



# Try-TCaT Application



Tulare County Area Transit (TCaT) has established the Try-TCaT New Rider Discount Program, which offers discounted transit passes to new transit riders living in unincorporated areas of Tulare County. The discount is available for either the T-Pass, which is valid on transit systems in Tulare County (DART, Visalia Transit, TIME, Porterville Transit, and TCaT) or the TCaT-only Monthly Pass.

To qualify for the discounted rate, you must meet the following criteria:\*

- You must be a new rider to the TCaT system, which means:
  - You have not previously purchased a T-Pass or TCaT-only Pass; and
  - You have not ridden the bus more than 12 times in the last 12 months.
- You must provide proof of residency in an unincorporated area in Tulare County (valid Driver's License/State ID, utility bill, or other valid identification) to the Tulare County Resource Management Agency at 5961 S. Mooney Blvd., Visalia, California.

If approved, you will receive vouchers to purchase up to six (6) months of discounted transit passes. The T-Pass, normally sold for \$50, will be available for \$10. The TCaT-only Monthly Pass, normally sold for \$40, will be available for \$5. Vouchers may only be redeemed at the Tulare County Resource Management Agency at 5961 S. Mooney Blvd., Visalia, California.

To apply, fill out the form below (also available online at [www.ridetcat.org](http://www.ridetcat.org)):

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address, City, State, Zip Code (Physical Address) \_\_\_\_\_  
Birth Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address, City, State, Zip Code (Mailing Address, if different from above) \_\_\_\_\_  
Primary Phone Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email address \_\_\_\_\_  
Alternate Phone Number

**Preferred Method of Contact:**     Phone                       Email                       Mail

**Please indicate primary use for the transit pass:**

- |                                       |                                  |                                      |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commute/Work | <input type="checkbox"/> School  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Personal     | <input type="checkbox"/> Medical |                                      |

**I hereby certify that:**

- I have not previously purchased a T-Pass or TCaT-only pass.
- I have not ridden the bus more than 12 times in the last 12 months.
- The information provided in this application is correct.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\*Certification is required and can take up to two weeks to verify. Discounted passes are grant-funded, so this offer is only available while funding lasts. Some restrictions may apply. For any questions, please call 559-624-7000 or email Rosa Sanchez at [RSanchez2@co.tulare.ca.us](mailto:RSanchez2@co.tulare.ca.us).

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For Tulare County Area Transit Use Only:

Approved By: \_\_\_\_\_ Rider ID#: \_\_\_\_\_ Proof of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_