

Public Transit Guide to Electro Standards Laboratories

📍 36 Western Industrial Dr, Cranston, RI 02921

NOTE: These modes of transportation are not confirmed by Electro Standards Laboratories (ESL)...

Please verify all routes, modes of transportation, and travel times directly with the appropriate transit providers before making travel arrangements.

THEY ARE NOT MONITORED BY ESL

Last-Mile Access (all routes)

- **RIPTA Route 19 – “Plainfield/Industrial Park”**
 - Stop: *Cranston Industrial Park (Amflex & Comstock)*
 - From stop: ~5 min walk to 36 Western Industrial Dr.

From the North (Boston / Eastern MA)

Option A — MBTA Commuter Rail

1. MBTA Providence/Stoughton Line → Providence Station (~1h10m).
2. Walk 8–10 min to Kennedy Plaza.
3. RIPTA Route 19 → Cranston Industrial Park (~22m).
4. Walk ~5 min.

Total: ~1h40–50m

Option B — Amtrak (fewer stops)

1. Amtrak Northeast Regional or Acela → Providence.
 - Regional: ~39–48m
 - Acela: ~33–34m
2. Walk to Kennedy Plaza + RIPTA 19 + walk (~30m).

Total: ~1h15m–1h30m

Option C — Southeastern MA Bus

1. Peter Pan (New Bedford/Fall River → Providence).
2. Transfer/walk to Kennedy Plaza → RIPTA 19.

Total: ~1h30m+ depending on transfer.

From the South (Westerly, RI)

Option A — Amtrak

- Westerly → Providence (~55m).
- Walk to Kennedy Plaza → RIPTA 19 → Walk (~30m).

Total: ~1h30m

Option B — RIPTA 95X (Express Bus, weekdays only)

- Westerly → Providence (~1h10–20m est.).
- RIPTA 19 → Walk (~30m).

Total: ~1h40m

From Eastern Connecticut

Option 1 — New London / Mystic

- Amtrak NLC/MYS → Providence (~40–50m).
- Kennedy Plaza → RIPTA 19 → Walk (~30m).

Total: ~1h20–1h30m

Option 2 — Norwich / Willimantic

- SEAT Bus → New London (~40m).
- Amtrak → Providence (~45m).
- RIPTA 19 + Walk (~30m).

Total: ~2h+

Option 3 — Plainfield / Killingly / Danielson

- Drive/rideshare (~40m) to Westerly or New London station.
- Train to Providence (~55m).
- RIPTA 19 + Walk (~30m).

Total: ~2h15m+



Fastest: Amtrak from New London or Mystic.



Least direct: Norwich/Danielson without car.

From Hartford, CT

Option A — Bus

- Peter Pan / Megabus → Providence (~2h30m–4h15m depending on route).
 - Transfer to Kennedy Plaza → RIPTA 19 → Walk.
- Total: ~2h55m–4h50m**

Option B — Train

- Amtrak/CTrail Hartford → New Haven → Providence (~3h–4h+).
 - RIPTA 19 → Walk (~30m).
- Total: ~3h45m–5h05m**

Travel Time Summary

| Origin | Main Mode | To Providence | RIPTA 19 + Walk | Total Typical Time |
|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| Boston (MBTA) | Commuter Rail | ~1h10m | ~30m | ~1h40–50m |
| Boston (Amtrak) | Regional / Acela | 39–48m / 33–34m | ~30m | ~1h15–1h30m |
| Eastern MA | Bus (Peter Pan/Greyhound) | ~1h | ~30m | ~1h30m |
| Westerly, RI | Amtrak | ~55m | ~30m | ~1h30m |
| Westerly, RI | RIPTA 95X (express) | ~1h10–20m | ~30m | ~1h40m |
| New London, CT | Amtrak | 40–45m | ~30m | ~1h15–1h30m |
| Mystic, CT | Amtrak | 45–50m | ~30m | ~1h20–1h30m |
| Norwich, CT | SEAT Bus + Amtrak | ~1h25m | ~30m | ~2h+ |
| Danielson, CT | Drive + Train | ~1h35m | ~30m | ~2h15m+ |
| Hartford, CT | Bus | 2h30–4h15m | ~30m | 2h55m–4h50m |
| Hartford, CT | Train (via New Haven) | 3h–4h+ | ~30m | 3h45m–5h05m |

Notes & Tips

- **Check schedules:** MBTA, Amtrak, Peter Pan, and RIPTA times vary daily.
- **Transfers:** Layovers can add significant waiting time.
- **Simplest route:** Amtrak Boston → Providence → RIPTA 19.
- **Industrial Park stop:** Be sure to get off at *Amflex & Comstock*.