

May 5, 2025

Below is a listing of our current banned passengers. This was updated and people the police have stated are no longer in the area have been removed from the list. Some passengers are required to attend a meeting prior to being reinstated. That meeting will include a Metro Operations Supervisor, General Counsel, and security officer. If no meeting is requested by the passenger, the ban will remain in effect.

1. Timothy Seibert

On 9/9/15, this individual called QSS and left a very threatening message towards an operator causing the TPD to get involved. This individual has been banned indefinitely and in order for him to ride he would need to have a meeting with our security officer, legal and a supervisor first. **Indefinite** – **meeting required. Update...still in Topeka as of 5/1/25.**

2. Zunzilla McBride

On 10/12/17, this individual was standing while the bus was in motion and would not sit down. When the operator asked him to take his seat he began to verbally challenge and threaten the operator. Passenger approached the operator and loudly blew a whistle in the operator's face getting spit on the operator. He refused to deboard, so TPD was called and removed him. He was banned for 45 days to expire 11/24/17 pending a meeting. Note: He has been banned from a number of other locations in town and was taken into custody at one of the downtown banks. He has not requested a meeting, and we are trying to determine if he is still in town. *Update* – Zunzilla boarded a bus on 11/1/22 and had an altercation with the operator. His identity was later confirmed, and he was escorted off QSS property by Ray and the security officer on 11/22/22. Zunzilla was informed he was still banned until he requested and attended a meeting to return to service. To date, he has not requested a meeting. Zunzilla's picture was again posted for employees. **Indefinite** – **meeting required. Update...still in Topeka as of 5/1/25, but currently incarcerated.**

3. Larry Akers

This individual has had multiple offenses and multiple bans. On 6/25/18 he was intoxicated and passed out in the Lyman & Topeka shelter. When the supervisor was finally able to wake him, he started yelling obscenities and disgusting language. He refused to leave, TPD was called, and then he left. He returned later and TPD arrested him for disorderly, criminal trespass. He was banned 45 days to expire on 8/9/18 pending a meeting. He has not requested a meeting. **Indefinite – meeting required. Update...still in Topeka as of 5/1/25.**

4. Kent Birdwhistle

On 9/21/20, this individual vandalized the soap dispensers in the QSS men's restroom. TPD responded, cited him for criminal damage to property, and removed him from the property. He was banned for 6 months to expire 3/21/21 pending a meeting to return to service. A meeting has not been requested. **Indefinite – meeting required. Update...still in Topeka as of 5/1/25.**

5. Wendall Smith

On 1/30/23, Wendall boarded the East 6th bus, became combative, and verbally threatened and assaulted the operator after being asked to show a reduced fare ID. Wendall continued this behavior until arriving at QSS where he was confronted



by a supervisor and asked to leave the property. He initially refused but left once the supervisor said he was calling TPD. He was banned immediately until further notice so that an investigation could be performed. Following the investigation, Wendall was banned for 1-year from the date of the incident to expire 1/30/24, pending a meeting with TPD and management to return to service. Ban expires 1/30/24 – PENDING meeting required to return to service.

6. Oscar Daniel Rangel

This man destroyed the glass at the bus shelter at 17th & College on May 28, 2023, and was sentenced to 15 months of probation. One of the terms of his court-ordered probation is to have no contact with Topeka Metro, therefore Oscar is banned from all Topeka Metro vehicles and property. **Ban expires 6/20/2025.**

7. Lacedric Marvin Dale

While riding the outbound #6 West Sixth bus on 04/03/24, this intoxicated individual was seen by another passenger displaying a loaded firearm and loading bullets into the firearm clip. The passenger reported the incident to the operator and the incident was confirmed by on-board video surveillance. Although his identity was unknown, TPD was immediately notified and given his photo. TPD initiated a State Endangerment charge with an Attempt to Identify search. He was later apprehended by TPD on 4/6/24. **THIS PERSON IS CONSIDERED ARMED AND POSSIBLY DANGEROUS**. If you see him, do not approach him. If you have any future interaction with him, immediately notify a supervisor so that TPD can be contacted. **Ban is indefinite. MEETING PENDING.**

8. Nicholas Flowers

On Saturday, 11/23/24, Nicholas Flowers was involved in a violent, unprovoked attack on a male passenger on the bus at the Walnut Grove & Magnolia bus stop. Topeka Police eventually tased Mr. Flowers multiple times to subdue him and place him under arrest. Because of the violent and unprovoked nature of the attack, Mr. Flowers is banned from Topeka Metro property, including riding a bus, for a period of one year. **Ban expires 11/25/25.**

9. Emmanuel Culpepper

On 2/3/25, Emmanuel stole another passenger's wallet from their backpack and stole the money. He then gave the wallet to the operator as if the passenger had lost it. Emmanuel is banned for 6 months. **Ban expires 8/3/25 pending required meeting prior to reinstating.**

10. Mike Evans

On March 20, 2025, Mike Evans physically and verbally abused the Topeka Metro Security Officer in the lobby of QSS. Topeka Police charged him with battery and informed him of the ban. Mr. Evans is banned from all Topeka Metro property, including buses, for a period of one year. **Ban expires 3/20/2026; can resume riding 3/21/2026.**

11. Christopher Broadnax

On March 26, 2025, shortly before being arrested by TPD for criminal trespass at QSS, Christopher physically attacked a passenger in the QSS North Kansas staging area. He was banned from all property, including buses, for six months. Ban expires 9/26/25; can resume riding 9/27/25.



12. Mark Young Passenger Mark Young has been warned several times recently about not having

the proper fare and failing to show his RFID upon request and then becoming verbally abusive to Metro employees. On 4/2/25, Mark attempted to board a bus at Walmart West again without a fare or RFID. He was uncooperative and abusive with the operator. Since he has been banned for prior abusive behavior, Mark was

banned for three months. Ban expires 7/2/25; can resume riding 7/3/25.

13. Blake Barrow Blake is banned for three months for loitering on QSS property. He was also

viewed on video surveillance defecating in the West 17th bus staging area. TPD is attempting to contact him to issue a "no trespass order". **Ban expires 7/2/25; can**

resume riding 7/3/25.

14. Henry "Duke" Bryant An intoxicated Henry Bryant was observed smoking in the #2 North Kansas

staging area at QSS on 4/11/25 by Security Officer White. When Officer White asked him to move to the designated smoking area, Mr. Bryant went into a profanity laced tirade at Officer White, calling him the "n-word" multiple times. TPD was eventually summoned to remove Mr. Bryant from the property. Mr. Bryant has been previously banned for one month for disruptive behavior. This ban will be for three months. **Ban expires 7/11/25; can resume riding 7/12/25.**

15. Kayla Browning While riding the West 10th bus to Walmart, Kayla became verbally and

physically abusive to the male passenger she boarded with. She also had a butane torch she aimed at the male and the operator as a weapon. Kayla has been banned

for six months. Ban expires 11/4/25; can resume riding 11/5/25.

Changes to the ban list this report:

- Added ban for Kayla Browning.
- Removed old, indefinite bans done prior to 2020 if person is no longer in Topeka area.

NOTE Passengers who were banned more than 5 years ago, but are no longer in Topeka area include:

Terrance Lamonte Bonner Earl Littleman Joshua Hoyt Jasmine Scott

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