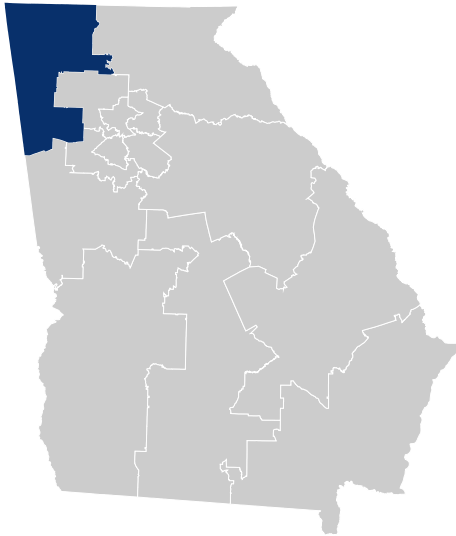


# The 14th US Congressional District

## District information



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### Counties

US Congressional District 14 contains some or all of the following counties: Dade, Catoosa, Floyd, Walker, Chattooga, Pickens, Murray, Gordon, Polk, Haralson, Whitfield, and Paulding.

### District

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## Who lives in the 14th US Congressional District?

More and more travellers are choosing transit. Millennials in particular are opting for transit passes instead of driver's licenses. According to the [Who's On Board: 2014 Mobility Attitudes Survey](#), in the South alone **20% of people under 30 use transit at least once a week and 11% use it to commute at least 3-4 times per week.**

Still, some ride transit not because of its conveniences, but because it's the only way they can get around. Aging adults or persons with disabilities, those who cannot afford the costs of car ownership, and veterans that need transport to medical appointments all depend daily on their local transit systems.

Total population	692,831
Millenials	185,626 (27%)
65 years or older	85,400 (12%)
Veterans	44,564 (6%)
Below poverty line	122,327 (18%)
Living with a disability	35,114 (5%)
Less than one car per worker	12,417 households (5%)

Source: American Community Survey 2013 5-year estimates

## What transit providers operate in the 14th US Congressional District?

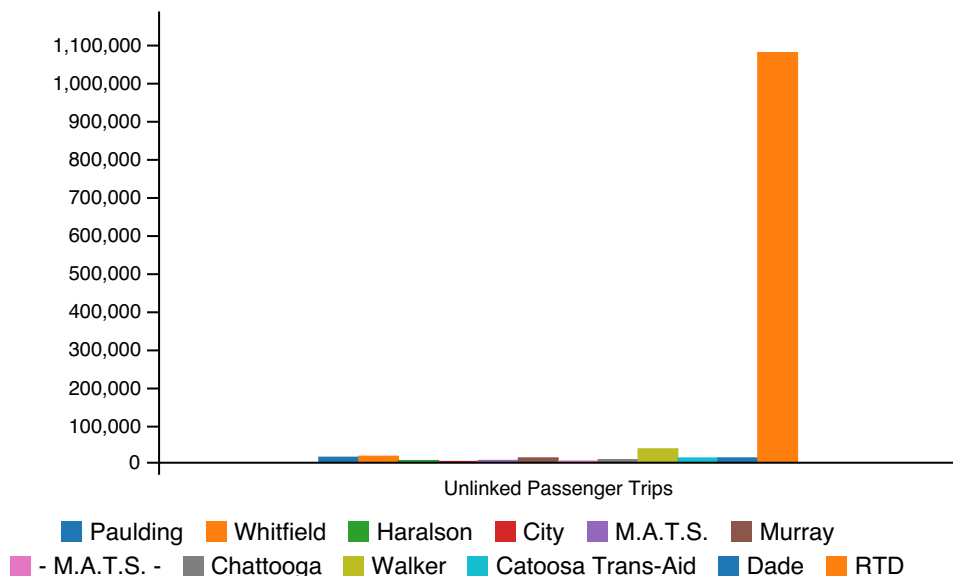
Paulding County (Paulding)  
Haralson County Transit (Haralson)  
Gordon County Transit (M.A.T.S.)  
Fannin County (- M.A.T.S. -)  
Walker County (Walker)  
Dade County Transit (Dade)

Whitfield County W.T.S. (Whitfield)  
City of Cedartown (City)  
Murray County Transportation System (Murray)  
Chattooga County Transit (Chattooga)  
Catoosa County (Catoosa Trans-Aid)  
City of Rome Transit Department (RTD)

## How is transit used in the area?

Transit in Georgia serves hundreds of thousands of Georgians every day. **Transit agencies operating in the 14th US Congressional District provide 1,215,543 trips annually.** These services are especially important to the **85,400 (12%) elderly and 35,114 (5%) disabled riders** that depend on transit in this district.

The figure below shows unlinked passenger trips, or the number of times passengers board vehicles, in the 14th US Congressional District. For more on service data, visit [atlregional.github.io/gta/#congress/014/service](https://atlregional.github.io/gta/#congress/014/service).



Source: National Transit Database (NTD) 2013 Urban Service; NTD Rural 2013 Subrecipient Service Data

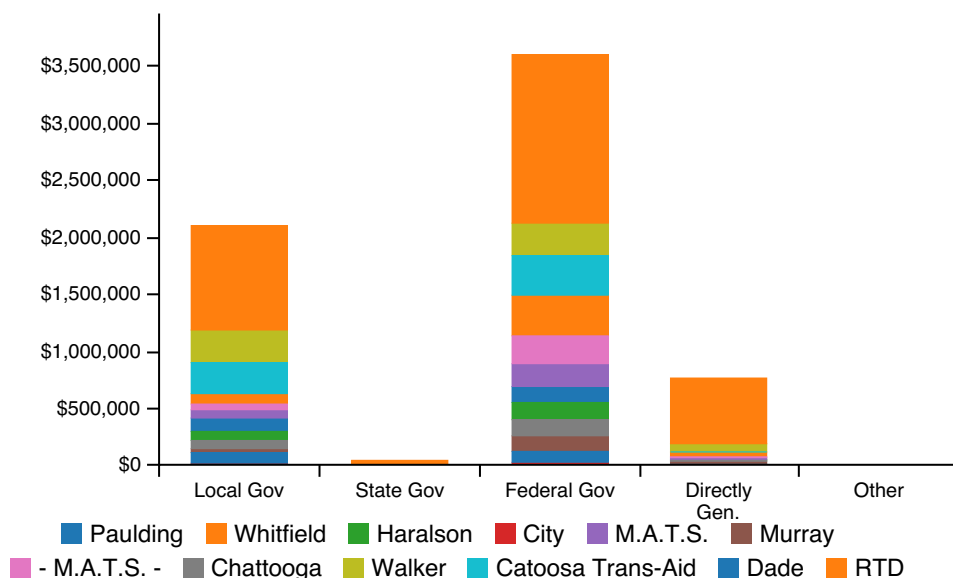
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## How much does transit cost in the area?

Transit expenses are divided into:

- **Capital** - includes infrastructure and equipment, such as buses and vans, facilities, and technology.
- **Operating** - includes daily costs required to operate the system, such as salaries for bus operators and mechanics, regular vehicle and system maintenance, and general administrative costs.

The figure below shows all funding (both capital and operating) categorized by funding source. For details on this funding data, visit [atlregional.github.io/gta/#congress/014/funding](https://atlregional.github.io/gta/#congress/014/funding).



Source: National Transit Database (NTD) 2013 Urban Tax Funds, Directly Generated Funds; NTD Rural 2013 Subrecipient Financial Data

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