

Don't let the fuel increase affect you

South Africa experienced a significant increase in the price of fuel recently and the Western Cape Government (WCG) and the City of Cape Town would like to ask motorists to reconsider their transport habits. Motorists are encouraged to make changes now to minimise their impact on the environment and to save money.

The WCG and the City of Cape Town is committed to providing an integrated multi-modal public-transport network in the coming years. This public-transport system will provide seamless, convenient, affordable and safe transport for all Capetonians. An increase in the number of private vehicles owned and used, particularly single-occupancy vehicles, is not sustainable in Cape Town. For this reason the WCG and the City, in partnership with the national Government, is rolling out the integrated rapid-transit project.

Public transport is the way of the future as it is cheaper, less stressful and more environmentally friendly than travelling by car.



A message from the City of Cape Town

We are working hard to extend the MyCiti services across the entire city. We are also working hard to improve the quality of the current service of Metrorail. The MyCiti bus system provides universal accessibility, which means that people with disabilities will find it much easier to use the service than before.

The City has also launched the Travel SMART programme, which will focus on connecting and revitalising communities. Further details of the Travel SMART programme are available on the City's website at: <http://www.capetown.gov.za/en/TravelSMART/Pages/default.aspx>.

The 'myconnect' card is to be rolled out soon and users will be able to use it to pay for fares for all forms of public transport across the country. This will help to make day-to-day travel more convenient for commuters and allow them to plan their monthly budgets.

Let's do all that we can to grow a public-transport culture.

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