



A weekly selection of issues and activities relevant to local planning in Nashville and Davidson County

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Buses, but no bus stations

A new study from DePaul University says that the bus is the USA's [fastest-growing form of intercity travel](#). One of the main reasons: new-style bus lines which just barely reach Tennessee.

It's not your parents' house

And if it was, your kids [wouldn't want it anyway](#).

The greenest of green cars

The five finalists for the 2011 "[Green Car Vision Awards](#)" are all fully electric; the Nissan Leaf won this award last year.

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