

A low-angle, upward-looking shot of a white and blue Sound Transit train. The train features a teal wave-like graphic along its side and several windows. A dark grey horizontal band across the middle of the image contains white text. The background shows a station platform with a glass roof.

Shaping Sound Transit 3

**Public Involvement
June-July 2015**

SOUNDTRANSIT

Planning for our region's future



Public involvement—June 4-July 8

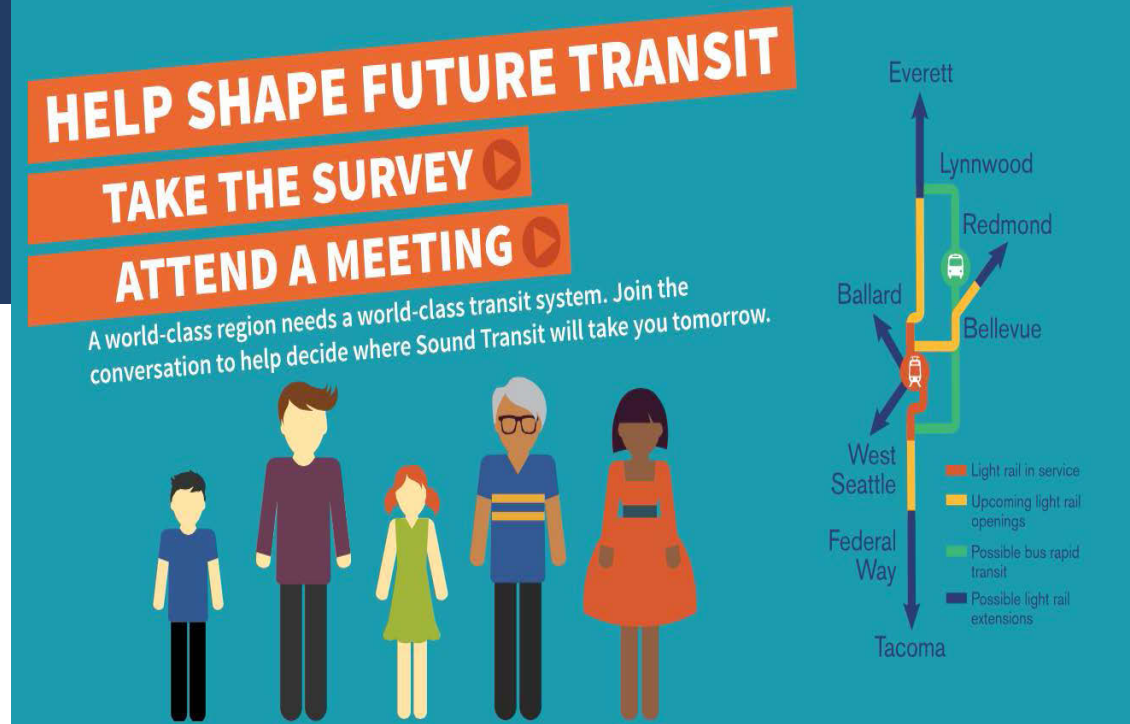
- Online survey
- Public meetings June 16-25
 - **Seattle (Evening):** June 16 *
 - **Everett:** June 18
 - **Redmond:** June 23
 - **Tacoma:** June 24
 - **Seattle (Daytime):** June 25
 - **Federal Way:** June 25 *

* Co-located with King County Metro Transit Long-Range Plan meetings



Awareness and involvement toolbox

- Direct mail
- Direct e-mail
- Social media
- Advertising
- New website: soundtransit3.org

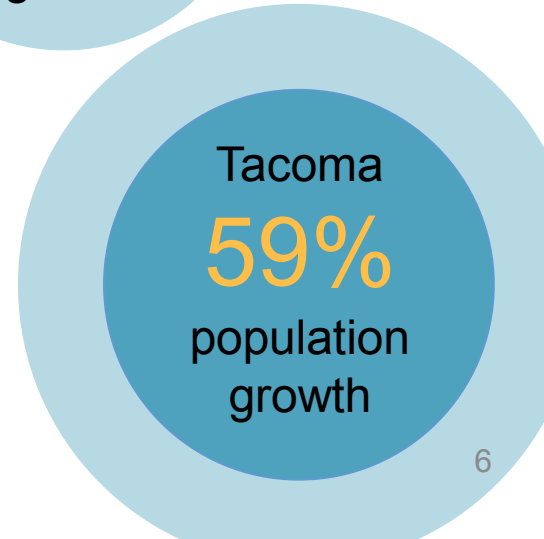
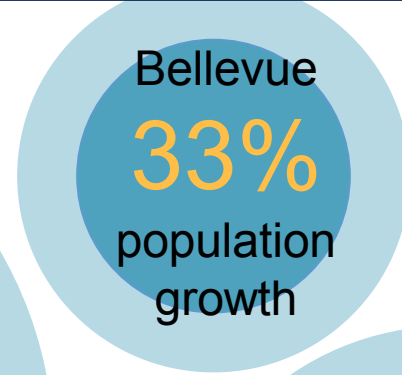
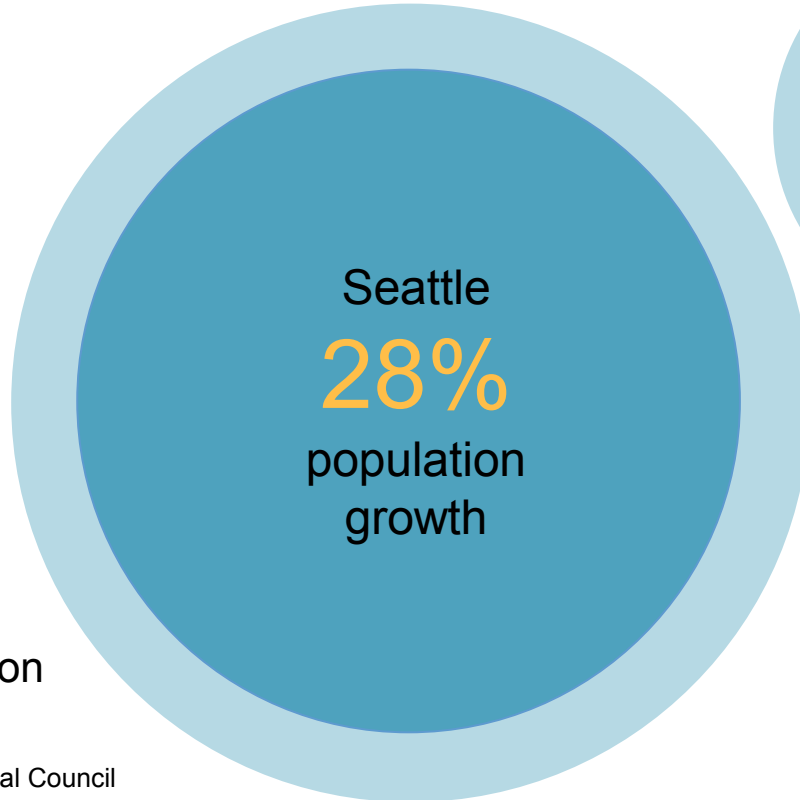
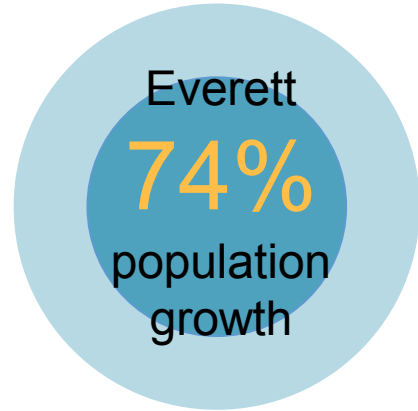


Working for the future



➤ How will a million new neighbors change our region?

More people are calling this area home



Projected population
growth by 2040

Source: Puget Sound Regional Council

Rising congestion on I-5

2011

62 min

reliable travel time
Seattle - Everett



Today

80 min

reliable travel time
Seattle - Everett



2040

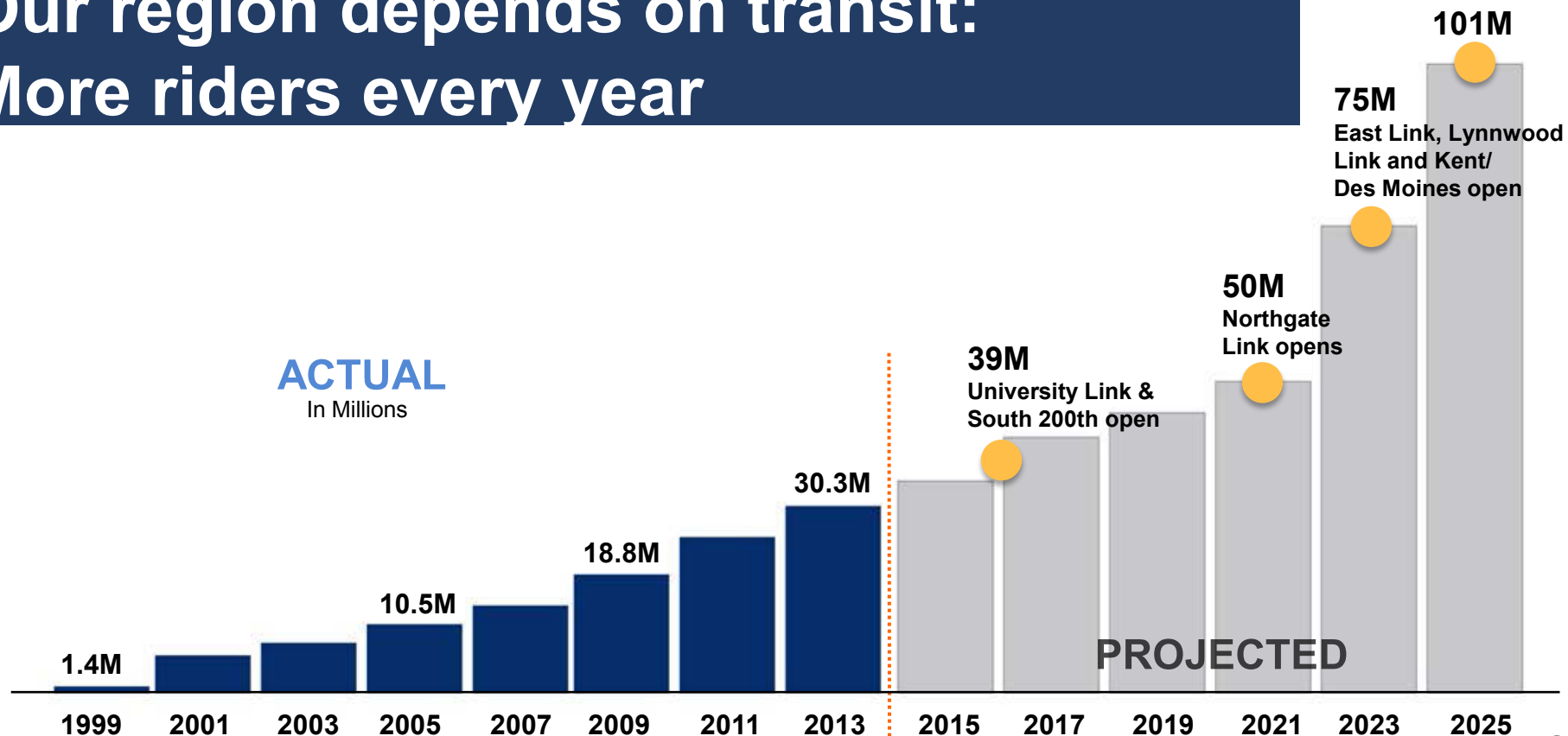
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reliable travel time
Seattle - Everett

Sigh...



Our region depends on transit: More riders every year



Source: Sound Transit ridership reports, service implementation plan and financial plan.

Expanding our transportation capacity



700

cars per hour in heavy congestion

One freeway lane



12,000

people per hour in each direction

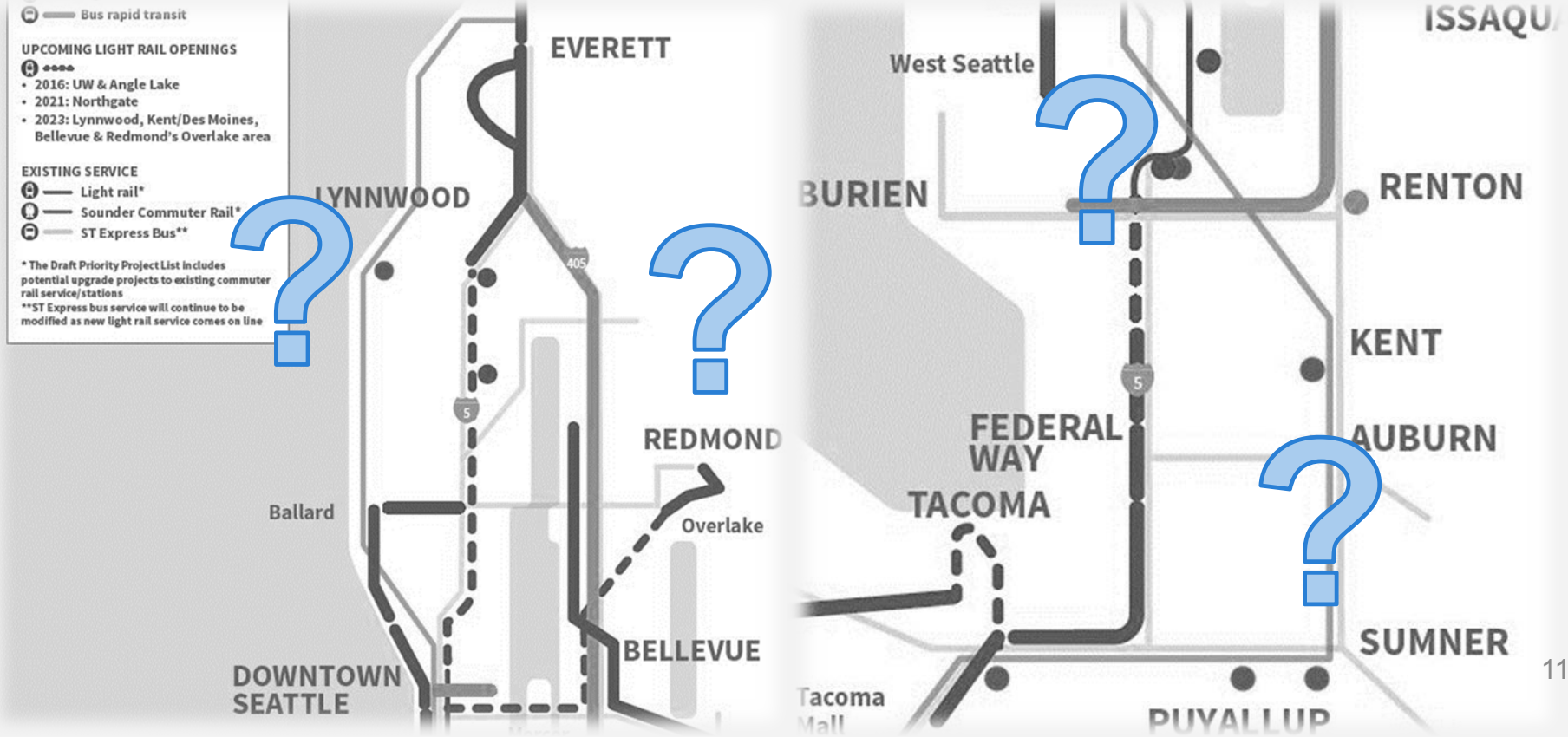
Light rail

ST3 point of departure: 2023 ST2 completion

**Current and funded train
and bus service**



ST3 – Draft Priority Project List



Requested feedback

- **What projects would you emphasize as candidates for study in a potential ballot measure?**
- **Have we missed any projects?**

Next Steps

- Jurisdictional input on Draft Priority Projects List (request for letters by July 15)
- July 23: Public input presented to Sound Transit Board
- August 27: Update Priority Projects List based on public and jurisdictional input
- Fall/Winter: Evaluate projects and create templates





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