

495 EXPRESS LANES

IT'S TIME TO CHANGE LANES

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- » High occupancy or toll (HOT) lanes that will provide more direct options
- » Four new lanes on the Virginia side of the Capital Beltway
- » New access points
- » Introduction of carpooling opportunities and reliable bus service on I-495
- » Dynamic pricing to maintain highway speeds
- » Expected to open late 2012



Express Lanes allow you to take control of your valuable time.

Partnership Delivers Benefits



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» Public-Private Partnership:

- 495 Express Lanes are the product of a public-private partnership between the Virginia Department of Transportation, the Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation, Federal Highway Administration and Transurban-Fluor

» Who's Who:

- Transurban will operate and provide routine maintenance for the lanes
- VDOT will continue to own and oversee the road



Express Lanes Simulation



Accessing the Express Lanes

- » Can enter just north of the Dulles Toll Road and just south of Braddock Road
- » Not available from every Beltway entry/exit
- » Entry and exit points to and from highways and major side routes



 NORTHBOUND EXPRESS
ENTRY

 SOUTHBOUND EXPRESS
ENTRY

 NORTHBOUND EXPRESS
EXIT

 SOUTHBOUND EXPRESS
EXIT

Providing a Predictable Trip

- » Pricing signage in advance of all entrances
- » Toll rates adjust to keep lanes free flowing
- » Toll equipment will identify total trip distance, charging one toll
- » Sensors monitor traffic 24/7 and system adjusts toll prices as necessary
- » Mandatory E-ZPass: all-electronic with no toll booths or options to pay cash

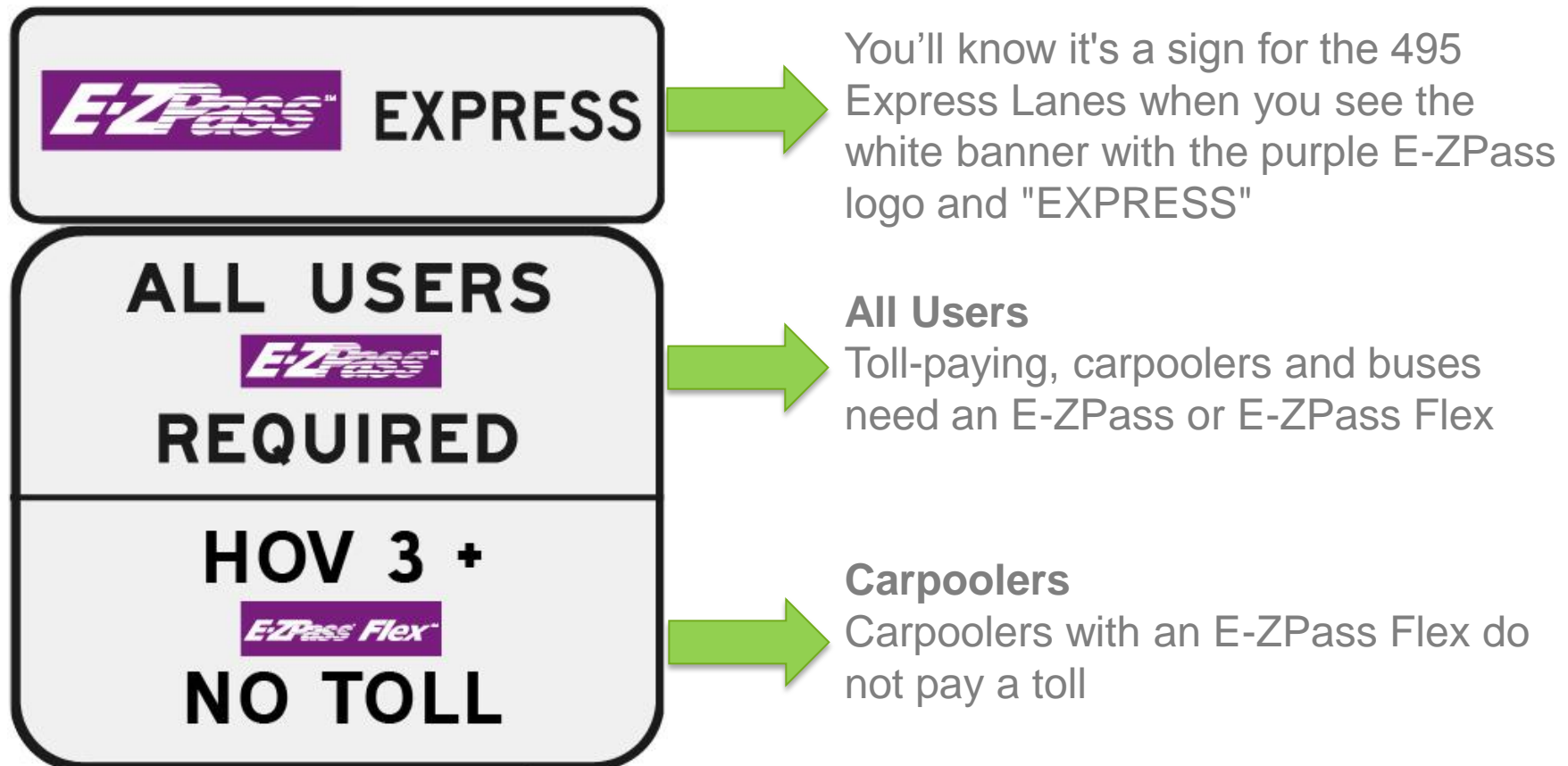


Pricing signage will show the total price to three destinations



New Road, New Signs

- » New signage will guide you to the lanes, explain the rules of the road and display current pricing.



Providing a Predictable Trip

- » Toll rates adjust based on levels of traffic – keeping the lanes free flowing and getting you to your destination on time



E-ZPass EXPRESS	
INTERSTATE 495 SOUTH	
Westpark	\$1.00
I-66	\$2.00
I-395/I-95	\$3.00
1 MILE	

The first two exits and prices will show the cost to travel to two popular destinations from your entry point

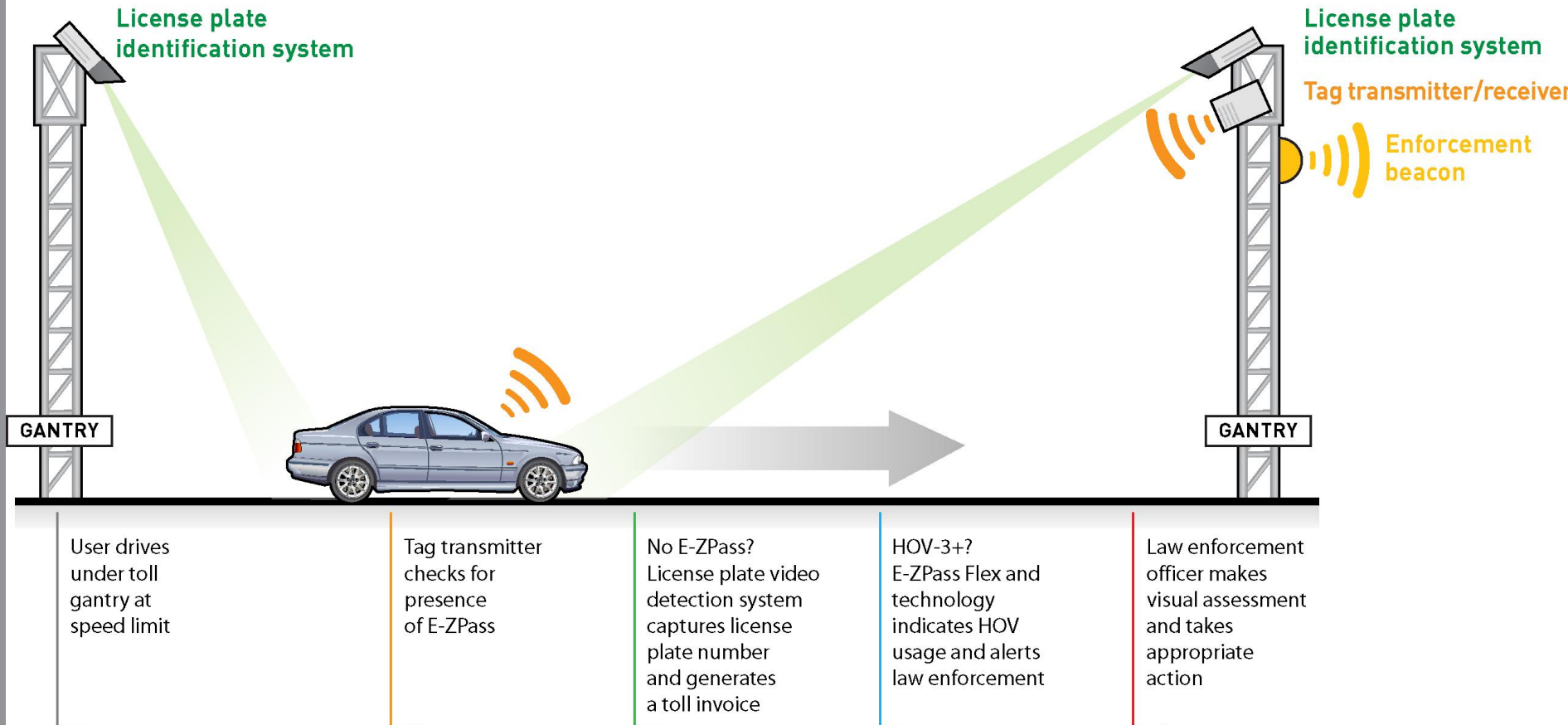
The final exit and price you see will show the cost to travel to the furthest point you can go in the Express Lanes from that entry point

HOV-3+ Travel Toll-Free



- HOV-3+ qualifies for toll-free travel
- Carpools and vanpools will need new E-ZPass Flex
- E-ZPass Flex operates as standard E-ZPass on all other toll roads

Enforcement of the Lanes



Staying Safe



Keep new traffic patterns in mind



Safety service patrol available to assist you



Pull to the left in an emergency



Avoid distractions



Mind the barrier



State Police will patrol and enforce HOV rules

Getting an E-ZPass



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- » Get your E-ZPass today
 - Available at the Herndon customer service center, the DMV in Tysons, select Giant and Wegmans grocery stores and AAA Mid-Atlantic locations
- » Getting an E-ZPass is “EZ” and quick online:
 - Virginia: www.ezpassva.com

Get one toll-free week



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A promotional banner with a blue background featuring a white road line. The text 'Make punctuality reality.' is in large white font. Below it, smaller white text says: 'Now through October 31st, register for a Virginia E-ZPass* or E-ZPass* FlexSM and get a toll-free week on the Express Lanes. That's one full week to enjoy a faster ride on us.' At the bottom left is a green bar with '495ExpressLanes.com' in white. Next to it is the 'E-ZPass' logo. On the right is the '495 ExpressLanes' logo. Fine print at the bottom right reads: 'Void outside DC and select counties in MD and VA, and where prohibited. Ends 10/31/12. Free weeks and full details at 495ExpressLanes.com/offer'.

- » Open a new Virginia E-ZPass or E-ZPass Flex account in October and get one week of toll-free travel on the 495 Express Lanes
- » Visit 495ExpressLanes.com/offer for more information

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- » Tools such as maps, trip planners, FAQs, how to use the lanes, understanding signage and pricing
- » Ability to sign up for alerts and customized information

A screenshot of the 495ExpressLanes.com website. The header includes the 495 ExpressLanes logo, navigation links (CONTACT US, FORWARD THIS PAGE, SIGN UP NOW), and social media links (Follow Us: Facebook, Twitter, Share). Below the header is a main navigation bar with links: DRIVING EXPRESS LANES, YOUR TRAVEL OPTIONS, ABOUT, and a SIGN IN HERE section with fields for Email Address and Password. The main content area features a large image of a highway with a "What Are ExpressLanes?" section. This section includes a video player with a "MORE VIDEOS" button and text explaining that the 495 Express Lanes, opening on the Virginia side of the Capital Beltway, will provide faster, more direct options for high-occupancy vehicles and toll-paying customers. It also mentions that there will be two new high occupancy toll (HOT) lanes in each direction, from the Springfield Interchange to just north of the Dulles Toll Road. A "Discover a Faster Route" link is provided. To the right of the main content is a sidebar with three sections: "Your New Shortcut", "Your Next Step", and "Take Control of Your Commute". Below the main content area is a "ExpressNews" section with four articles: "Orange Cones. No Phones.", "Building New Travel Choices on 495", "Highlights of Project Construction", and "Express Lanes in the Community". Each article has a small image and a brief description. The footer of the website displays the URL "495ExpressLanes.com" in a large blue box.

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