SAFETY & SECURITY

Nothing is more important to UTA than the personal safety of its riders. UTA staff carefully check buses and trains each day and consistently perform maintenance beyond state and federal requirements.

Bus Safety Tips

- Board the bus only at designated stops. Wait until the bus has come to a complete stop before boarding.
- While on the bus, use available seating. If no seats are available, stand in the aisle and use the overhead straps to maintain balance. Stay behind the white line located in the front of the bus and never sit or stand in the stairwells.
- When getting off the bus, remain seated until the vehicle comes to a complete stop. Wait until the bus leaves before crossing the street.

TRAX/FrontRunner Safety Tips

- Never walk on or alongside the tracks. Trains use the tracks 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Pay attention and don't text or use headphones around rail lines.
- · Always use designated crosswalks to cross the tracks. Obey all traffic signals and street markings and look both ways before crossing.
- Stand behind the yellow line and hold your child's hand at rail platforms.

Park & Ride Lot Safety Tips

- Be sure to protect personal property by locking all vehicle doors and cargo compartments. Also make sure all windows are rolled up.
- · Stow valuables out of sight and make sure personal items are removed from the seats and floors. Do not leave purses or other valuable items in the vehicle.

UTA Transit Police

UTA's police force is dedicated to maintaining peace and order on UTA's transit system and at its facilities. Transit police are trained and certified according to Utah peace officer standards, carry the same equipment as other police teams and are authorized to arrest persons suspected of violating the law.

• UTA also employs a force of fare enforcement officers, whose primary responsibility is to assist the UTA Transit Police in checking fares on the system.



See Something, Say Something

Whenever using any part of UTA's system, do your part to support transit safety by being observant and aware and by calling UTA's transit police at 801-287-EYES (3937) or texting UTATIP along with your comment to 274637 if you see anything suspicious.

In 2013, UTA received the International Organization for Standardization's (ISO) 18001 Safety Management Systems (SMS) certification. ISO SMS 18001 is an internationally recognized benchmark for health and safety management and provides a framework for organizations to identify and control its health and safety risks to reduce accidents and improve performance.

