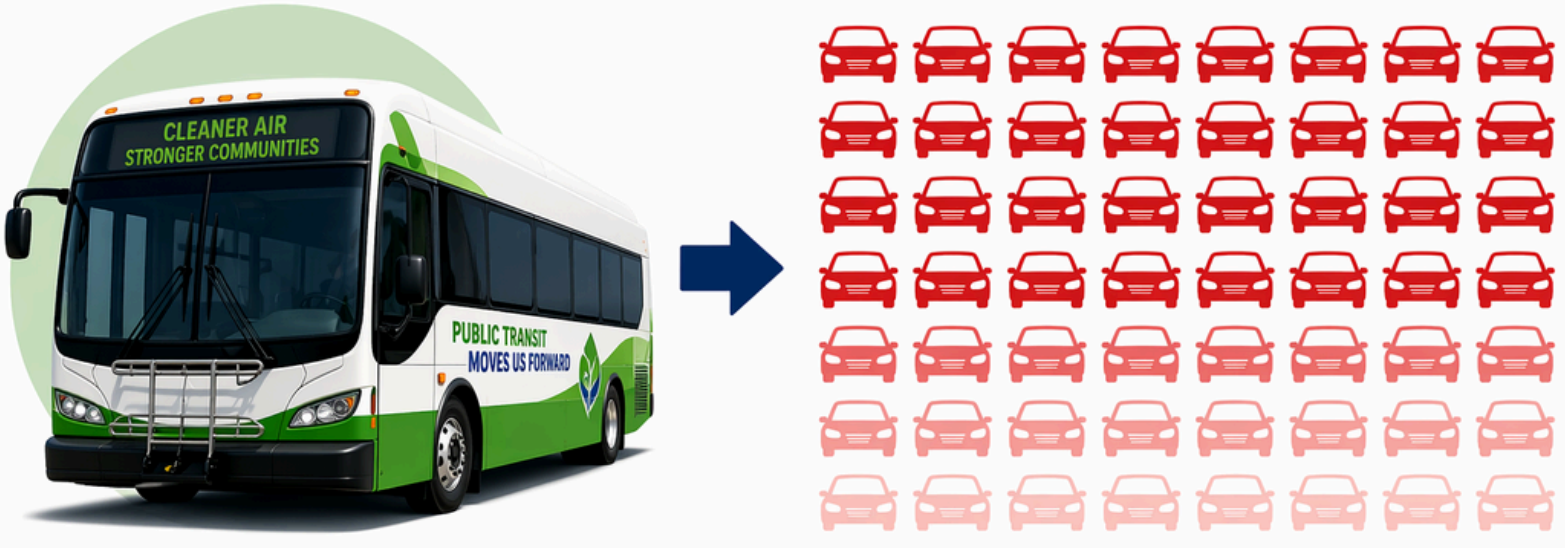


# 1 BUS = 40 CARS REMOVED

One full bus replaces up to 40 cars on the road.



Each year, **transit use** reduces carbon emissions by **more than 21 million metric tons**, saves approximately 1.3 **billion gallons of gasoline**, improves air quality, and more.

But transit systems across New York State (NYS) are facing rising operating costs, declining federal support, and increasing energy pressures.

**As final negotiations on the SFY 2027 NYS Budget continue, we urge State leaders to do the following to deliver vital environmental and economic benefits for our communities:**

- Provide a 15% STOA increase for all upstate and downstate non-MTA transit systems; and
- Support \$349.5 million in non-MTA capital funding

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