

Connecting Young People to New Opportunities

In June 2018, the *Gateway Go* pilot program was introduced to provide young people in our community with an easy and affordable option to travel to jobs, education and other important opportunities in the bi-state area.

With the *Gateway Go Card*, area youth between 13 and 25 years old are able to ride Metro Transit for half-price. This pilot program has already proven that by making transportation convenient and accessible, we can create stronger and healthier communities throughout the St. Louis region.

ACCESS TO JOBS

- 94%** Gateway Go made it possible to get to work
- 77%** Total commute took less than one hour
- 21%** Had not used Metro before the program



“I really appreciate you for giving us the opportunity to use this card. The Gateway Go Card really helped me when I had no other way to go to work or any other places that I had to go. I’m very thankful.” – City Youth Rider

PASS DISTRIBUTION

- 1,600 +** Gateway Go cards distributed
- 1,122** Youth Partner Organizations
- 406** Individual Sales by Metro
- 83** Event Giveaways

BOARDING ACTIVITY

- 52,000 +** Gateway Go card boardings June-August 2018
- 6,731** MetroLink boardings
- 45,395** MetroBus boardings