

Central Harbor Boulevard Transit Corridor Study

Citizens Advisory Committee – April 18, 2017

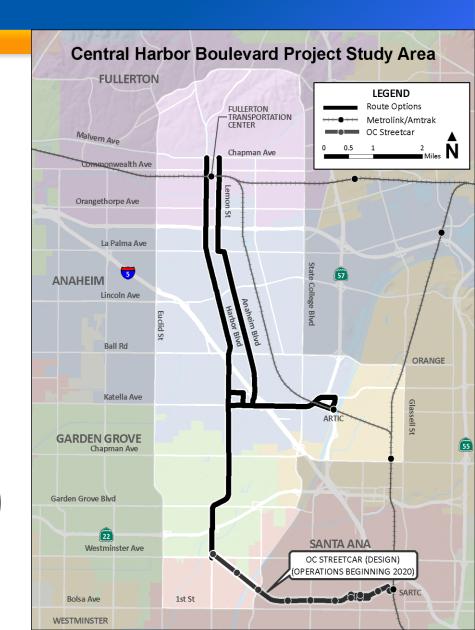


Today's Presentation

- Study Overview
- Review the Draft Alternatives
- Evaluation Criteria
- Outreach Plan/Next Steps
 - Stay Involved/Submit a comment(s)

Study Focus

- Harbor Boulevard
 between Westminster
 Avenue and the Fullerton
 Transportation Center
- Anaheim
 Boulevard/Lemon Street
- Katella Avenue between Harbor and the Anaheim Regional Transportation Intermodal Center (ARTIC)



Study Schedule

Purpose and Need

- Aug 2015-Dec 2016
- Corridor Definition, Mobility Needs, Goals & Objectives
- Outreach 1

- Feb-Apr 2016
- Alternatives Development Feb 2016-Apr 2017
 - 12 Draft Conceptual Alternatives
- Outreach 2

Feb-Apr 2017

Alternatives Evaluation

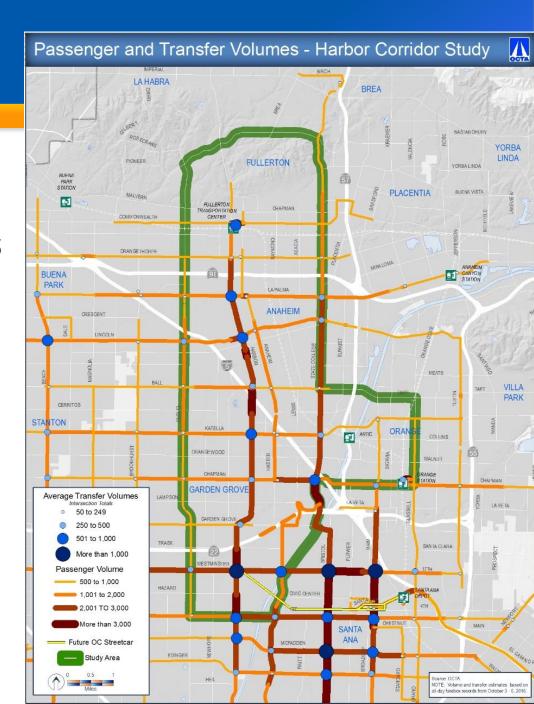
Apr-May 2017

Draft Final Report

Jul 2017

Mobility Needs

- Highest transit usage
- Commute-focused trips
- 27 Million annual visitors
- More development planned
- Central north-south transit spine



Evaluation Criteria

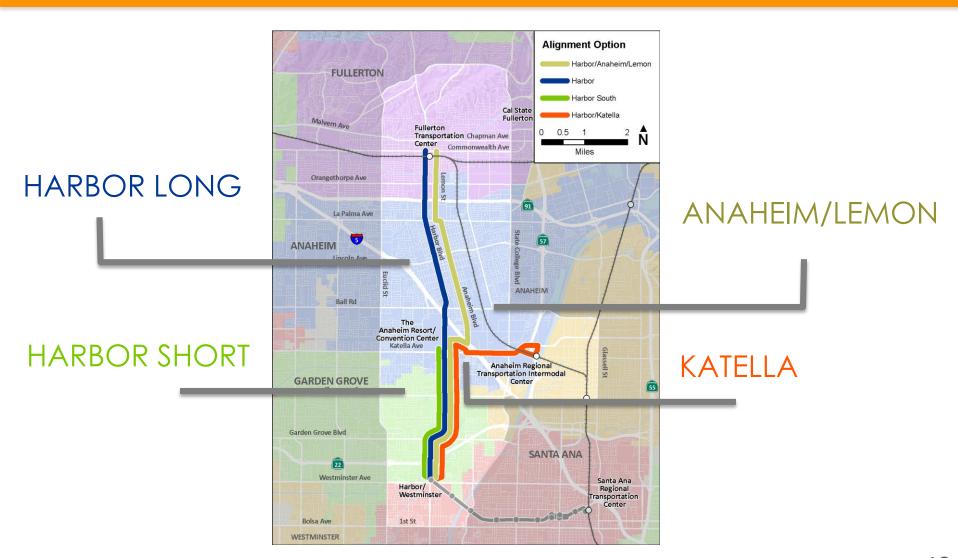
- Transit Performance
- Land Use
- Connectivity
- Corridor Constraints
- Mode Choices/User Experience
- Cost-Effectiveness
- Community Support

| # | Criteria |
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| 1. Tr | ansit Performance |
| а | Average Transit Operating Speed |
| b | Person Throughput |
| с | Travel Time Reliability / On-Time Performance |
| d* | Congestion Relief - New Linked Project Trips |
| 2. La | nd Use |
| a* | Transit-Compatible Land Uses - Station Area Population / Employment Density |
| b* | Economic Development - Transit Supportive Plans and Policies |
| c* | Environmental Benefits and Impacts - VMT-Related (Traffic, Air Quality, GHG) |
| d* | Other Environmental Benefits & Impacts (Noise, Historic, etc) |
| 3. Co | nnectivity |
| а | Activity Center Connectivity |
| b | Zero and One Transfer Rides |
| c* | Compliance with Long Range Regional Mobility Goals |
| d* | First/Last Mile Connections - Bike/Ped Amenities & Linkages |
| 4. Corridor Constraints | |
| a | Optimally Allocate Roadway Infrastructure |
| b | Overall Safety / Collision Hot Spots |
| С | Optimize Traffic Operations |
| d | Physical Corridor Constraints (Bridges, Rail Crossings, etc) |
| 5. M | ode Choices / User Experience |
| а | New Riders (System-Wide) |
| b | Mode Share |
| c* | Mobility Improvement - Linked Trips on Project |
| d | Station User experience / Level of Amenities |
| 6. Co | st-Effectiveness |
| a* | Cost Effectiveness - Capital + O&M Costs / Project Trips |
| b | Incremental Cost per New Transit Trip |
| С | Farebox Recovery |
| d | Financial Feasibility (Cost, Suitability for Funding, etc) |

Note: Starred Criteria match FTA New Starts Evaluation Criteria

| 7. Community Input | |
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| a | Description of Outreach Plan Activities including Dates and Times |
| b | Summary of Comments Received and Key Issues |

Alignment Options



Mode/Feature Options

Enhanced Bus



- Shares lanes with other cars
- Receives priority at traffic signals and uses bypass lanes at intersections
- Includes state-of-the art stops with ticket machines
- Carries around 70 people
- Project Cost: \$

Bus Rapid Transit



- Includes all Enhanced Bus features, but travels on a dedicated bus-only lane
- Carries around 120 people in a longer, 60-foot bus
- Project Cost: \$\$

Streetcar



- Shares lanes with cars but travels on its own track embedded in the road
- · Powered by overhead wires
- Includes modern stops with ticket machines and allows riders to board from front or rear doors
- Carries up to 150 people (3x as much as regular buses)
- Project Cost: \$\$\$

"Rapid" Streetcar



- Includes all Streetcar features, but uses a dedicated streetcar-only lane
- Faster than a regular streetcar or bus
- Project Cost: \$\$\$\$

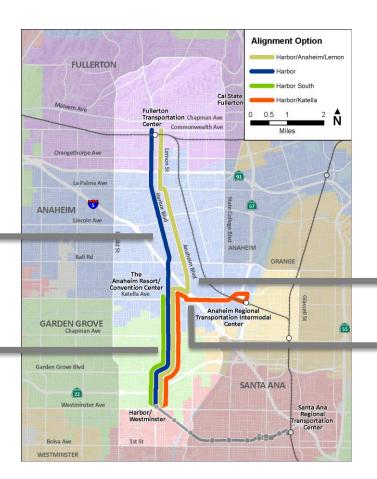
12 Draft Alternatives

HARBOR LONG

- H-2: Harbor Long Streetcar
- H-3: Harbor Rapid Streetcar
- H-4: Harbor Enhanced Bus
- H-5: Harbor Bus Rapid Transit

HARBOR SHORT

H-1: Harbor Short Streetcar



ANAHEIM/LEMON

- L-1: Anaheim/Lemon Streetcar
- L-2: Anaheim/Lemon Rapid
 Streetcar
- L-3: Anaheim/Lemon Enhanced Bus
- L-4: Anaheim/Lemon BRT

KATELLA

- K-1: Katella Streetcar
- K-2: Katella+ Anaheim/Lemon Enhanced Bus
- K-3: Katella + Harbor Hybrid

Next Steps

- Refine draft alternatives based on comments received
- Evaluate alternatives
- Draft Final Report
 - Summary of results
 - Recommendations

Staying Involved

- Online Tools:
 - Project Website:
 - www.octa.net/harborgetinvolved
 - Online public engagement tool
 - Public can comment on individual areas or project as a whole
 - Virtual Open House