## SAY NO TO GoCard

Translink are using the introduction of the GoCard to increase regular commuter train travel prices up to a staggering 23.08%.

Compare your paper ticket weekly price against the Translink price list and you will find that commuters north of Glasshouse Mountains are worse off under their new scheme. This is after the claimed 'discount'. See table below for cost increases.

Glasshouse Mountains gets a 6.57 % increase. Beerwah gets a 14.29 % increase. Landsborough and beyond get a massive 23% increase.

The current Consumer Price Index is approx. 3%. How can they justify such an astonishing increase?

Expect them to make it harder to purchase paper tickets or expect significant price increases this July to push you onto the GoCard.

Contact Translink to register your disapproval of this price hike.

But be warned, their policy claims it takes them 10 working days to reply such are the efficiencies of Translink.

The figures below are based upon a regular 5 day working week (10 trips).

zones travelled	single	daily	off- peak daily	Paper Ticket weekly	monthly	GoCard weekly	% Increase
1-10							0%
11	\$7.50	\$15.00	\$11.30	<i>\$56.30</i>	\$225.00	\$60.00	6.57%
12	\$8.40	\$16.80	\$12.60	<i>\$58.80</i>	\$235.20	\$67.20	14.29%
13	\$9.40	\$18.80	\$14.10	\$61.10	\$244.40	\$75.20	23.08%
14	\$10.20	\$20.40	\$15.30	\$66.30	\$265.20	\$81.60	23.08%
15	\$11.00	\$22.00	\$16.50	<i>\$71.50</i>	\$286.00	\$88.00	23.08%
16	\$11.90	\$23.80	\$17.90	<i>\$77.40</i>	\$309.40	\$95.20	23.08%
17	\$12.90	\$25.80	\$19.40	\$83.90	\$335.40	\$103.20	23.0%
18	\$13.70	\$27.40	\$20.60	<b>\$89.10</b>	\$356.20	\$109.60	23.01%
19	\$14.50	\$29.00	\$21.80	<i>\$94.30</i>	\$377.00	\$116.00	23.01%
20	\$15.50	\$31.00	\$23.30	\$100.80	\$403.00	\$124.00	23.02%
21	\$16.30	\$32.60	\$24.50	\$106.00	\$423.80	\$130.40	23.02%
22	\$17.20	\$34.40	\$25.80	\$111.80	\$447.20	\$137.60	23.08%
23	\$18.00	\$36.00	\$27.00	\$117.00	\$468.00	\$144.00	23.08%

Send your complaint via the feedback form online at <a href="www.translink.com.au">www.translink.com.au</a> or telephone 13 12 30