



Transit Solutions

Office of the Vice President External Affairs

U-Pass Background

- Program between 10 Post-Secondary Institutions in the Lower Mainland
- Overseen by U-Pass Advisory Committee (UAC)
- Subsidized Public Transit for Post Secondary Students



U-Pass Suspension

- April 1st - August 31st
- Low ridership due to COVID-19
- Majority of classes delivered remotely



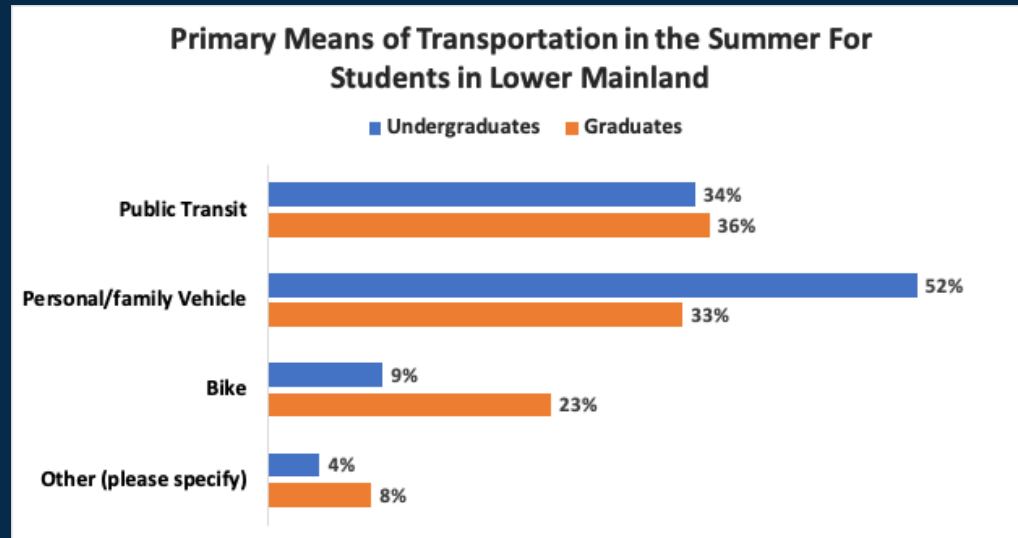
Future of U-Pass

- U-Pass automatically reinstated on September 1st
- All eligible students assessed U-Pass Fee
- Ongoing conversations with the UAC



Transit during the Summer

- Student reliance on transit during July & August
- Backed by COVID-19 Survey Results





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AMS Transit Subsidy Form

- July - August
- Estimated cost: \$1.2 million
- Estimated number of students served: 7,999
 - Supporting students that rely on public transit as primary means of transport



GSS
UBC VANCOUVER

<i>Estimate number of students to receive subsidy</i>	<i>Avg. Subsidy per student</i>	<i>Amount Students Pay</i>	<i>Cost for July/Aug Transit Subsidy</i>
4,864 Undergraduates (34%)	\$77.50	\$42.50	\$ 753,920
3,135 Graduates (36%)	\$77.50	\$42.50	\$ 485,925
7,999 Total Students	\$77.50	\$42.50	\$1,239,845

AMS Transit Subsidy Form

- AMS Website: <https://www.ams.ubc.ca/transit-subsidy-form-2020/>
- Social Media Campaign: in progress
 - Working with UBC, GSS, and other partners
 - Instagram and Facebook promotion



Questions?