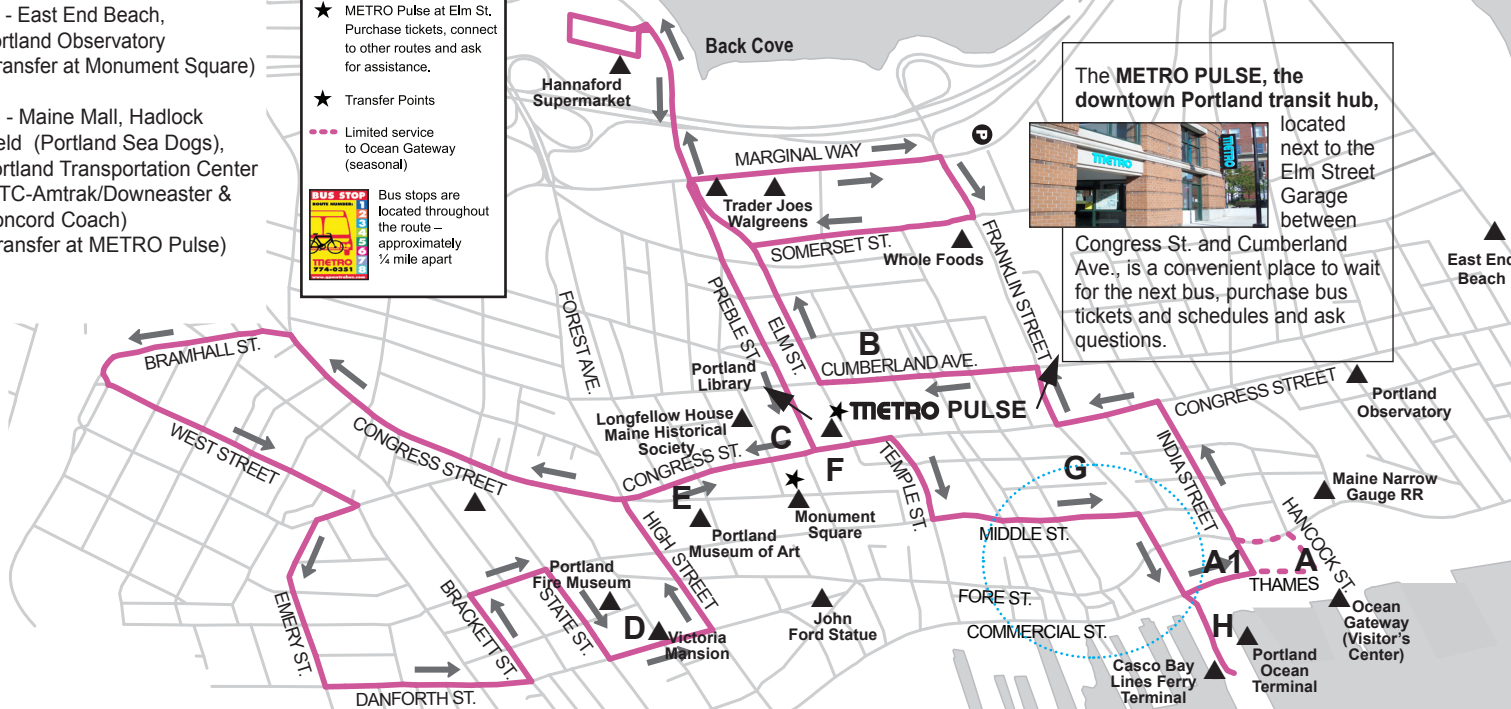
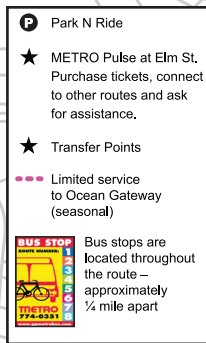


# METRO Route #8 - Highlights for Cruise Ship Passengers and Other Visitors

## More METRO Route Highlights for Visitors:

**#1 - East End Beach, Portland Observatory**  
(Transfer at Monument Square)

**#5 - Maine Mall, Hadlock Field (Portland Sea Dogs), Portland Transportation Center (PTC-Amtrak/Downeaster & Concord Coach)**  
(Transfer at METRO Pulse)



\* For additional schedule and route info, pick up a Regional Transit Guide, visit our website at [gpmetrobus.com](http://gpmetrobus.com).

### The METRO PULSE, the downtown Portland transit hub,



located next to the Elm Street Garage between Congress St. and Cumberland Ave., is a convenient place to wait for the next bus, purchase bus tickets and schedules and ask questions.

**A - Ocean Gateway/Visitor's Center:** Bus service only available during cruise ship visits (1000+ passengers). Temporary, seasonal stop at the corner of Thames & Hancock Streets.

**A1 - Commercial / India Streets:** Regular stop near Ocean Gateway, Commercial St.

**B - Elm Street Pulse (METRO Hub):** Walk from Cumberland St, closest to METRO Pulse, to transfer to other routes. Schedules, information, tickets and rest rooms.

**C - Longfellow House/Maine Historical Society - Tours, Admission**

**D - Victoria Mansion on Danforth Street**  
Historical Tours, Admission

**E - Portland Museum of Art:** Works by Homer, Wyeth, Picasso, Renoir. Museum store/cafe. Admission

**F - Monument Square:**  
Transfer to other routes  
Route #1 - Portland Observatory  
East End Beach

Route #21 - South Portland Bus Service

**G - Old Port** Shops, restaurants, walks along the waterfront & more!

**H - Portland Ocean Terminal**  
Casco Bay Lines  
Ferry Service - Explore the Maine Coast.

## A Quick Glimpse at METRO Route #8

Route #8 OUTBOUND departs the Casco Bay Lines Ferry Terminal approximately every half hour weekdays and hourly on Saturday (no service on Sunday).

When large cruise ships (1,000+ passengers) visit Portland, the route extends to the bus stop at Ocean Gateway (see map) then travels to Congress Street and Cumberland Avenue before heading to popular shopping options such as Trader Joes, Walgreens, Whole Foods and Hannaford Supermarket before returning to Congress Street, near the Longfellow House and Maine Historical House.

The route then continues along Congress Street toward Portland's historic West End, passing the Victoria Mansion on Danforth Street before heading back to Congress Street, the Old Port and returning to the waterfront.

## \* Reach the Beach, Visit a Lighthouse

METRO's Route #8 does not provide direct access to the beach or lighthouses; however, it is possible to transfer to another METRO route or South Portland Bus Service to explore. Here are a few possibilities:

### Reach the Beach from Monument Square -

Transfer to METRO Route #1 to check out East End Beach and the Portland Observatory on Munjoy Hill or transfer to South Portland Bus Service (Route #21) and walk to Willard Beach.



**Lighthouses from Monument Square** - Take the South Portland Bus Service (Route #21) to the SMCC stop and walk to Spring Point Lighthouse or the next stop to visit Bug Light for a great view of Portland. Portland Head Light at Fort Williams Park in Cape Elizabeth is an approximate two mile walk along Cottage Road and Shore Drive from the Pillsbury Street/Cottage Road stop.

**How to read the schedule:** If leaving from Ocean Gateway or Commercial/India Steets stops, refer to schedule times for Casco Bay Lines (the closest time-point listed at the top of schedule). For other locations, find the nearest timepoint to your location on the map to estimate bus time arrival times.

METRO routes #2 - #7 stop at the METRO Pulse at Elm Street (M-SA). Routes #1 and #8 stop along Congress Street, which is only a block away.

**METRO Bus Stops:** Bus stops are located throughout all routes. It's a good idea to arrive five minutes before the bus is due to arrive. Look for the route number on the sign. The same number will be displayed on the bus. Use a hand motion to signal the bus driver to stop. Pull the cord when you are near your destination.

