

## CHAPTER 20 – CHARTER RATES

20.05 **Charter Service.** Charter service shall be incidental to, and shall not interfere with, regularly scheduled mass transportation service and shall be in compliance with applicable state and federal law and regulations.

20.10 **Light Rail Charter Rates.** Light Rail Vehicle Charter Rates shall be as follows:

- \$148 per hour for one-car train
- \$237 per hour for two-car train
- \$40 cleaning fee per car if food or drink is consumed on board, or if extensive decorations are involved
- \$200 minimum charge

*(20.10 amended by Ordinance No. 173)*

20.15 **Bus Charter Rates.** Regular bus charter rates shall be as follows:

- \$81 per hour
- \$135 minimum charge

*(20.15 amended by Ordinance No. 173)*

20.20 **Charter Service Policy.** The following Statement of TriMet Charter Service Policy is hereby adopted to comply with the Charter Regulations of the Urban Mass Transportation Administration, 49 CFR, Part 604 (1982):

- A. TriMet shall provide charter service for the people of the TriMet District only as authorized by state and federal law and regulation.
- B. TriMet shall not provide charter service outside the TriMet District.
- C. TriMet's primary function is to provide regularly scheduled mass transportation service. Charter service shall be incidental to the mass transportation service and shall be provided only during times of the day when vehicles are not needed for regularly scheduled service during peak hours, or where the charter is used for less than a total of six (6) hours in any one weekday.
- D. TriMet charter service shall be considered supplementary to that of private bus operators for meeting the charter service needs of the District.
- E. In establishing rates for charter service, TriMet shall comply with federal regulations for charter service. The rates shall be reviewed annually. The annual revenues generated by charter bus operations shall equal or exceed the annual cost of providing charter bus operations.
- F. This statement of charter policy supersedes all prior charter policy statements.