Stride BRT Bus Base North: Surplus of transferable development rights

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Why we are here

To advance the Stride BRT Bus Base North project by:

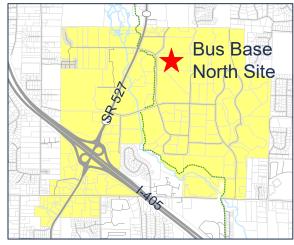
 Approving the CEO's declaration that certain transferable development rights at the Bus Base North are surplus, contingent upon approval of Motion No. M2024-19 to authorize an interlocal agreement with the City of Bothell



Background

Canyon Park Regional Growth Center

- Regional Growth Center's have density requirements to concentrate employment and residences
- City of Bothell zoning in Canyon Park requires minimum densities
- Bus Base North will not achieve the required minimum density on the property



Canyon Park Regional Growth Center

Transfer of Development Rights (TDR)

- City of Bothell and Sound Transit have partnered to create a TDR program
- TDR programs separate development capacity from one property, and moves it to another property
- Sound Transit evaluated Bus Base North and identified excess development capacity that could be declared surplus and made available for TDR







Bus Base North TDR

Development Right Item	Amount (SF)
BBN Site	526,086
BBN Design Gross Floor Area	129,427*
Development Rights Transferred	225,000**
Remaining Future Development Rights	171,659

^{*}Does not meet minimum FAR code requirement.



^{**}This amount meets all possible PSRC requirements.

Next steps

If both Resolution No. R2024-10 and Motion No. M2024-19 are approved by the Board:

- Staff would proceed with certifying the transferable development rights with the City of Bothell
- Staff would market the Transfer of Development Rights with potential purchasers
- If purchasers are identified, staff would bring key terms back to the Board for consideration

Thank you.



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