

ORDINANCE NO. 97-85

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING
ELIMINATION OF THE EXPRESS
BUS SURCHARGE WHEN PAYING
FARES WITH THE TRANSIT CARD
AND THE REDUCED FARE PERMIT

WHEREAS, The Chicago Transit Authority is implementing the system-wide Automatic Fare Collection System; and

WHEREAS, The Authority currently has a surcharge of twenty five cents (\$0.25) on certain express bus routes for out-bound passengers boarding at specific locations within the downtown area; and

WHEREAS, Management desires to eliminate payment of the additional express bus surcharge when a passenger is paying a fare using the Transit Card or the Reduced Fare Permit; and

WHEREAS, Management further desires to retain the express bus surcharge for passengers who pay their fare by use of cash, transfer or token; now, therefore:

BE IT ORDAINED BY CHICAGO TRANSIT BOARD
OF CHICAGO TRANSIT AUTHORITY:

SECTION 1. The Transit Board hereby authorizes the elimination of the express bus surcharge for those passengers who pay their fare by using the Transit Card or the Reduced Fare Permit. The express bus surcharge will remain in effect for passengers who pay their fare by means of cash, transfer or token.

SECTION 2. All ordinances, by-laws, rules and regulations not inconsistent with Section 1 of this Ordinance shall remain in force and effect.

SECTION 3. This change shall be implemented after the necessary operating arrangements have been completed.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

APPROVED:


Chairman

PASSED:


Secretary

June 11, 1997

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