# Vertical Conveyances

Program Update

10/1/20



### Why we are here

- This presentation is provided for information only
- Provide update on Elevator and Escalator management progress and availability
- Provide update on estimated costs & go forward Program structure

### How we got here

# Significant Escalator Outage at UW March 2018 & other extensive asset outages

Negative Passenger experiences & public perception





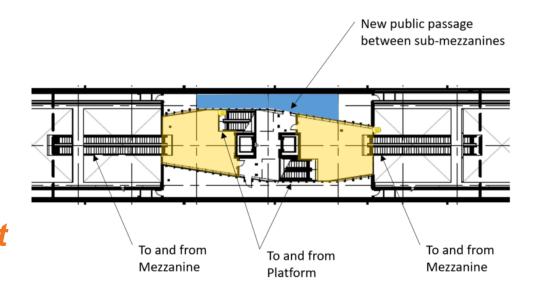
"Our Passengers deserve a better experience."



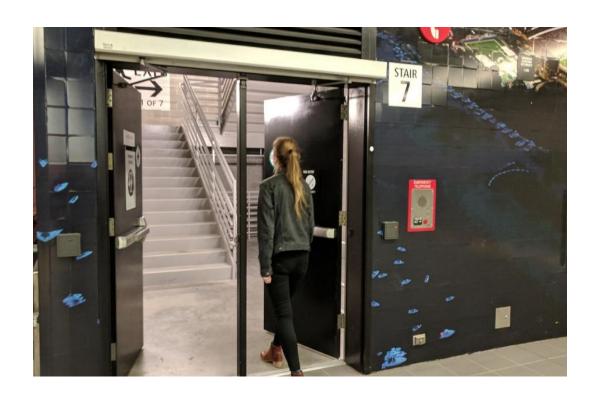
### Recent work completed

2020- UWS Cross Mezzanine Access Completed

June 2020– UWS
Escalator Assessment
and Replacement Pre
Design Work
Completed



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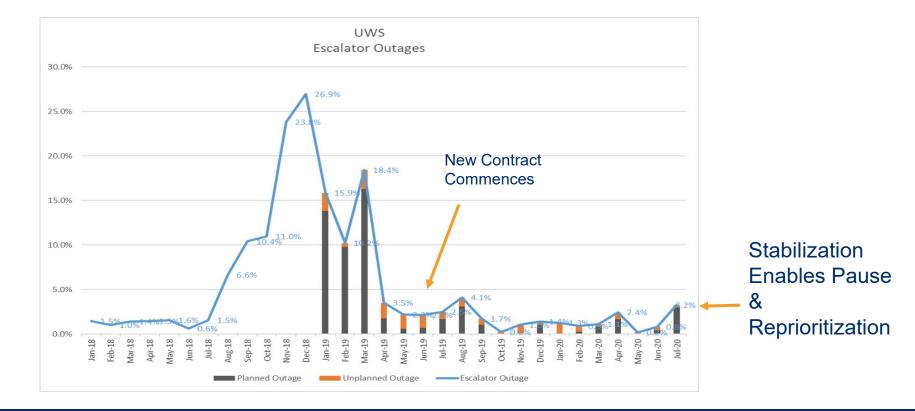


March 2019 – UWS Back Stairs Open to the Public

June 2019 – UWS Enhanced Maintenance Contract Instituted



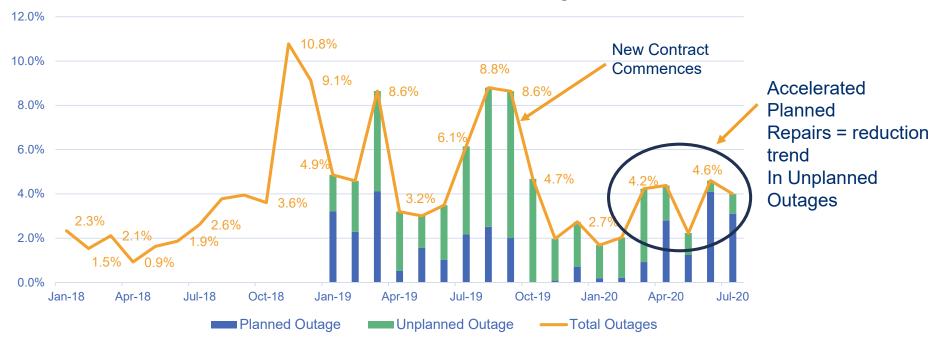
### **UWS Availability Performance**



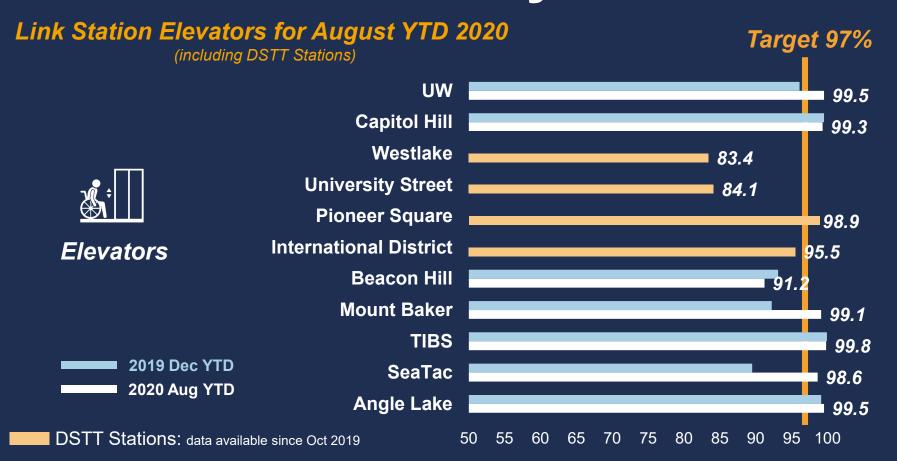
### Availability Performance

Link Stations (ex. DSTT)

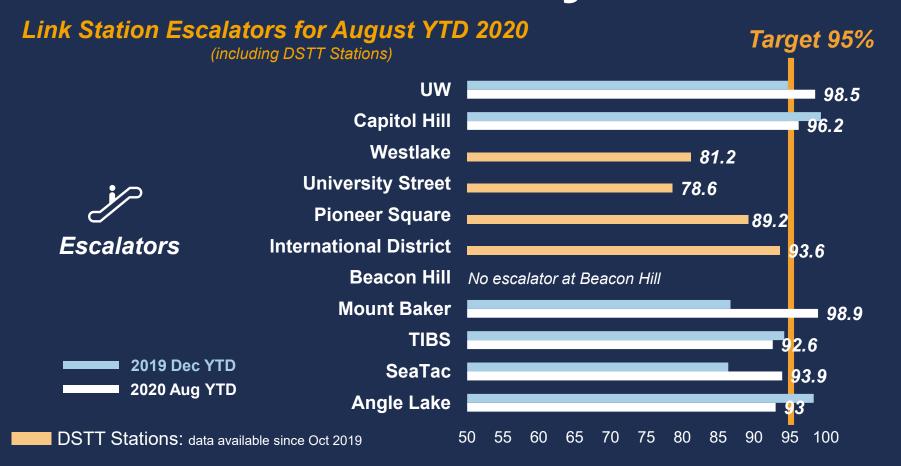
Total Elevator & Escalator Outages



## **Elevator Availability**



## **Escalator Availability**



### Lessons learned

# Elevators and Escalators are a critical part of the Passenger journey

- UW we were able to stabilize through a combination of efforts and can defer near term replacement
- Need Increased Data Gathering Capabilities
- Need Asset Management Processes & Portfolio Strategy
- Need Dedicated Resources to Manage a System-Wide Program

### **Program Progress**

# Performance stabilization achieved at most locations due to the following completed actions:

- Implemented Mitigation Plan for UW
- Dedicated Elevator/Escalator Lead,
- Changed The Maintenance Vendor & Contract Language
- Enhanced Performance Tracking & Reporting
- Updated New Equipment Specifications
- Better Passenger Communications
- Piloting Technology Innovations

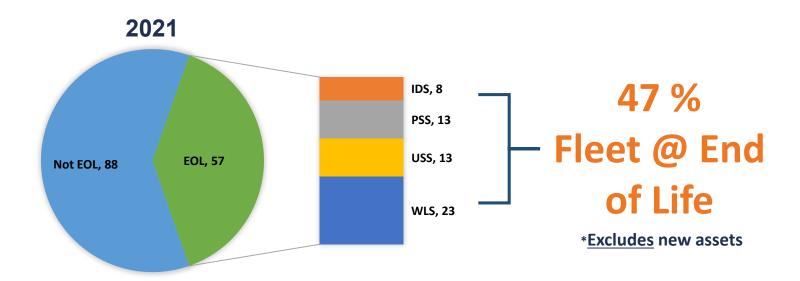


### Downtown Seattle Transit Tunnel

- Anticipate taking ownership from King County Metro in 2021
- Receiving 36 escalators and 22 elevators, most conveyances are beyond useful service life
- As of today, there are 12 escalators currently out of service in the DSTT
- Estimated \$8.7M for deferred elevator and escalator maintenance repairs (2021 budget request)
- Currently generating a multi-year capital replacement plan to address DSTT conveyances

### Fleet Aging Analysis

**Useful Life of Transit Elevators and Escalators** is estimated at 25 Years



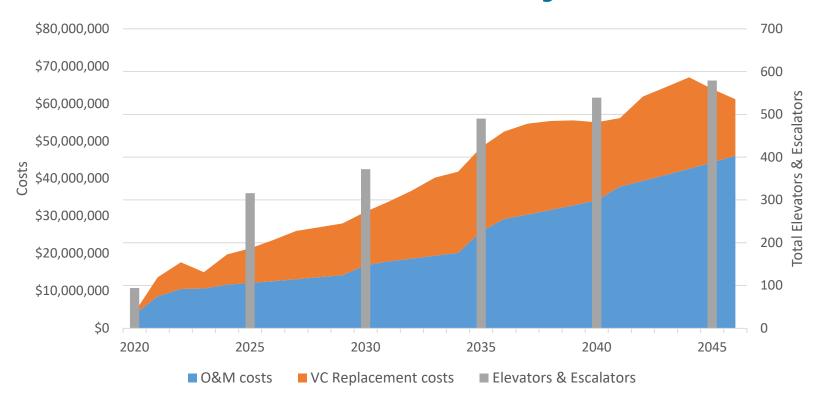
### Fleet Aging Mix - Short Term



Note the large proportion of **End of Life (EOL) as well as New Commissioned Assets.** This demands proactive Long Term planning and heightened oversight to ensure stable performance.



### Estimated Annual Cost Projections

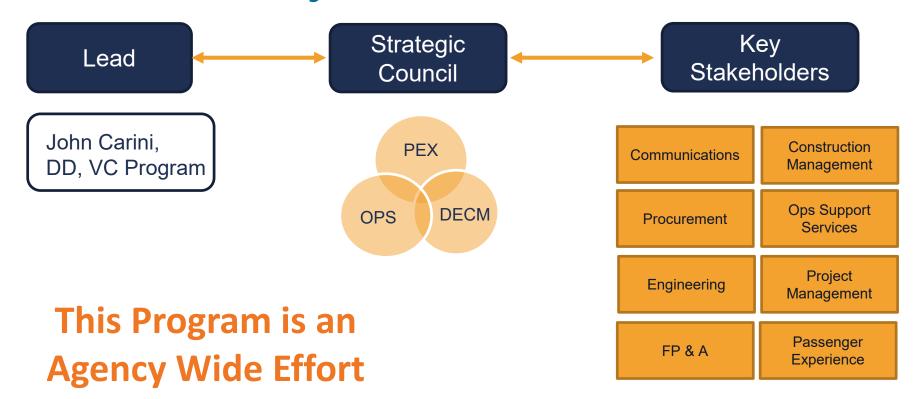


### Conveyance Team Vision Statement

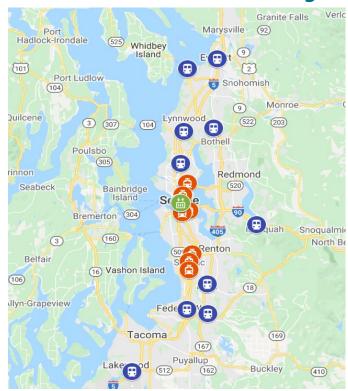
Create a *PASSENGER* focused vertical conveyance program centered on *SAFETY* and *RELIABILITY* by leveraging maintenance, technology & data to optimize performance and keep all stakeholders better informed.



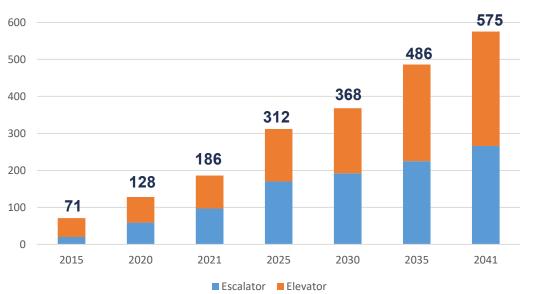
### Vertical Conveyance Team



### Vertical Conveyance Portfolio



Spans from Everett to Lakewood - 70 Miles



- Current fleet will grow by 2.5X through 2025
- Estimated to be a fleet of 575 by 2041
- Long term strategy is essential

#### Work ahead of us...

- Achieve System Wide Conveyance Availability Target: 95%
   & Minimize ADA & Passenger Impacts
- Address stations that don't have back up elevators or egress options for all Passengers
- Enhance performance measures, tracking & reporting

#### Work ahead of us

- Optimization of Portfolio Useful life & Total Cost of Ownership
- Data Driven Program Management
- The VC Work Plan is in Development and underway, comprised of the following steps:





## Thank you.



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