# REAL-TIME PASSENGER INFORMATION FOR TECH-SAVVY STUDENTS

Fostering a sense of safety for students and faculty is paramount in providing transportation services in and around your campus. By offering real-time information riders can access accurate information anywhere, anytime using the technologies they use most; Web, Phone or Wireless devices.

University and college riders are tech savvy customers that expect quick, accurate answers to questions such as how to get to their destination in the fewest stops, where the closest stop is located or when the next bus will arrive. Enable riders to access up-to-theminute information with:

#### Real-time Information

Let passengers know exactly when the next bus will arrive, whether they are waiting at a 'smart' bus stop, surfing the Web or using their cell phone. Integrated vehicle location technology (AVL) provides real-time updates.

### Web-Based Solutions

Enable staff and students to plan trips and access schedule and next bus information on many kinds of Web-enabled devices, including PCs, cell phones, PDAs, and kiosks. Integrate with your existing websites, maintaining the existing "look and feel."

### Automated Telephone Solutions

Extend the options for accessing information that you currently offer the public with interactive voice response (IVR) technology. Make your transit information accessible over the phone 24 hours a day.



# 🔾 Call Centers

Automate information retrieval in your call center, and do away with headway books. Allow call center agents to focus on providing superior customer service.

#### Regional Traveler Information

Increase ridership and improve mobility across your region by adopting a collaborative, regional approach. TripSpark provides the flexibility to develop centralized or distributed solutions, depending on the "reality on the ground."

Delivering information customers can rely on is only one part of passenger information. Increasing workforce productivity, offering new modes of services and lowering your costs can be achieved.

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# Provide Better Customer Service

- Offer passengers more choice as to how they access transit information
- Make information available to passengers
  anywhere, anytime
- Enable more accurate planning with real-time updates on arrival times

# Increase Call Center Productivity

- Shorten call times by automating trip planning, schedule queries, stop and route information
- Save and quickly access answers to frequently asked questions
- Instantly locate addresses, locations, stops, vehicles, routes and more with GIS-based tools

# Lower Costs

- Reduce call volumes with Web and IVR services and save on call center operating costs
- Provide 24/7 quality customer service without increasing staffing requirements
- Reduce the cost of ownership for individual agencies with regional information solutions

# Maximize Return on Investment

- Grow and maintain your ridership for the long term with intelligent investments in customer information
- Future-proof your investment with scalable, extensible technology based on open standards
- Implement integrated, multimodal regional trip planning solutions

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TripSpark Technologies is a transportation technology company focused on helping schools and private operators increase the satisfaction of their transportation personnel and parents while also realizing cost savings and overcoming operational challenges. We are not just a vendor—we are your long-term strategic partner, offering the latest technologies while providing exceptional service and support.

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