



NEWS

For Immediate Release

8/29/2008

For More Information Contact:

Francis J. Gay, Administrator
508.823.8828 x. 220

E-Mail: fgay@gatra.org

Commuters Getting a Lift to Lakeville “T” Stop

Wareham - Commuters from Wareham and Middleboro to the Lakeville MBTA Commuter Rail Station will be able to get to the station a little easier thanks to a new service being introduced by the Greater Attleboro Taunton Regional Transit Authority (*GATRA*). The *Wareham Lakeville Train Connector* begins on Monday, September 8, 2008.

The fare for adults will be two dollars and one dollar for seniors, disabled/Medicare card holders one-way and will operate Monday through Friday beginning at 5:50 a.m. A monthly pass is available for purchase from the bus driver.

“This is a very exciting program that we are adding to *GATRA*’s service portfolio,” said administrator Francis J. Gay. “Even though gas prices seem to be coming down a bit,” added Mr. Gay, “this service will keep a number of commuters off major highways easing traffic congestion in the morning and early evening hours.” Commuters can get the bus along Route 28 by simply “flagging down” or “hailing” the bus on the way to the Lakeville “T” station.

The *Wareham Lakeville Train Connector* is equipped with accessibility for wheelchairs. Riders can get more information on the *Wareham Lakeville Train Connector* by calling 800.433.5995 or online at www.gatra.org.

GATRA is a political subdivision of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, one of 15 Regional Transit Authorities in the state with an operating budget of more than \$22 million. *GATRA*’s management companies operate more than 90 vehicles providing over 650,000 customer rides in 26 communities.

