

# Save \$5,214 annually by riding public transit in Boston

## Cost of riding public transit in Boston (2021)

| Grant total (2021)                               | \$3,000 |
|--|---------|
| MBTA Senior/TAP pass (\$30/month)                | \$360   |
| COA van service (10 roundtrips/month @ \$1/trip) | \$240   |
| Uber/Lyft/Taxi (10 roundtrips/month @ \$10/trip) | \$2,400 |
| Volunteer driver service                         | \$0.00  |

## Cost of operating a mid-size sedan in Boston (2021)

| Grand total (2021)  | \$8,214 |
|---------------------|---------|
| Fuel                | \$779   |
| Maintenance         | \$1,043 |
| Insurance           | \$1,403 |
| License/registr/tax | \$603   |
| Depreciation        | \$3,782 |
| Finance charge      | \$632   |

Source: Your Driving Costs – 2021 – Calculations are based on owning a mid-size sedan, driven 10,000 miles/year  
<https://newsroom.aaa.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/2021-YDC-Brochure-Live.pdf>