

MD-2 Texas Lions State Convention

May, 2017

Times are on your own

This is a city service and will take you on a complete loop of the Downtown area.

You can get on and off at will and take as much time as you wish visiting a site

Downtown San Antonio Trolley Tour Sites



Experience the beautiful
Alamo City

Welcome Aboard the VIA Streetcar!

It's fun.

VIA Streetcars are more than just historic. They are a fun way to shop, run errands, meet friends and see the sights all around downtown.

It's convenient.

Our streetcars run from early morning until late evening, and there's one along about every 10 minutes – at stops located throughout downtown.

It's comfortable.

All streetcars are propane powered, air-conditioned, and equipped with wheel chair lifts.

It's fast.

Go from Alamo Plaza to just about anywhere in downtown San Antonio within 10 minutes.

It's thrifty.

Just \$1.30 a ride and \$.65 for seniors with a VIA Reduced Fare ID and a \$2.75-day pass for unlimited travel

The **Red Line** will take you on a loop of the entire downtown area.

The **Blue Line** will take you downtown but also out to the King William area.

One of your first stops should be the IMAX Theatre in River Center Mall. “Alamo... The Price of Freedom,” is a 45- minute docudrama that tells the story of the 189 defenders, Texan and Tejano, who chose to die for freedom in the Alamo. The IMAX screen is six-stories tall, ten times larger than a conventional movie screen, and paired with six-track stereo sound, will give viewers an exceptional sense of participation in the on-screen activity.

After this feature film, you should visit the famous Alamo, established in 1718 it was originally known as Mission San Antonio de Valero. Guests will see remains of original structures, including the chapel, which is now a shrine to the fallen Alamo heroes. The famous chapel façade still captures the American imagination. Within the beautifully landscaped grounds is the Long Barracks Museum which chronicles the colorful history of the Cradle of Texas Liberty and the Alamo Library which is a significant research library for The Alamo’s history, as well as that of San Antonio and Texas.

On your way to the downtown loop you will travel past the historic San Fernando Cathedral which is the center of San Antonio and the life of this city. Over 5,000 participate at weekend Masses each week of the year.

Next, you can travel to the Spanish Governors Palace, once home to the Spanish Province of Texas. Although not palatial in size, the building represents an important time in the history of Texas.

At the far end of the downtown loop you will pass our border-style El Mercado or Mexican Market. Serving as a hub of Commerce years ago, Market Square as it has become known, has retained the charm of the past with its quaint shops offering local crafts, art, clothing and food.



FROM DOWNTOWN YOU CAN ALSO RIDE VIA BUS ROUTES TO OTHER GREAT ATTRACTIONS.

- Route 7** – to
Brackenridge Park
Japanese Tea Garden
San Antonio Botanical Garden
- *San Antonio Museum of Art
- *San Antonio Zoo
- *Witte Museum



- Route 42** – to
San Antonio Historic Missions

- Route 64** – to
Sea World of Texas

- Route 94** – to
Six Flags Fiesta Texas

Pick up individual route schedules at the downtown VIA Information Center, on the bus, or online at viainfo.net.
*VIA Day Passes can be purchased at these locations.



For more information, visit the
VIA Downtown Information Center
211 W. Commerce St.
(210) 362-2020 | www.viainfo.net



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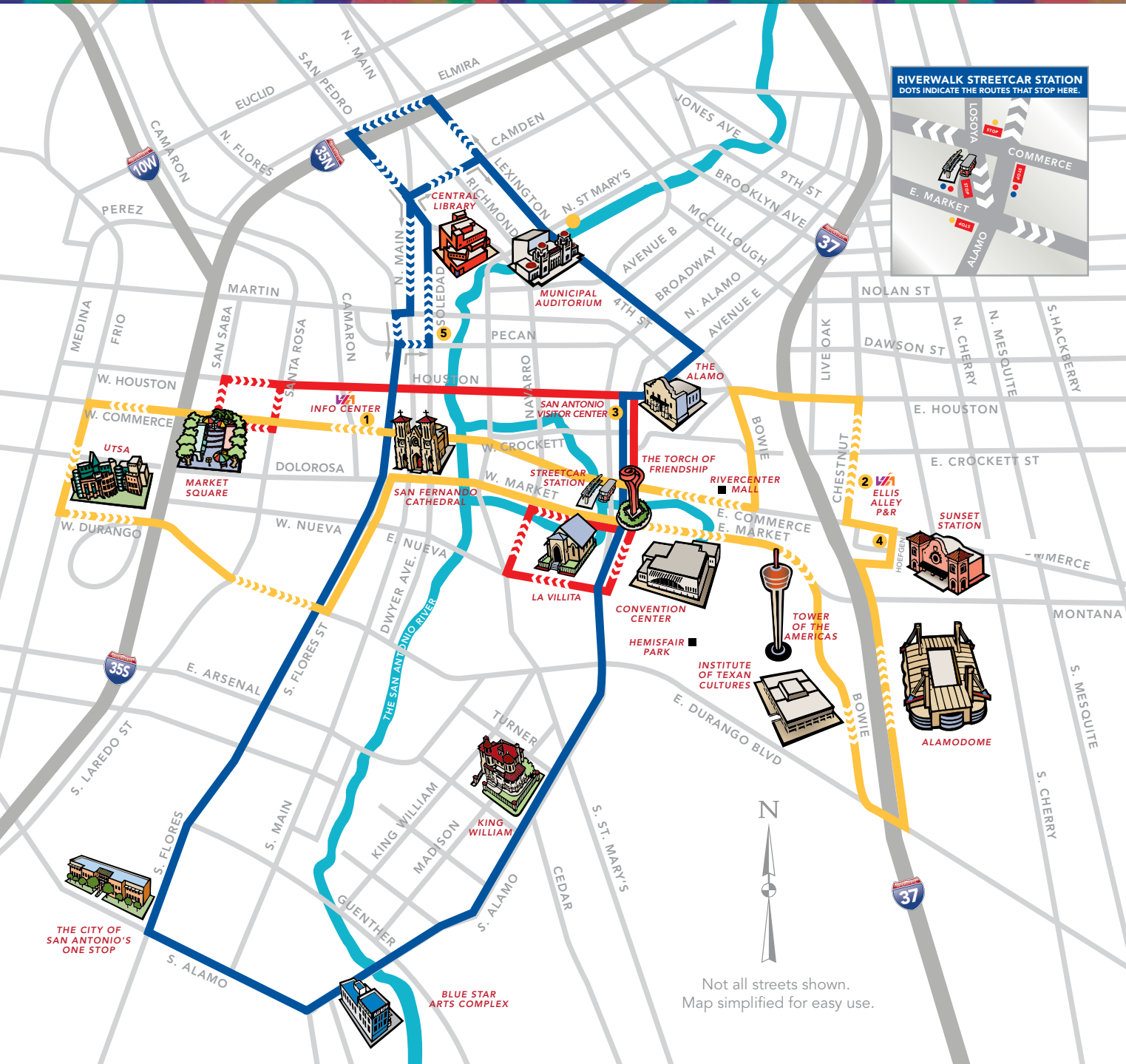
It's thrifty.

Just \$1.10 a ride, with discounts for seniors, children, the mobility impaired and Medicare recipients with VIA Reduced Fare ID. Pay by cash or ride all you want with a VIA Day Pass or monthly Big Pass.





STREETCAR ROUTE MAP



PAY AS YOU GO. \$1.30 PER RIDE.
 Or just half that (\$.65) for seniors and students with a VIA Reduced Fare ID, and children 5-11. Children 4 and under ride free. Please have correct fare ready. Change is not available on the streetcars.

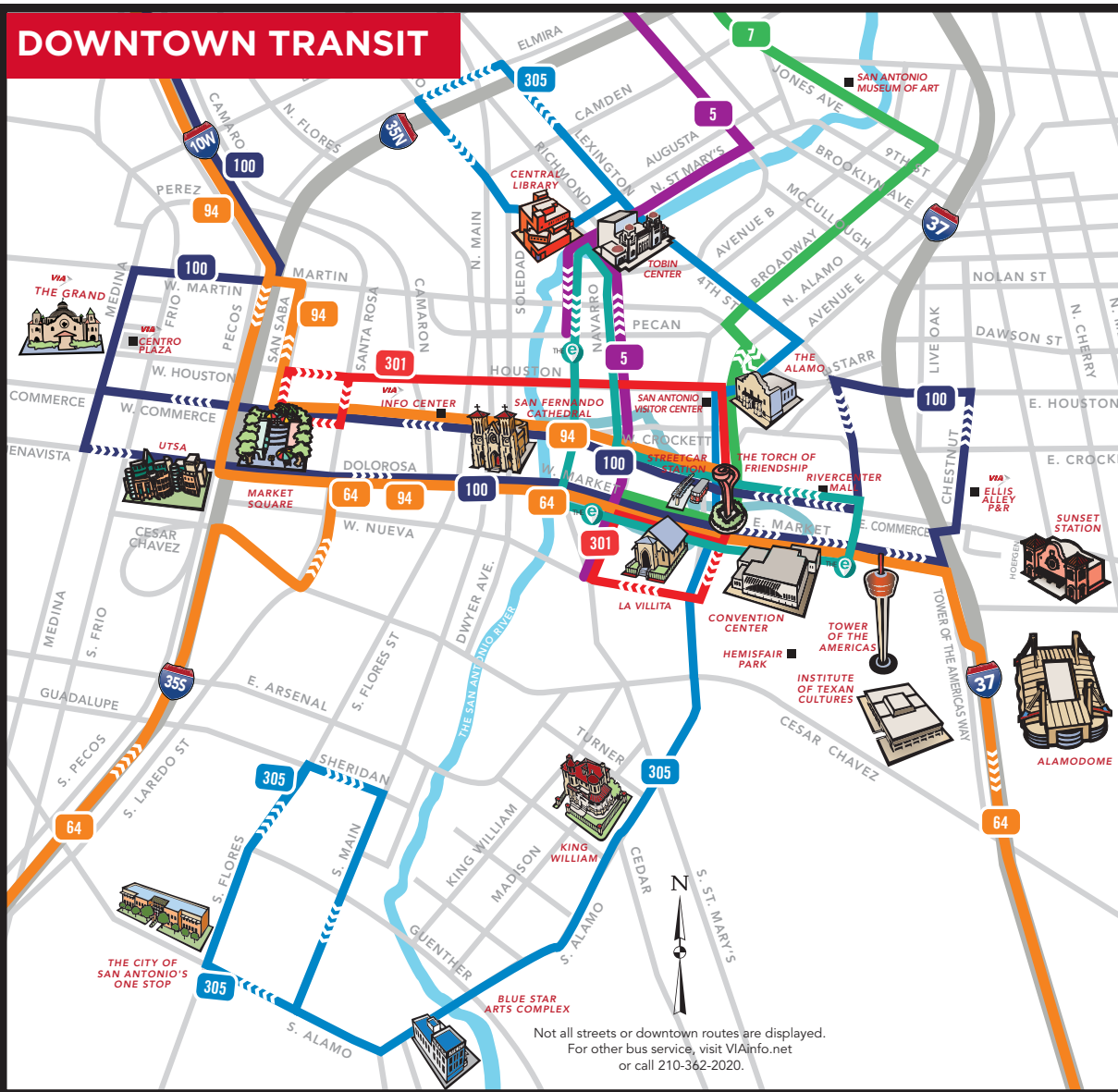
OR GET A \$2.75 DAT PASS AND GET ON WITH IT.
 Plan to go lots of places? Buy a VIA Day Pass for only \$2.75 - then hop on and off streetcars or buses all yo9u want, all day long. Simply pick up your Day Pass in advance online or at any of these locations:

- 1 VIA Downtown Information Center - 211 W. Commerce
 - 2 VIA Ellis Alley Park & Ride - 212 Chestnut
 - 3 San Antonio Visitor Center - 317 Alamo Plaza
 - 4 Staybridge Suites San Antonio Sunset Station - 123 Hoefgen Ave
 - 5 Crowne Plaza Hotel Riverwalk - 111 Pecan Street East
 - 6 El Tropicano Riverwalk Hotel - 110 Lexington Ave
- Online at viainfo.net
 List subject to change.

\$1.30 FARE | \$.65 WITH VIA REDUCED FARE ID | \$.15 TRANSFER
\$38 MONTHLY PASS | \$2.75 DAY PASS

RED	YELLOW	BLUE
7:00am - 10:30pm (Sat & Sun 9:00am - 10:30pm)	7:00am - 12:30am (Sat & Sun 9:00am - 12:30am)	7:00am - 9:00pm (Sat & Sun 9:00am - 9:00pm)
HemisFair Park	Ellis Alley Park & Ride	King William
La Villita	Sunset Station	Blue Star Arts Complex
The Alamo	Alamodome	Convention Center
San Antonio Visitor Center	Rivercenter Mall	The Alamo
Convention Center	Convention Center	Municipal Auditorium
Market Square	UTSA	Central Library
Rivercenter Mall	Institute of Texan Cultures	Southtown
	Market Square	HemisFair Park
		La Villita
		Rivercenter Mall
		San Antonio Visitor Center

DOWNTOWN TRANSIT



FARE	\$1.30
EXPRESS	\$2.60
TRANSFER	\$.15
31-DAY PASS	\$38
7-DAY PASS	\$12
DAY PASS	\$2.75
<small>(AVAILABLE ON THE BUS)</small>	

REDUCED FARES
ARE AVAILABLE
FOR RIDERS WITH
A VIA REDUCED
FARE I.D.









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**To plan your
trip on VIA,
use our online
trip planner or go to
Google and get
directions by
transit.**

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	RED (301) CIRCULATOR	7:00am - 10:30pm (Sat. & Sun. 9:00am - 10:30pm)	HemisFair Park, La Villita, The Alamo, San Antonio Visitor Center, Convention Center, Market Square, Rivercenter Mall
	BLUE (305) CIRCULATOR	7:00am - 9:00pm (Sat. & Sun. 9:00am - 9:00pm)	King William, Blue Star Art Complex, Convention Center, The Alamo, Tobin Center, Central Library, Southtown, HemisFair Park, La Villita, Rivercenter Mall, San Antonio Visitor Center
	THE E	6:00pm - midnight Tuesday - Saturday	Tobin Center, Majestic Theater, Empire Theater, Aztec, Rivercenter Mall, Convention Center
	5 MCCULLOUGH	5:30am - 10:00pm everyday	San Antonio International Airport
	7 SIGHTSEER SPECIAL	7:00am - 7:00pm everyday	San Antonio Children's Museum, San Antonio Museum of Art, Brackenridge Park, San Antonio Zoo, Witte Museum, Botanical Garden
	64 US 90 EXPRESS	8:00am - 10:00pm everyday	Sea World of Texas
	94 IH-10 EXPRESS	6:00am - 11:00pm everyday	Fiesta Texas
	100 PRIMO	4:00am - 1:00am everyday	UTSA, Market Square, San Fernando Cathedral, Convention Center, Rivercenter Mall

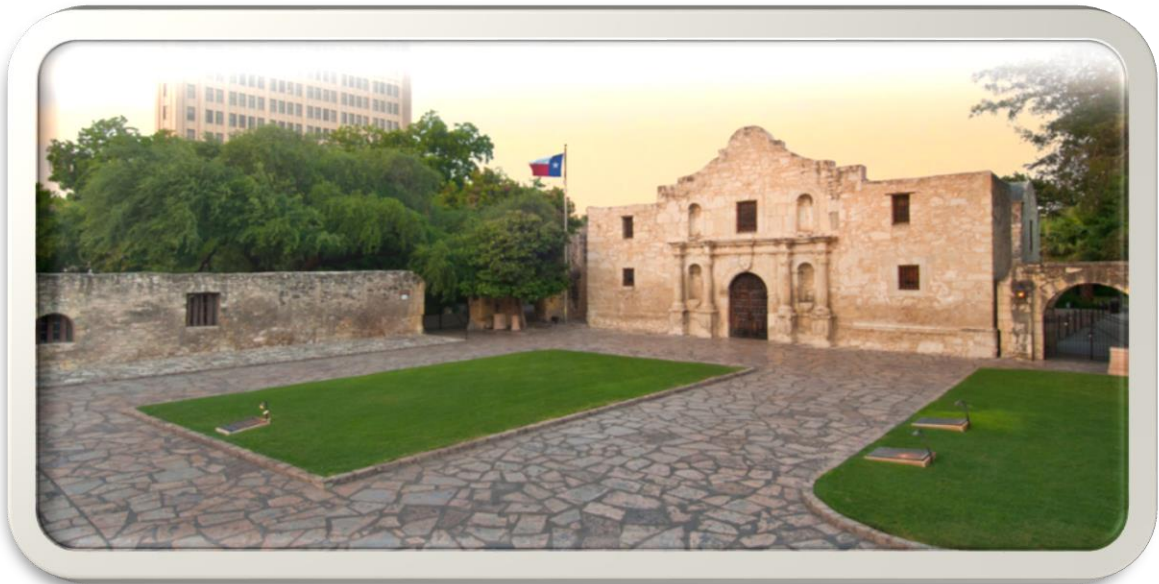
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or call 210-362-2020.



**San Fernando Cathedral –
Oldest Cathedral in the United States**



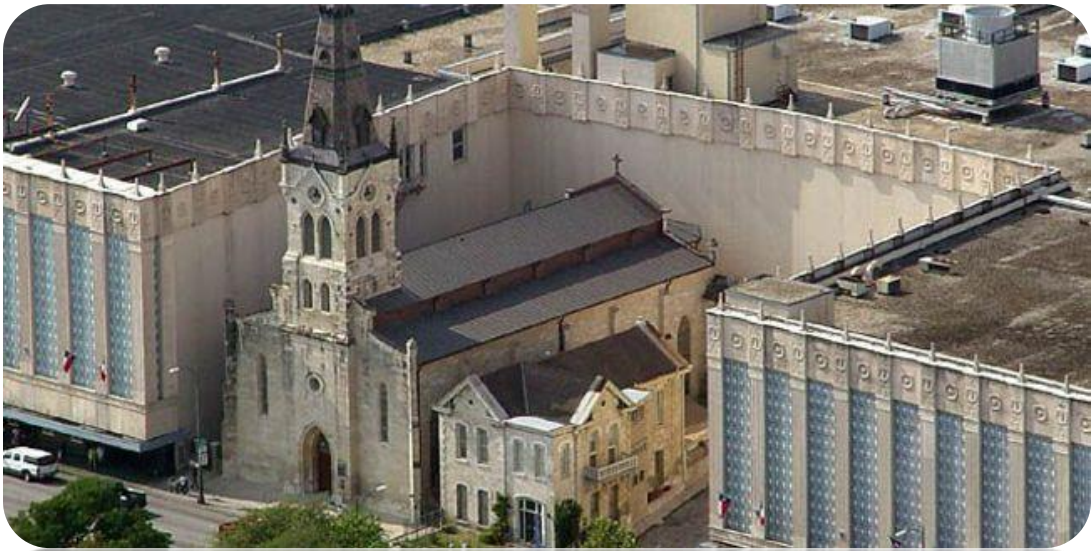
Tower of the Americas



The Alamo – The Cradle of Texas Liberty



Spanish Governor's Palace



St Joseph's Catholic Church – One of the Oldest German Churches in Texas



The Lagoon – Shops at Rivercenter



Folkloric Dancers at El Mercado – The Famous Mexican Market



Bexar County Courthouse – 4th. Largest County in Texas and 17th. Largest County in the Nation with a population approaching two Million



IMAX Theatre

ALAMO – The Price Of Freedom

