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**“BE OUR GUEST” ON THE MCT MUNY EXPRESS!
MCT Service to The Muny in Forest Park Begins June 16**

PONTOON BEACH, IL, JUNE 1, 2023... The MCT Muny Express is back on the road June 16 for the first Friday evening performance of the 2023 Muny Season. The fast, affordable bus service picks up from 13 convenient locations in Madison County and drops off passengers right in front of the Muny in Forest Park, allowing people to see to their favorite shows without the hassle of driving and finding a place to park. A relaxing, roundtrip ride on the MCT Muny Express is \$5 for adults, children 5 and under ride free, and Madison County students in grades K-12 can board for free with an MCT Summer Youth Pass (contact MCT for details). The 105th season of the Muny kicks off with “Beautiful: The Carol King Musical” and remains captivating with “Disney’s Beauty and the Beast,” “Chess,” “West Side Story,” “Little Shop of Horrors,” and “Rent”. The season concludes in August with the musical comedy “Sister Act.”

The Muny Express picks up passengers for each Friday evening performance from the following Madison County locations:

Alton Muny Express: Alton Square Mall, Best Western Premier Hotel, MCT Eastgate Park & Ride, MCT Wood River Station, and MCT River’s Edge Park & Ride.

Edwardsville Muny Express: MCT Edwardsville Station, MCT Leclaire Park & Ride, Cottonwood Mall, Maryville IDOT Park and Ride lot, and Gateway Convention Center in Collinsville.

Highland Muny Express: MCT Highland Park & Ride, St. Jacob Park & Ride, and MCT Troy Park & Ride.

Muny Express buses arrive at the Muny in Forest Park approximately 30 minutes prior to show and depart from the same location 20 minutes after the show. Groups are welcome but are encouraged to call MCT in advance at (618) 797-INFO (4636) to guarantee seating. For more details on the Muny Express visit mct.org/muny-express, email info@mct.org or call (618) 797-4636.

Madison County Transit (MCT) provides multi-modal transportation services for Madison County, Illinois. MCT operates a fixed-route bus service, connecting to MetroLink; express weekday commuter service directly to and from downtown St. Louis; and seasonal express service to the Muny. For elderly and disabled residents who are unable to use the fixed-route buses, MCT provides complementary door to door service. MCT is also responsible for the construction and maintenance of more than 138 miles of bikeways that comprise the MCT Trails system, as well as overseeing RideFinders, the St. Louis region’s FREE carpooling and vanpooling program.

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