

## The ATM extends the expiry dates of 2023 transport passes until 29 February 2024

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- **The expiry dates of passes purchased in 2023, initially set for 15 January 2024, will be extended by an additional month and a half in order to guarantee a greater margin of adaptation for users in their transition to the T-mobilitat system**
- **The decision to extend their expiry dates has also been influenced by the current lack of clarity of the announcement made by the Ministry of Transport and Sustainable Mobility regarding free tickets for certain user profiles**

*Barcelona, 1 December 2023.-* The Metropolitan Transport Authority, in agreement with the administrations in the consortium, has extended the expiry dates of passes purchased in 2023 until 29 February 2024 (before it was until 15 January). The decision has been made in response to the significant changes being implemented in the ticketing system. The intention is for citizens to have additional time to adapt to the current transition from integrated transport passes with a magnetic strip to the rechargeable and contactless T-mobilitat system and thus mitigate the worries and concerns that the original date of 15 January have generated.

In addition, the administrations in the ATM consortium are still waiting to find out the true characteristics of the announcement made by the Ministry of Transport and Sustainable Mobility regarding free tickets for certain user profiles.

This modification of the expiry dates, which will be published in the DOGC (Official Gazette of the Government of Catalonia) shortly, is applicable to the integrated transport passes of the Barcelona ATM and the T-4 card. The T-16 card and T-verda card will maintain their expiry dates.