East/Main Campus
Parking Adjustments during Construction for the new Student Union and Parking Deck

MAP KEY
- Construction Zone and parking lots impacted by the construction. 180 +/- A1 customers displaced
- Current A1 zone spaces available - 142
- Convert to A1 zone spaces - 143
- Convert to Service/Maintenance Vehicles only
- Blue Light phone and camera added

80 +/- spaces typically available

62 +/- spaces typically available

143 B1 spaces converted to A1

180 +/- A1 spaces vehicles displaced (400 Spaces)
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Map
- The **red** outline on map denotes the construction zone where fencing will be present
- The **blue** ovals represent available areas for A1 permit parking
- The **yellow/black** lined areas are parking lots that will not be accessible due to construction

Parking Information
- 400 parking spaces south of Mendenhall and Joyner Library will be lost ○ Approximately 140 “A” zone spaces are typically vacant on the northern and eastern portions of the core campus.
- In recent years, ECU Parking restricted “A” permit sales to prepare for construction plan
- The “B” permit lot at 9th and Cotanche (Old Hardees lot) and several smaller, adjacent lots will be converted to “A” zone lots
- The large “B” lot at 9th and Evans (Old Szechuan lot) is being redesigned to maximize efficiency and is expected to accommodate all “B” permit holders being displaced from the 9th and Cotanche lots ○ The redesign includes the installation of cameras, bluelight emergency phones, signage and improved lighting in this area from Cotanche to Evans Streets.
  ○ There will also be additional ECU Police patrols and SafeRide in this area
  ○ Parking staff will monitor lots to assist permit holders and determine if modifications are necessary to improve parking.
- The “A” zone and “B” zone spaces will not be available to other permit holders from 7am-7pm
- For all other permits, access to the core campus will be available through ECU Transit
- Students should utilize ECU Transit if available at their off-campus apartment or park at Minges to pick up transit
- Once the parking deck is completed and open for business, parking availability will be similar to the current Mendenhall Student Center plan with 24/7 deck permits for faculty and staff, hourly parking available 24/7 and evening parking available to students with parking permits.
- Guests and Visitors will need to purchase a permit to park in the Stratford Arms lot off Charles Blvd and ride the bus into campus. Information on permit purchases can be found on the parking website ([www.ecu.edu/parking](http://www.ecu.edu/parking)) or by calling the parking office at 328-6294.
**ECU Transit Routes providing additional service to support Main Campus Student Center Construction**

**Transit changes:** increased routes ([click here for detailed information about the routes below](#))

**Route 301 Gold** – new route path serving College Hill, Carol Belk, Minges from West End, two buses 7a to 6:30p with bus every 15 minutes (served by 850 Pirate Ride after 6:30p)

**Route 304 Campus Shuttle** – added bus stops at Cotanche & 9th St and Evans & 9th St parking lots, 7a to 6:30p with bus every 30 minutes (served by SafeRide after 6:30p)

**Route 305 West End Express** – new express route from Minges to West End, 3:45p to 6:30p with a bus every 15 minutes to target students/staff that were parking behind MSC at 4pm

**Route 610 Minges** – express park & ride from Minges parking lots to Christenbury (removed Joyner Library stop), 7a to 7p (served by 850 Pirate Ride after 7p)

**Route 850 Pirate Ride** – buses every 15 minutes: Monday - Friday 6:20pm – 12:20am; bus every 30 minutes: Thursday - Friday 12:20am - 2:20am, Saturday 1:20pm - 2:20am, Sunday 1:20pm – 12:20am

**SafeRide Changes:**
Increased marketing and awareness efforts to provide trips for parking customers who may be using another parking area during this construction project. SafeRide is using additional vehicles in service to handle increased demand. In partnership with Transit, Parking is providing partial operating funds.

**Pirate Access (New ADA and Temporary Impairment Point-to-Point Service):**
New point-to-point service available to registered users started in January 2016 to increase mobility and access for all ADA customers as well as customers with a temporary impairment which challenges mobility around campus. All rides are scheduled in advance with ECU Transit. Two new low-floor, ramp equipped, mini buses were purchased for this service with funding partnerships from SGA ($60,000) and Parking ($125,000) with Transit paying ($100,000). In partnership with Transit, Parking is providing partial operating funds.

**University Open, No Classes**
Beginning in January 2016, ECU Transit operates a limited service on days in which the University is open but classes are not in session. Routes 301 Gold and 304 Campus Shuttle operate 7a to 6:30p serving adjacent parking lots as well as Minges and Carol Belk. Pirate Access is also available 7a to 6:30p. In partnership with Transit, Parking is providing partial operating funds.