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JUTC Discontinues Sunday Operations on Route 512 Effective July 5, 2026

Spanish Town, St. Catherine - The Jamaica Urban Transit Company (JUTC) wishes to advise the public that Sunday operations on Route 512 (Mandeville to Downtown Kingston) will be discontinued effective Sunday, July 5, 2026.

This decision follows a comprehensive review of the route's operational performance, including passenger demand and revenue generation. The assessment revealed consistently low passenger usage on Sundays, with some trips recording as few as seven passengers and others carrying only two passengers.

The change will take effect at the start of the new roster period on **Sunday, July 5, 2026**.

Commenting on the decision, **Shantole Thompson, Corporate Communications Manager at JUTC**, said:

"At JUTC, we continuously evaluate our services to ensure that we are meeting the needs of our commuters while operating as efficiently as possible. The decision to discontinue Sunday operations on Route 512 was made following careful analysis, which showed consistently low passenger demand. While we understand this change may affect some commuters, it allows us to better allocate our resources to areas where demand is greatest and continue providing safe, reliable, and sustainable public transportation."

JUTC remains committed to regularly reviewing its network and making data-driven operational decisions that enhance service delivery while ensuring the responsible use of public resources.

The Company thanks its customers for their understanding and continued support. Commuters seeking additional information are encouraged to contact the JUTC Customer Care Centre or visit the Company's official communication channels.

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