

AFTON EXPRESS



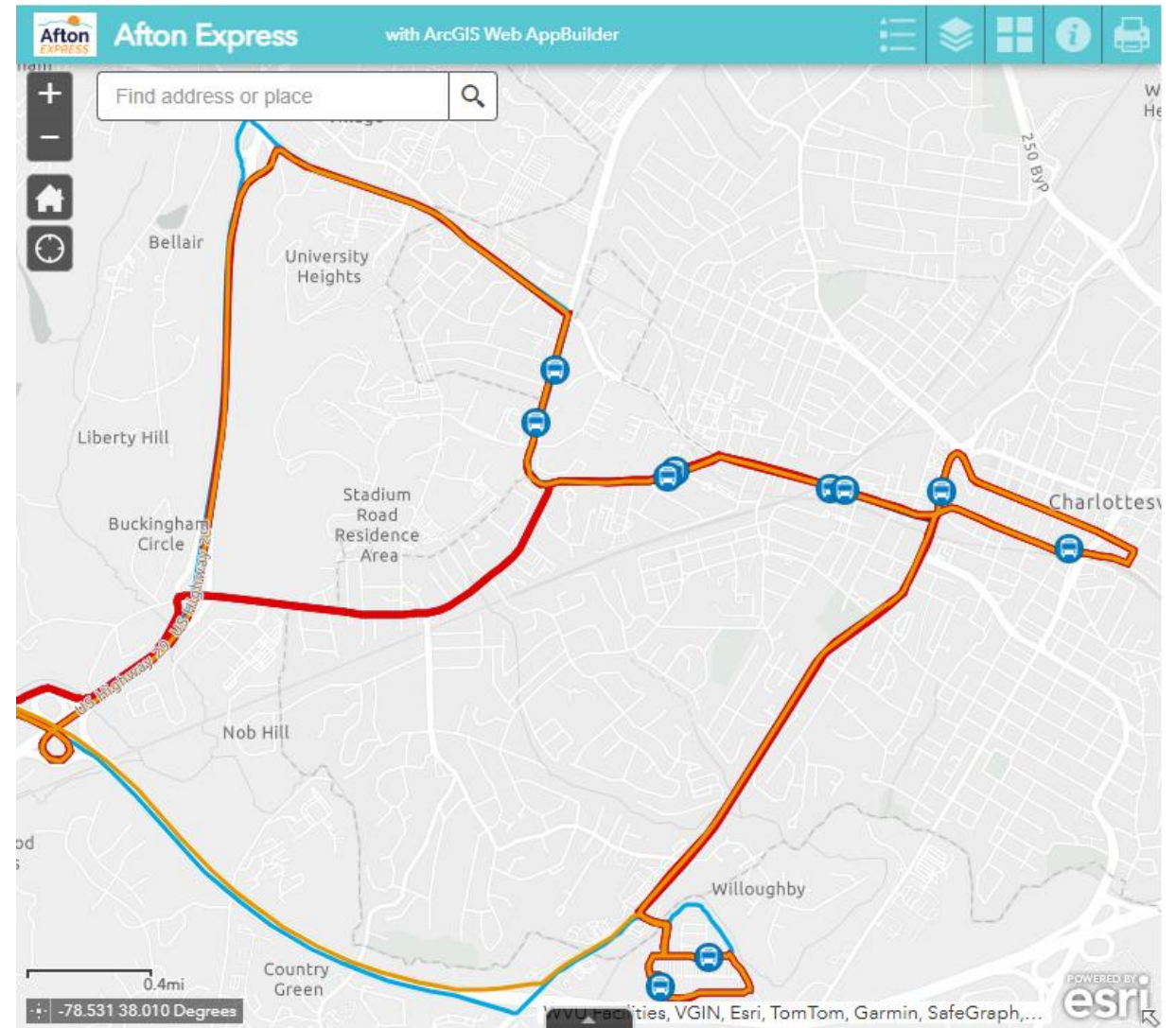
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- Local Partners
 - Albemarle County
 - Augusta County
 - City of Charlottesville
 - City of Staunton
 - City of Waynesboro
 - University of Virginia
- Demonstration Funding (DRPT) to 5311 Rural Transit Program Funding with Transit Ridership Incentive Program (TRIP) funding assistance



ROUTES & STOPS

- Staunton Crossing Park & Ride Lot
- Augusta Health
- Waynesboro Park & Ride Lot
- University of Virginia – Bavaro Hall
- University of Virginia – Hospital Complex
- Fontaine Research Park (UVA)
- West Main Street & Amtrak
- Charlottesville Downtown Transit Center
- OMNI Hotel & Downtown Mall
- Wegmans & 5th Street Station

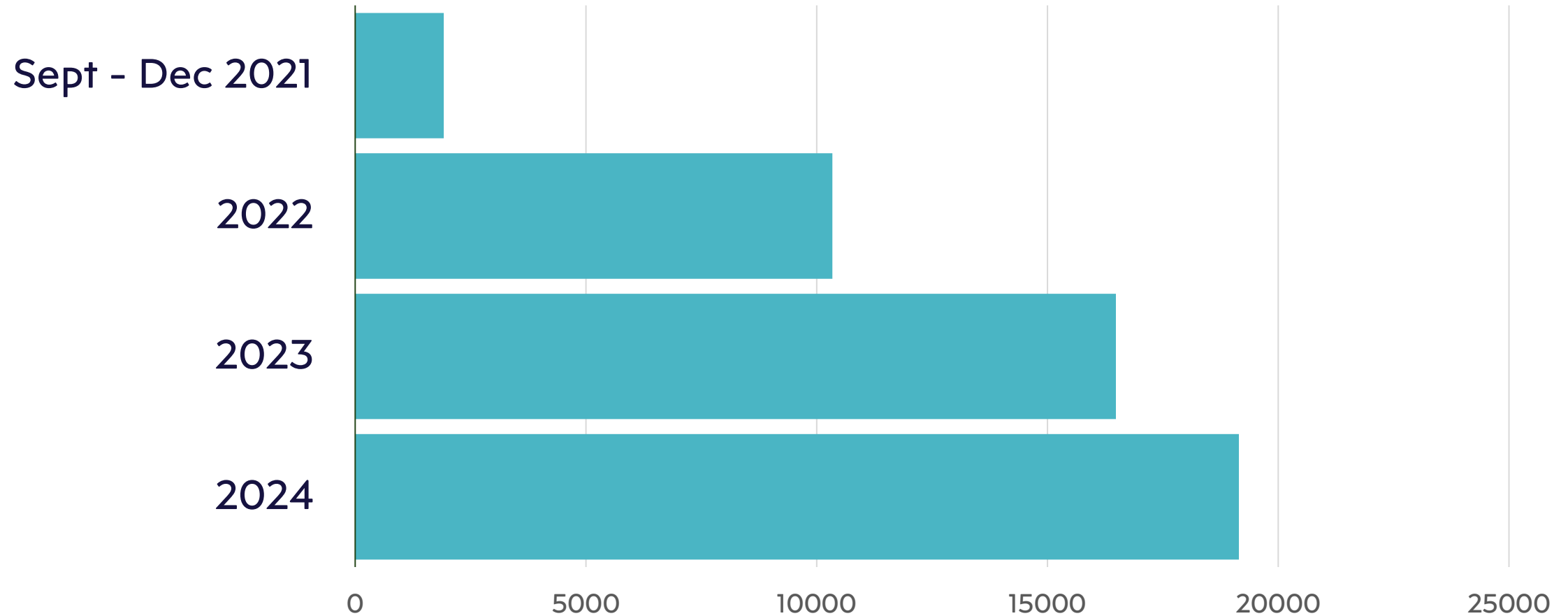


OUR DRIVE. YOUR DESTINATION.



RIDERSHIP TRENDS

Total Passenger Trips



HIGHLIGHTS

- New Wahoo Commute Program
 - Free Rides for UVA-Affiliates
- Relocated Stops
 - Staunton
 - Fishersville
- Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS) Improvements
 - Mobile Data Collection System



LOOKING AHEAD

EXPANDED SERVICE

- Afton Express schedule technical assistance
- Serve most popular arrival/departure times
- Full utilization of all buses to optimize ridership

CROZET PARK & RIDE LOT STOP

- Crozet Park & Ride Lot to be constructed off I-64 Exit 107
- Coordinating with Albemarle County and JAUNT on how best to serve the P&R lot

EXPANDED MARKETING

- FY26 DRPT Commuter Assistance Project Grant – Transit Marketing
- Digital ads & television ads, photography, ad design





“I love how I don’t have to pay attention during my commute and can do things that I would prefer to do with my time...I also love the bus drivers! They are so kind and being greeted with a smiling face first thing in the morning is a pleasure.”



“I love being able to get off the bus [and be] a five-minute walk from my office. No parking, no long walk once I arrive on Grounds, just get off and go.”



THANK YOU

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