OC Streetcar Bus Rail Interface Plan Options



OC Streetcar Service Profile

- Revenue service starts December 2020
- Streetcar frequency assumptions from environmental document



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Goals

- To plan for bus routes to complement the OC Streetcar
- Improve access to OC Streetcar stops
- Increase ridership on OC Streetcar and connecting bus routes
- Meet Title VI standards and FTA requirements



FTA – Federal Transit Administration

Objectives

Maximize ridership potential

- Coordinate bus service span with OC Streetcar
- Reduce service duplication between bus and OC Streetcar
 - Realign bus service that competes with OC Streetcar
- Ensure optimal connectivity between bus and OC Streetcar services
 - Recommend bus stop locations
- Maintain financial sustainability and equity
 - Reallocate service
 - Meet Title VI policy

Pre OC Streetcar Bus Routing





Bus Route Change Options

• 15 existing bus routes within 1/2 mile of OC Streetcar alignment

Route	Description	Alignment	Bus Stop	Frequency	Span	Other
43	Fullerton to Costa Mesa via Harbor Boulevard		\checkmark			
47/A	Fullerton to Balboa via Anaheim Boulevard/Fairview Street				\checkmark	
53	Anaheim to Irvine via Main Street		\checkmark		\checkmark	
55	Santa Ana to Newport Beach via Standard/Bristol/Fairview/17th	\checkmark	\checkmark		\checkmark	
57/X	Brea to Newport Beach via State College Boulevard/Bristol Street					No Change
59	Anaheim to Irvine via Kraemer/Glassell/Grand on Karman				\checkmark	
60	Long Beach to Tustin via Westminster Avenue/17 th Street					No Change
64/X	Huntington Beach to Tustin via Bolsa Avenue/1st Street					No Change
83	Anaheim to Laguna Hills via Interstate 5 (I-5) /Main Street	✓	\checkmark	✓	\checkmark	
150	Santa Ana to Costa Mesa via Fairview Street/Flower Street					Implemented June 2016
206	Santa Ana to Lake Forest Express via I-5					Changed October 2016
462	SARTC to Civic Center via via Santa Ana Boulevard/Civic Center Drive					Eliminate Route
463	SARTC to Hutton Centre via Grand Avenue					Changed October 2016
543	Fullerton Transportation Center to Santa Ana via Harbor Boulevard		\checkmark		\checkmark	
560	Santa Ana to Long Beach via 17th Street/Westminster Avenue	\checkmark				

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Bus Route Alignment Options

Route 55

- Realign off of Santa Ana Boulevard to Ross Street, Civic Center Drive to Flower Street
- Route 83
 - Realign off of Santa Ana Boulevard to Santiago Street, Civic Center Drive, and Main Street
 - Remove routing to Civic Center area because of duplication with streetcar

• Route 462

• Eliminate route because of service duplication with streetcar

• Bravo! 560

 Reroute to Tustin Avenue at Fruit Street because of some duplication with OC Streetcar

Post OC Streetcar Bus Routing





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Bus Stop Options

Route 43 and Bravo! 543

- Relocate bus stops to improve connection
- Route 53
 - New stop on Main Street at Santa Ana Boulevard
- Route 55
 - New stop on Ross Street at Santa Ana Boulevard
- Route 83
 - New stops on Civic Center Drive
- Stops for other routes are suitable at current locations

Bus Frequency and Span Options

- Extend weekday span to 11:00 pm on routes 59 and 543
- Extend Saturday span to 1:00 am on routes 47, 53, 55, 59, 83, and 543
- Extend Sunday span to 10:00 pm on routes 53, 55, 59, and 543
- Keep Friday span the same as other weekdays. Review extending Friday span based on customer input after implementation
- Extended span mostly at 60 minute frequency
- Improve weekday Route 83 frequency to 15/30 minute during peak
- Increased service would require 4,700 to 13,500 additional annual revenue hours and up to three additional weekday peak buses

Next Steps

- Finalize Alignment, Frequency, and Span Recommendations
- Develop Final Report for FTA
- Refine Bus Stop Locations with Cities
- Implement Route Changes with OC Streetcar Startup