



FIFA World Cup 2026 Commuting Impacts

Fulton County Government and Justice Center | June 11 – July 15, 2026

#26-0265

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS SUMMER



8

Atlanta
Matches

75K

Stadium
Capacity

300K

+

Visitors
Expected

Atlanta is hosting 8 FIFA World Cup 2026 matches at Mercedes-Benz Stadium located in our backyard and downtown impacts.

Key Facts for Fulton County Employees

- Tournament runs June 11 – July 15, 2026 with Fan Fest operating on all event days
- Of 21 operational days, 15 fall on workdays (Monday–Friday)
- 7 workdays have an Atlanta match at Mercedes-Benz Stadium (HIGHEST impact)
- 8 workdays are Fan Fest only — still elevated congestion, lower peak impact
- The Semi-Final on July 15 (Wednesday, 3:00 PM kickoff) is the single highest-impact day
- Government and Justice Center access is affected from ALL major approach directions

MATCH DAY CALENDAR | Workdays Only



Date	Match	Kickoff	Fan Fest Hours	Impact
June 11 (Thu)	Fan Fest Only	—	12 PM – 6 PM	MODERATE
June 12 (Fri)	Fan Fest Only	—	2 PM – 12 AM	MODERATE
June 15 (Mon)	Spain vs Cape Verde	12:00 PM	10 AM – 8 PM	HIGH
June 16 (Tue)	Fan Fest Only	—	1 PM – 11 PM	MODERATE
June 17 (Wed)	Fan Fest Only	—	12 PM – 10 PM	MODERATE
June 18 (Thu)	TBD vs South Africa	12:00 PM	11 AM – 11 PM	HIGH
June 19 (Fri)	Fan Fest Only	—	1:30 PM – 11:30 PM	MODERATE
June 24 (Wed)	Morocco vs Haiti	6:00 PM	1 PM – 11 PM	HIGH
June 25 (Thu)	Fan Fest Only	—	2 PM – 12 AM	MODERATE
June 26 (Fri)	Fan Fest Only	—	1 PM – 11 PM	MODERATE
July 1 (Wed)	Round of 32	12:00 PM	11 AM – 11 PM	HIGH
July 7 (Tue)	Round of 16	12:00 PM	10 AM – 8 PM	HIGH
July 14 (Tue)	Fan Fest Only	—	1 PM – 7 PM	MODERATE
July 15 (Wed)	SEMI-FINAL	3:00 PM	11 AM – 9 PM	⚠️ MAX ALERT