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  - Report 231 - Recent Decline in Public Transportation Ridership: Analysis, Causes, and Responses
  - Report 209 - Analysis of Recent Public Transit Ridership Trends

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- Upcoming Projects
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Reports from the National Academies Press on Travel Behavior

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