Program Realignment

Executive Committee
July 1, 2021



Why we are here

- R2021-05 schedule discussion
- Potential amendments



R2021-05 Project Schedules

Project Schedule Impacts

Project delays include both planning and financial impacts

- Planning impacts: Incurred or anticipated to occur during environmental review for active projects. Many active projects in planning are experiencing ~2 years of delay. These delays are from the burden COVID placed on co-lead and cooperating agencies during environmental review, 3rd party negotiations, permitting, right-of-way acquisition, paused actions and/or extended timelines for selecting EIS and preferred alternatives
- Financial impacts: Includes any additional years found to be necessary for the scenario to be affordable at the subarea and agency level based on current cost and revenue projections.

Projects that have experienced planning delay

- Sumner, Kent, and Auburn parking and access
- Sounder Maintenance Base
- Bus Rapid Transit program
- Operations & Maintenance Facility South
- Tacoma Dome Link Extension
- West Seattle and Ballard Link Extension
- ST3 Sounder program
- Other projects left paused in September (e.g. bus on shoulder and North Sammamish park-and-ride)



Chair's proposed realignment scenario

	Tier 1 ≤ 2 years delay	Tier 2 ≤ 6 years delay	Tier 3 ≤ 9 years delay	Tier 4 10+ years delay
System	Bus Base North (2025) OMF South (2029) OMF North (2035)	2 nd DSTT (2038)	Sounder Maintenance Base (2034)	ST2 Bus Base (2045) Bus-on-Shoulder (2045)
North	Lynnwood-SW Everett NP (2038)	SW Everett-Everett NP (2042)		Edmonds & Mukilteo (2034) Everett Link Parking (2046)
East	405 Stride S. NP (2026) 522 Stride NP (2026)	405 Stride N. NP (2027) S. Kirk.–Issaquah (2045)		522 Stride parking (2034) 405 Stride parking (2034) N Sammamish P&R (2045)
Central	Alaska JctSODO (2032)	SODO-Smith Cove (2038) Smith Cove-Ballard (2040) NE 130 th (2037) Graham St. (2037)		RapidRide C/D (2045)
South	Kent, Auburn, Sumner (2025) T-Dome Link NP (2032) Lakewood, S Tacoma (2032) TCC Tacoma Link (2041)	Boeing Access (2037)	Sounder platforms & access (2036) Sounder trips (2045) DuPont Sndr (2045)	T-Dome Link Parking (2040) SR-162 (2045)

No delay due to finances, only delayed because of slow downs in environmental review during COVID, 3rd party negotiations permitting, right-of-way acquisition, or extended timelines for selecting EIS alternatives and preferred alternatives.

Discussion of Resolution and Amendments

Next steps

Anticipated realignment work through July

Ongoing public engagement

July 8 System Expansion Committee – discuss resolution with

focus on annual program review

July 8 Amendments due

July 15 Finance and Audit Committee meeting - discuss resolution

with focus on updated financial capacity

July 22 Board Meeting – Consider action



Thank you.



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