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## ENVIRONMENTAL TIPS FOR CUPE BC CONVENTION

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In the spirit of being more eco-friendly at our conventions, the CUPE BC Environment Committee would like to offer the following tips for you:

- 🍃 Bring your own water bottle (aluminum or stainless-steel)
- 🍃 Bring your own reusable bag
- 🍃 Bring your own reusable utensils
- 🍃 Shop local
- 🍃 Walk, cycle, or use Public Transportation
- 🍃 Use the Transit App – [transitapp.com](https://transitapp.com)
- 🍃 Join a carpool or volunteer to carpool by emailing [events@cupe.bc.ca](mailto:events@cupe.bc.ca)
- 🍃 Consider restaurant options within walking distance in lieu of driving
- 🍃 Reduce paper waste and attend Convention with your preferred device to view convention documents electronically
- 🍃 Place all waste in designated receptacles, with a view to minimizing non-recyclables
- 🍃 Keep hotel room lights, AC, and/or heat to a minimum. Ensure all lights and water taps are turned off when leaving.
- 🍃 Use social media to promote eco-friendly actions and initiatives during and outside of Convention

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## PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS

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### FROM VANCOUVER INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (YVR) TO THE WESTIN BAYSHORE

#### Skytrain & Bus (43 minutes travel time)

- Board the Canada Line Skytrain at YVR and disembark at “Vancouver City Centre” Station.
- Exit Vancouver City Centre Station and catch the 250 Bus (Westbound) to West Georgia St @ Cardero St
- Walk 4 minutes to arrive at your destination

## FROM BC FERRIES (TSAWWASSEN TERMINAL) TO THE WESTIN BAYSHORE

### Public Bus Transport (1 h 25 minutes travel time)

- From the ferry terminal, board Bus #620 Bridgeport Express and disembark at Bridgeport Skytrain Station
- From Bridgeport Station, board the Canada Line Skytrain and disembark at “Vancouver City Centre” Station.
- Exit Vancouver City Centre Station and catch the 250 Bus (Westbound) to West Georgia St @ Cardero St
- Walk 4 minutes to arrive at your destination.

**BC Ferries Connector** also offers **Coach Bus Service** from Victoria to Vancouver. To book your trip, please visit [bcconnector.com](http://bcconnector.com) to view schedule options.

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## FROM BC FERRIES (HORSESHOE BAY TERMINAL) TO THE WESTIN BAYSHORE

### Public Bus Transport (45 minutes travel time)

- Board the Vancouver Express Bus #257 at the Horseshoe Bay Terminus
- Disembark at West Georgia St @ Denman St
- Walk 6 minutes to arrive at your destination.

**Next Bus Info** – Download the [TransLink Next Bus mobile app](#) for skytrain/bus departures in real-time.

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## PEDESTRIAN & BIKE ROUTES

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Please also visit the City of Vancouver website to view maps of pedestrian and bike routes in the Metro Vancouver region.

<https://vancouver.ca/streets-transportation/walk-bike-and-transit.aspx>