

# Countywide Transit Services Plan Update 2013 through 2017

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What is the Countywide Transit Services Plan (CTSP)?

- Five year short range plan
- Current plan adopted by MTC in FY2007
- Recommends bus service improvements
- Identifies facility needs (park and ride, transit centers)







#### **Current Plan**

- Crosstown service
  - o 204 Lasalle
  - o 232 Grier Heights
  - o 60 Tyvola SouthPark
- Bus-Rail integration
- 48X Huntersville Express
- Albemarle Rd. park and ride

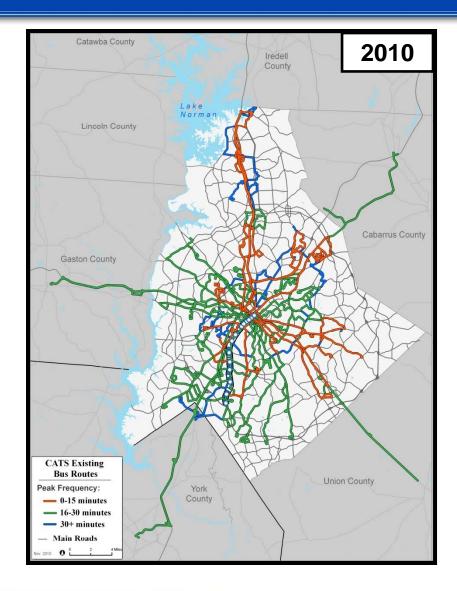






## **Guiding Principles**

- Improve cross-town connections
- Look for opportunities to restructure service
- Align bus routes with future rapid transit corridors
- Improve travel times
- Match service levels with demand





#### Committees

**Technical Committee** 

- CATS (Service Planning, Development, Bus Operations, Marketing)
- City of Charlotte (Planning Commission, Neighborhood and Business Services, CDOT)
- Housing Authority
- Town of Huntersville

**Steering Committee** 

- Transit Riders
- Community Advocates
- Human Service Agencies







### **Public Involvement**

- Public and Neighborhood Meetings
- Surveys Instrument
- Goals of Public Outreach
  - **o** Identify Service Gaps
  - Identify New Destinations
  - Prioritize Needs



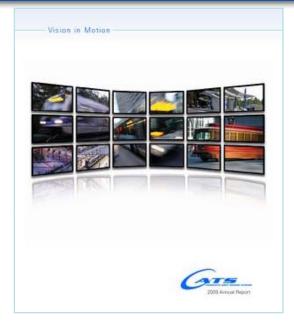






### **Review of Existing Studies**

- Current CTSP
- Neighborhood and Business Services Quality of Life Study
- CHA CEO Strategic Business Plan FY 10-12 and Real Estate Development Plan
- Centers and Corridors Plan
- 2030 Transit Land Use Plan



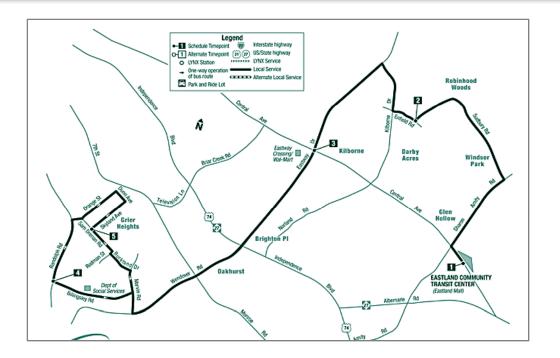


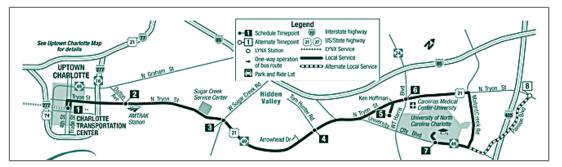




## **CALLER ANEA TRANSIT SYSTEM** Analysis of Existing Service

- Efficiency Analysis
  - AVL/APC data
  - **o** Scheduling data
- Route by route, segment-level performance review









#### Market Analysis

- Identify travel patterns and key connection points
- Annual Market Research Report
- Center City Access and Circulation Study









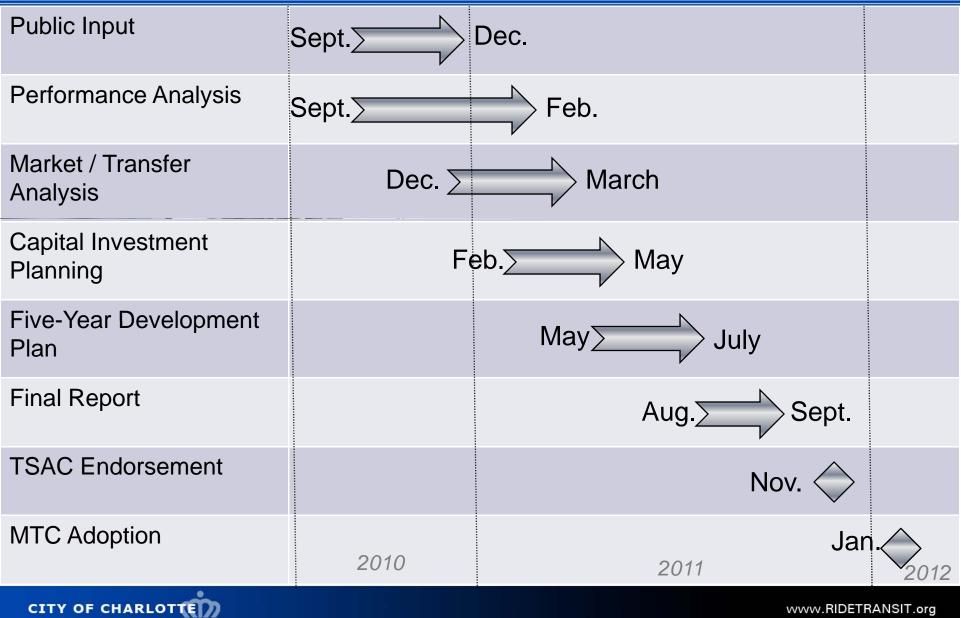
- Five-year horizon: FY13 through FY17
- Identify facility needs
- Recommend service restructuring
- Prioritize implementation plan
- Operating and capital budget impacts







#### **Project Schedule**







#### Questions or Comments?





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