

# **Transform 66 Multimodal**

## **Collective Benefits of FY2017 Multimodal Projects**

Moves as many as 5,000 people daily through the corridor in the morning peak period within the first year

Provides three new bus routes and increased service on two existing routes Provides much-needed relief to the busy I-66/
Orange/Silver Line Corridor

Allows the corridor to operate more efficiently by providing traveler information and transportation demand management services

Connects 20 activity centers across Northern Virginia and the District of Columbia

Balances long- and shorthaul bus trips

#### **About NVTC**

As the premier transit organization in Northern Virginia, NVTC brings the region together to plan, coordinate, and secure funding for transit systems that are financially sustainable and high performing.

NVTC enjoys a special relationship with the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA) and Virginia Railway Express (VRE), as it is charged with the funding and stewardship of both. Founded in 1964, in part to represent the interests of the Commonwealth during the establishment of WMATA, NVTC continues to serve as Virginia's voice on the WMATA Board of Directors through its appointments to the panel. Following Metrorail's launch, NVTC began planning for a commuter rail service, VRE, which became operational in 1992. NVTC, as the railway's co-owner, appoints members to the VRE Operations Board.

#### **NVTC Programs & Projects**

✓ Regional Bus Agenda

✓ SafeTrack Regional Coordination

✓ Emergency Preparedness

✓ Envision Route 7

✓ Economic Value of High Capacity Transit

√ Financial Management

✓ Transform 66 Multimodal

✓ Fare Collection Technologies

✓ Transit Funding

#### **Transit Systems Serving NVTC Jurisdictions**

















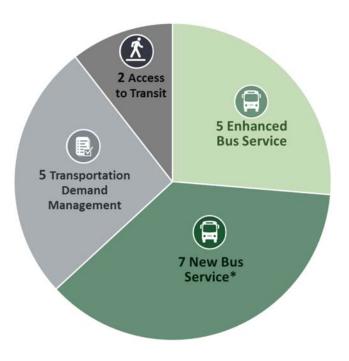
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## **Transforming I-66 with Transit**

NVTC is leading Transform 66 Multimodal Inside the Beltway. To move more people through the I-66 corridor as quickly and efficiently as possible, the Commission is funding 10 multimodal projects. Those projects were selected from 19 applications submitted by six jurisdictions and transit providers in District 8. NVTC approved the projects in June 2016, following a public comment period and hearing, and the Commonwealth Transportation Board endorsed them a month later. Component grant agreements, which include measures of effectiveness, were subsequently executed. To date, one project has broken ground, one is operational and another is set to begin in June. All will be online when tolling begins in December 2017.

Transform 66 Multimodal is a partnership between NVTC and the Commonwealth of Virginia. The two entities have signed a 40-year agreement that will allow NVTC to use revenues from the I-66 HOT lanes to benefit the toll payers by improving travel options and moving more people through this heavily congested corridor.

#### **FY2017 Multimodal Applications**



## **Transform 66 Multimodal Requirements**

#### Multimodal projects must:

- Benefit the toll payers of I-66 inside the Beltway
- Be legally eligible (location, type, applicant)
- Meet one or more of the Transform 66
   Improvement Goals
  - ✓ Move more people
  - ✓ Enhance transportation connectivity
  - ✓ Improve transit service
  - ✓ Reduce roadway congestion
  - ✓ Increase travel options

#### Who May Apply:

- Jurisdictions in Virginia Planning District 8
- Agencies providing public transportation within those jurisdictions



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#### **Eligible Projects**



Park-and-Ride Lots



**Roadway Improvements** 



Metrorail



**Transportation Demand Management** 



**Access to Transit** 

**New or Enhanced Bus Service** 

#### **Selection Process**

- Component Type
- · Benefit Toll Payers
- Obligate by Toll Day One

Eligibility Screening

- Technical Evaluation
- Benefits
- Cost Share
- Cost Effectiveness
- Review by NVTC jurisdictional staff, Prince William County, PRTC,

VDOT and DPRT

Multimodal
Working Group

## **Public Input**

- Web/phone/in person/mail
- · Comment Period
- Public Hearings

## **Implementation Process**

Adopt FY2017 Initial Multimodal Program

Issue grant agreements and implement components

Monitor for performance and compliance

#### **FY2017 Funded Projects Project** Description Jurisdiction **Funding** New weekday, peak-period express bus service Fairfax Connector Express Service will run between the Fairfax County from Government Center to State Government Center park-and-ride facility, and Department/Foggy Bottom Washington, D.C. Fairfax \$3,336,836 A new 300-space park-and-ride lot will anchor Loudoun County Stone Ridge commuter bus service between Aldie and the **Enhanced Transit** McPherson Square Metrorail station. Loudoun \$1,940,939 New commuter bus service from Prince William County, which began operating in December PRTC Gainesville to Pentagon 2016, will eventually serve more than 270 riders **Commuter Service** daily. PRTC \$887,900 By increasing bus frequency and decreasing Peak Period Service Expansion to route run times, this project will serve 150 new Metrobus Route 2A Washington Blvdweekday riders, increasing daily ridership to 2,700. **Dunn Loring** Arlington \$1,000,000 The improved frequency - buses will run every 12 minutes - will attract 175 new weekday ART Bus Route 55 Peak Period Service Expansion riders, increasing daily ridership to 1,300. Arlington \$450,000 **Bus Stop Consolidation and** Underutilized and closely spaced bus stops will Accessibility Improvements Lee be consolidated to improve bus travel times and Improvements will be made to 30 stops. \$462,000 Highway and Washington Blvd Arlington Sixteen bike share stations will serve as a first-/ last-mile solution for the two Falls Church **Expanded Transit Access through** Metrorail stations, potentially increasing daily Capital Bikeshare trips by 450. Falls Church \$500,000 50 transit screens will provide dynamic information on transit arrivals; I-66 travel times; Multimodal Real-Time Transportation toll rates for the I-66 HOT lanes; and bike- and Information Screens \$250,000 car-share availability. Arlington Expected to serve 900 new riders, this program **Loudoun County Transportation** will offer incentives to take transit and financial Demand Management Transit Subsidy rewards for new carpools and vanpools. Loudoun \$623,000 Robust outreach and education services, with a focus on carpool and vanpool initiatives, will Arlington County Expanded TDM eliminate 1,300 single-occupant car trips Outreach to the I-66 Corridor through the corridor. \$350,000 Arlington

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