



#### Tonight's agenda

- 5-7 p.m. Open house
  - Meet the team and view design plans
- 5:30 Presentation
  - Welcome and introductions (Jenna Franklin)
  - Project and segment overview (Leonard McGhee)
  - City of Bellevue projects (Tresa Berg)
  - Bel-Red station design update (Howard Fitzpatrick)
  - STart (Barbara Luecke)
  - Question and answers (Jenna Franklin)
- 6:15 7:00 Open house
- 7 p.m. Meeting adjourns



#### Your guide to final design

#### Inside your community guide:

- Link light rail system overview
- East Link overview and design standards
- East Link project timeline
- Final design process and milestones
- STart update
- How to stay involved!



Planning and environmental review

Final design (we are here)

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Construction

Targeted 2022

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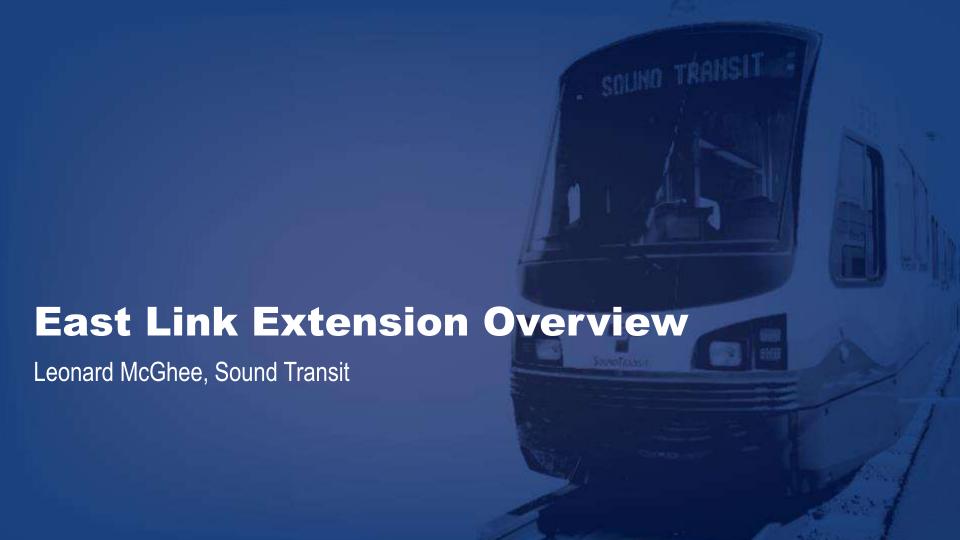
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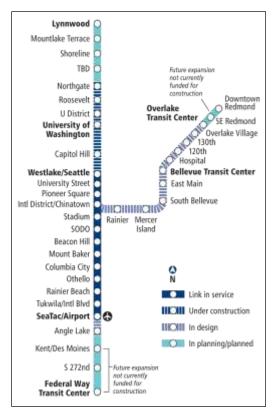
Targeted 2023

East Link in service





#### **Link system and East Link overview**

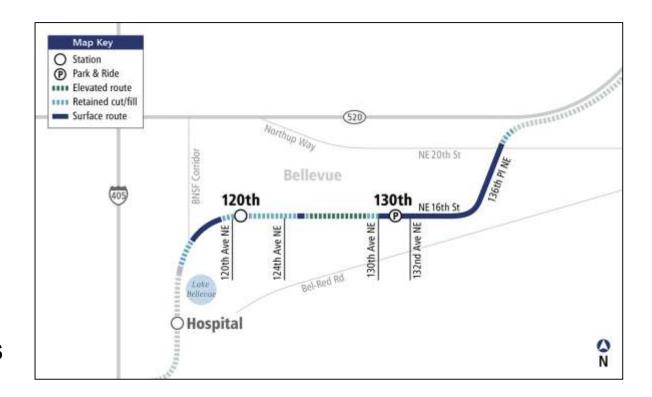






#### **Bel-Red segment overview**

- At-grade, elevated and retained cut alignment
- Stations at 120th and 130th
- New 300 stall parkand-ride
- Planning for future development and street improvements





#### 60 percent design update

#### We've advanced:

- Engineering plans
- Station design
- Identification of right-of-way to be acquired

**Design milestones** 

Final design kick-off (Spring 2013)

60 percent design (Second half of 2013)

90 percent design (2014)

100 percent design

Start construction (targeted 2015)





#### The transformation of Bel-Red

#### Land Use Vision for Bel-Red

- Mixed Use development
- 5000 housing units and 10,000 employees

# Bellevue's Transportation Vision for Bel-Red

- Increased capacity for existing roads
- New East/West Corridor and grid network of streets
- Extensive system of sidewalks, trails and bike facilities
- Re-greening including open spaces and stream corridors



# Transportation Projects in City of Bellevue



Transportation **investments** that will improve access, circulation, and mobility options for cars, transit, freight, pedestrians and bicyclists, connecting to and between Downtown Bellevue, Wilburton, the new Bel-Red transit stations, and the larger city and region.

#### **Key people:**

**Bel-Red Area Program Manager** 

Rick Logwood

**Bel-Red Area Public Information** 

Tresa Berg

#### **Project Managers:**

Marina Arakelyan

Steve Costa

Rick Logwood

Paul Krawzcyk

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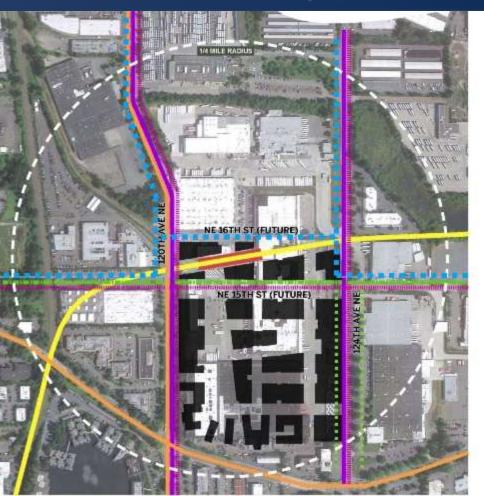


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#### 120th Station: Neighborhood context plan

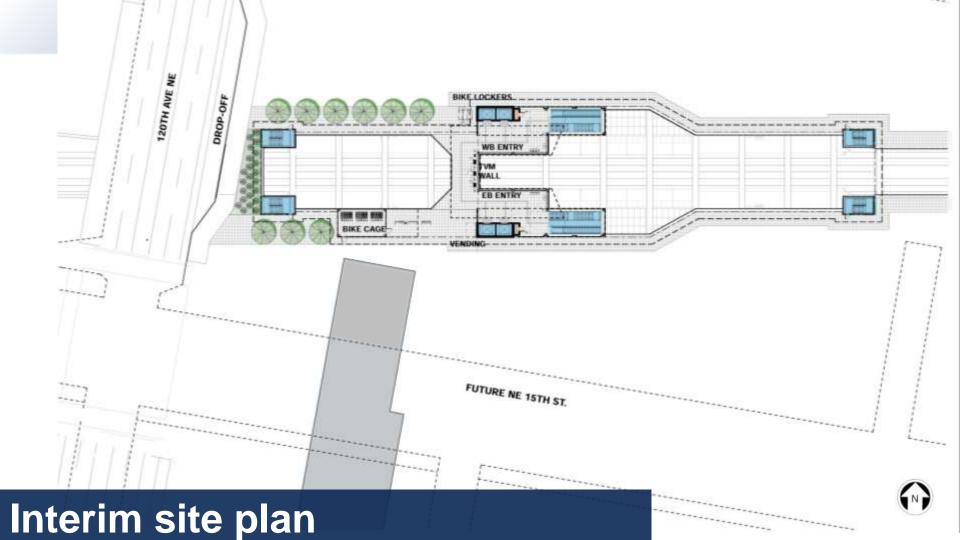


LEGEND **BUS ROUTE** BICYCLE ROUTE BICYCLE LANE OFF STREET PATH ............. PROPOSED NEW SIDEWALKS LIGHT RAIL TRACKS STATION PATRON CATCHMENT AREA **FUTURE DEVELOPMENT** 

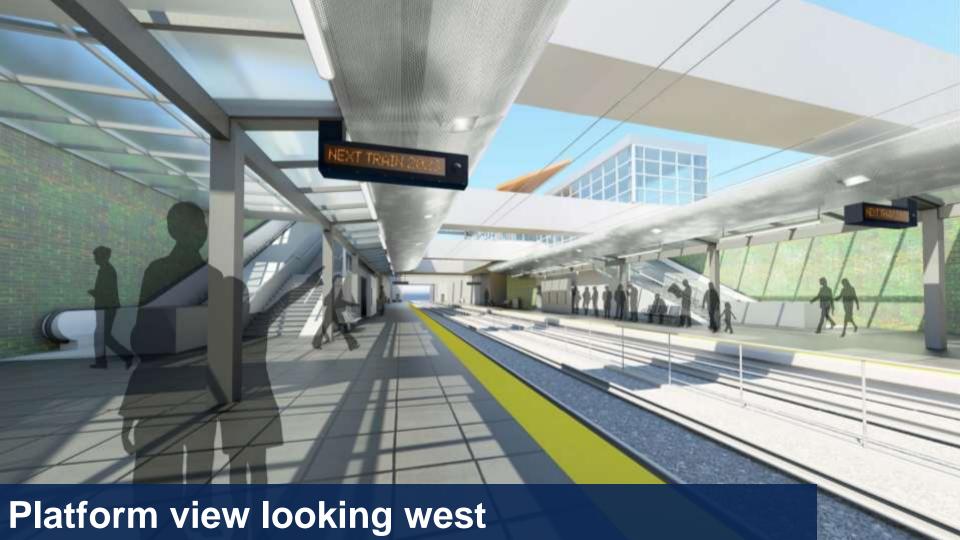
City of Bellevue and Sound Transit planned improvements

Off-street paths (revised)

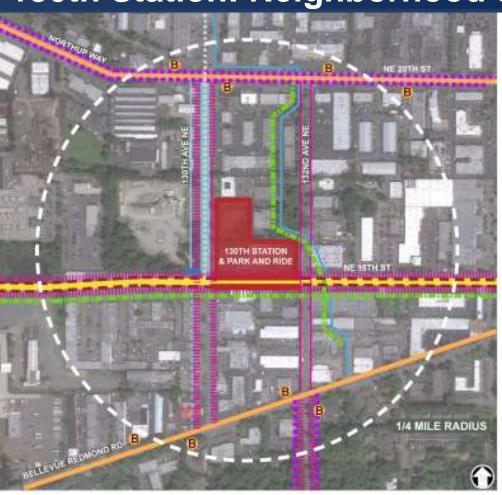
> Recommended directional cycle tracks







#### 130th Station: Neighborhood context plan





City of Bellevue and Sound Transit planned improvements

#### **View east from 130th Ave NE**





#### Landscaping plan (Before NE 16th St. Extension)



#### Landscaping plan (After NE 16th St. Extension)



#### **Station entrance from 132nd Ave NE**





# Platform view looking west





## Station landscaping and design materials



#### **Ancillary structures**







# STart Barbara Lueke, Sound Transit Art Program







#### What's next?

- Identify permanent station names
- Hire station artists
- Advance design and permitting
- Construction planning
- Purchase right-of-way





#### We want to hear from you!

- Sound Transit Community Outreach staff is accessible by phone, email, and is available to meet in person
- Contact Community Outreach staff: <a href="mailto:eastlink@soundtransit.org">eastlink@soundtransit.org</a> or 206-398-LINK
- Attend final design community meetings
- Sign-up to receive email updates: <u>www.soundtransit.org/subscribe</u>
- Visit the project website: <a href="https://www.soundtransit.org/eastlink">www.soundtransit.org/eastlink</a>



## **Comments or questions?**

