

### **RIDE**CO

# RideCo On-Demand **Transit Reduces Cost** per Passenger by 36%

With few mobility options, Northeast San Antonio residents had limited access to transit hubs using the three underperforming bus routes that serviced the low-density suburban area. As the more costeffective and productive solution, San Antonio's VIA Metropolitan Transit engaged RideCo to replace the bus routes completely with on-demand transit.

#### PROBLEM

Fixed-route buses provided limited coverage with subpar productivity, underserving residents living in low-density suburban area

#### **KEY CHALLENGES**



Low-density suburban area: 19 sq. mi.



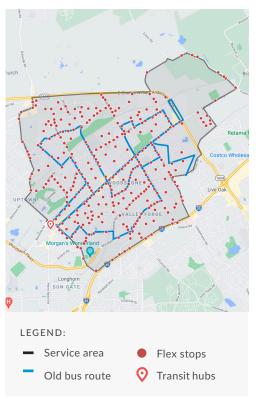
Small fixed-route catchment area and high headways



Bus productivity at <15 boardings PVH

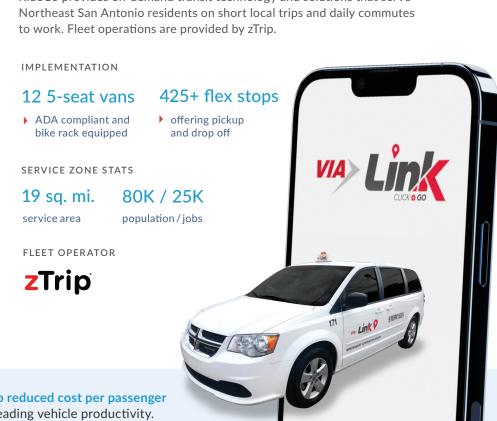


Limited access to transit hubs



## The RideCo Solution

RideCo provides on-demand transit technology and solutions that serve





View next page to see how RideCo reduced cost per passenger by 36% while achieving industry-leading vehicle productivity.

## Service Results

One of the fastest growing public microtransit services in the United States, this service has achieved industry-leading vehicle productivity surpassing its goals within 14 weeks of its launch in May 2019.

weekday passengers per vehicle hour

30%+ higher than the competition

average star

trip rating

average passengers per weekday

▶ 100+ passenger increase

average shared rides **12** min.

average pickup wait

previously 60 min.

average rides per passenger per month

BEFORE	AFTER
600+ ft. walking	<260 ft. walking
distance	distance
\$11 cost per passenger	\$7 cost per passenger  36% reduction
Limited access	40% connectivity
to transit hub	to transit hub

RideCo's on-demand transit solution consistently delivers industry-best vehicle productivity and optimizes cost savings for agencies.



