

Charlottesville-Albemarle Peer Cities (Transit)

City	Weather	University	Population	Multiple Governments	Highlight
Missoula, MT	Cold/Snow	Yes	Half of Cville Metro	Multiple Cities	Partnering with local businesses and organizations to provide zero-fare busses, which had lead to massive increases in ridership
Santa Barbara, CA	More Temperate	Yes, less influential	2x Cville Metro	Multiple Cities	Easily Accessible Employee Pay Database
Santa Cruz, CA	More Temperate	Yes	Similar to Cville	Multiple cities	Easily Accessible Employee Pay Database
Urbana-Champaign, IL	Similar	Yes	Identical to Cville	Multiple Cities	Returning from COVID fare-free service to regular fares. Also, having all staff trained to drive and picking up shifts.
Burlington, VT	Colder	Yes, less influential	Identical to Cville	Multiple Cities	Combining school bus and transit service being explored in rural suburbs
Ann Arbor, MI	Colder	Yes	Similar to Cville	Multiple Cities	City council recently approved new zoning ordinances aimed at encouraging TOD's
Fargo, ND	Colder	Yes	Similar to Cville	Multiple States/Counties /Cities	Ride share for college students after the transit services shut down for the night.
Duluth, MN	Colder	No	Similar to Cville	Multiple States/Counties /Cities	Has faced issues with electric busses in cold weather and diverse terrain environments
Lansing, MI	Colder	Yes	2x Cville Metro	Multiple Cities	CATA also operates as Michigan State University's transit service and has dedicated routes – example of integrated city-university service
Lynchburg, VA	Similar	Yes	Similar to Cville	Multiple Cities	GLTC has multiple options for a single route that run in opposite directions