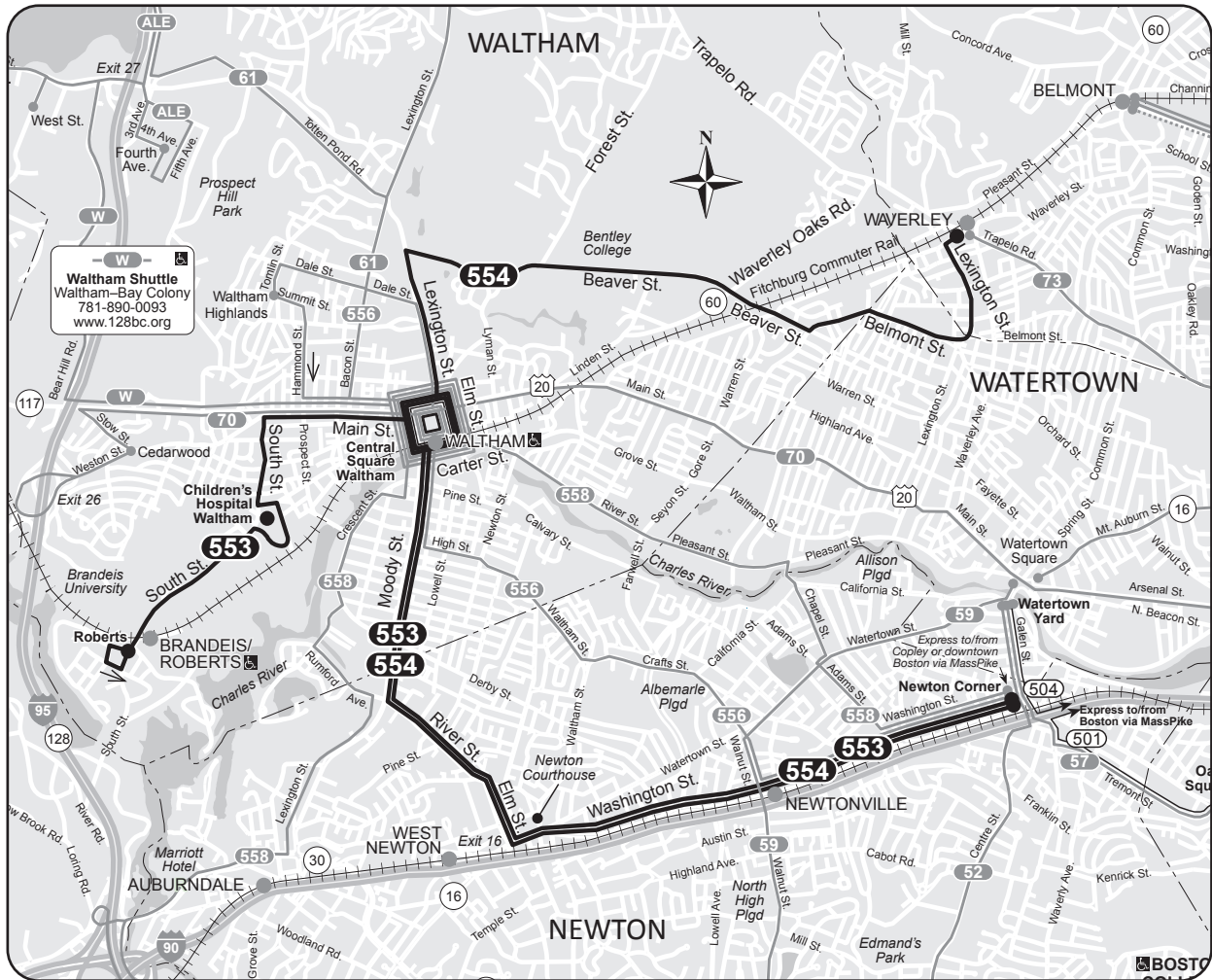
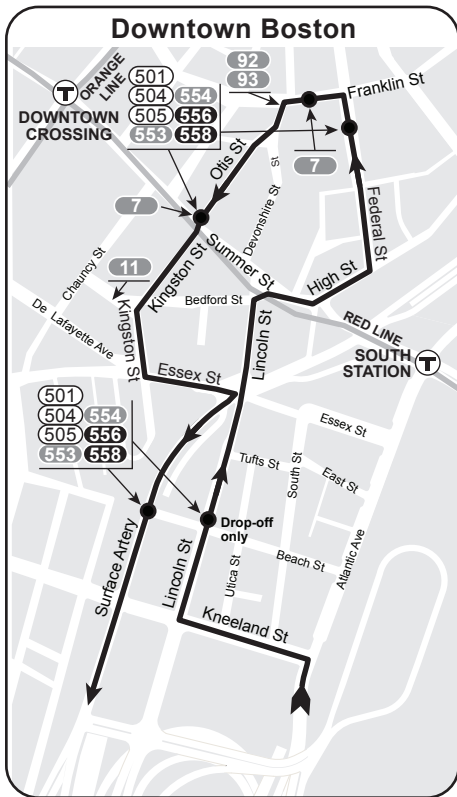


Route 505 Express – Waltham Center - Federal St & Franklin St
Route 553 Roberts - Federal St & Franklin St
Route 554 Waverley Square - Federal St & Franklin St



Service/Schedule Change

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Effective August 30, 2020

505 Express–Waltham Center - Federal St & Franklin St

553 Roberts-Federal St & Franklin St

554 Waverley Square-Federal St & Franklin St

Serving

- Central Square, Waltham
- Newtonville
- Newton Courthouse
- Brandeis University
- Bentley College



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Route 505
Outer Express Bus–
Central Square, Waltham-
Downtown Boston

Inbound bus stops before the route enters the highway are pickup only. Outbound bus stops after the route exits the highway are dropoff only. For local travel, please use Route 553, 554, or 558.

553 & 554

Weekday

Inbound				Outbound			
Leave Roberts	Leave Waverley Square	Lv/Arrive Central Sq. Waltham	Arrive Newton Corner	Leave Newton Corner	Arrive Central Sq. Waltham	Arrive Waverley Square	Arrive Roberts
6:25A		6:34A	6:58A	6:00A	6:21A	6:39A	
.....	6:44A	6:56	7:23	6:30	6:46		7:00A
7:10		7:19	7:45	7:05	7:21		7:36
7:55		8:08	8:34	7:30	7:51	8:09	
.....	8:17	8:33	8:57	7:55	8:14		8:30
8:40		8:50	9:13	8:40	8:59		9:17
9:25		9:35	9:57	9:05	9:24	9:37	
.....	9:43	9:56	10:18	9:20	9:41		9:59
10:10		10:20	10:42	10:05	10:26		10:44
10:55		11:05	11:25	10:50	11:11		11:29
11:40		11:50	12:10P	11:35	11:55		12:12P
12:25P		12:36P	12:59P	12:15P	12:34P		12:54
1:10		1:21	1:44	1:05	1:24		1:44
1:55		2:06	2:29	1:50	2:09		2:29
2:40		2:51	3:14	2:35	2:59		3:21
3:25		3:36	3:59	3:20	3:44		4:06
4:10		4:21	4:44	3:30	3:58	4:16P	
.....	4:22P	4:37	4:58	4:05	4:29		4:48
4:55		5:06	5:29	4:50	5:16		5:34
5:40		5:51	6:14	5:05	5:35	5:50	
.....	5:56	6:11	6:32	5:35	6:02		6:18
6:25		6:35	6:55	6:20	6:47		7:03
7:10		7:20	7:40	6:40	7:01	7:16	
.....	7:25	7:40	8:01	7:00	7:27		7:43
7:55		8:05	8:25	7:45	8:12		8:28
8:40		8:50	9:10	8:30	8:57		9:13

Route 554 indicated by shaded areas

c - To/from Central Square, Waltham via Copley Square
t - Via Trapelo Road

Route 553
Roberts or Central Square,
Waltham-Downtown Boston

Route 554
Waverley Square-
Downtown Boston

553 Saturday

Inbound		
Leave Roberts	Arrive Central Sq. Waltham	Arrive Newton Corner
6:30A	6:38A	6:56A
7:30	7:38	7:56
8:40	8:50	9:09
9:50	10:00	10:23
11:15	11:27	11:50
12:45P	12:58P	1:22P
2:15	2:27	2:49
3:40	3:52	4:14
5:10	5:22	5:45
6:35	6:45	7:06

553 Saturday

Outbound		
Leave Newton Corner	Arrive Central Sq. Waltham	Arrive Roberts
7:00A	7:13A	7:26A
8:05	8:18	8:31
9:15	9:30	9:44
10:35	10:53	11:09
12:00N	12:21P	12:37P
1:30	1:50	2:05
3:00	3:19	3:33
4:25	4:43	4:57
5:55	6:13	6:27
7:15	7:31	7:45

No Route 553 service on Sunday

No Route 554 service
on weekends

All buses are accessible to persons with disabilities

Outer Express–Route 505 fares

Fare	Outer Express	Outer Express + Local Bus	Outer Express + Subway
CharlieCard	\$5.25	\$5.25	\$5.25
CharlieTicket	\$7.00	\$9.00	\$9.90
Cash-on-Board	\$7.00	\$9.00	\$9.90
Student/Youth*	\$2.60	\$2.60	\$2.60
Senior/TAP**	\$2.60	\$2.60	\$2.60

VALID PASSES: Outer Express Bus (\$168/mo.), commuter rail zone 1 or higher, and boat passes.
FREE FARES: Children 11 and under ride free when accompanied by an adult; Blind Access CharlieCard holders ride free and if using a guide, the guide rides free.
* Requires Student CharlieCard or Youth CharlieCard. Student CharlieCards are available to students through participating middle schools and high schools. Youth CharlieCards are available through community partners in the Boston metro area. Visit www.mbta.com/youthpass for details.
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NO local fare applies for any portion of Route 505

Route 553 & 554 fares

Fare	Inner Express	Inner Express + Local Bus	Inner Express + Subway
CharlieCard	\$4.25	\$4.25	\$4.25
CharlieTicket	\$5.25	\$7.25	\$8.15
Cash-on-Board	\$5.25	\$7.25	\$8.15
Student/Youth*	\$2.10	\$2.10	\$2.10
Senior/TAP**	\$2.10	\$2.10	\$2.10

VALID PASSES: Inner Express Bus (\$136/mo.), Outer Express Bus (\$168/mo.), commuter rail zone 1 or higher, and boat passes.
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Fall 2020 & Winter 2021 Holidays
9/7/20: Sunday; 10/12/20 & 11/11/20: Weekday
11/26/20, 12/25/20, & 1/1/21: Sun; 1/18/21 & 2/15/21: Sat