

ConnectGreaterWashington

Presentation to the Planning Directors Technical Advisory Committee (PDTAC)

March 28, 2014



ConnectGreaterWashington: The 2040 Regional Transit System Plan

Overview

- Metro Forward and Metro 2025
- ConnectGreaterWashington (CGW)
 Overview
- Possible Land Use Scenarios
- Next Steps





Rebuilding the Foundation

Metro Forward: \$5 billion, six-year investment program







Momentum Delivers Metro 2025



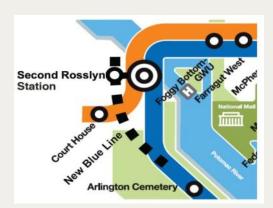
100% 8-car trains



Complete Priority Corridor Network



More station capacity



New infrastructure



Underground pedestrian links



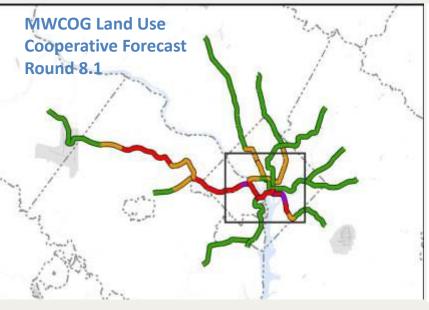
Next-generation communications



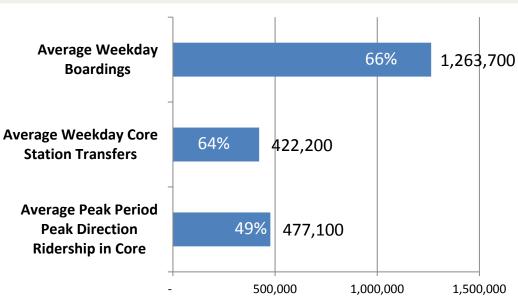


2040 Metrorail System Forecast

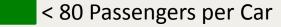
Peak Hour Passenger Loads with CLRP Projects and 100% Eight-Car Trains



2040 Forecasted Growth from 2007



Region's Adopted Land Use



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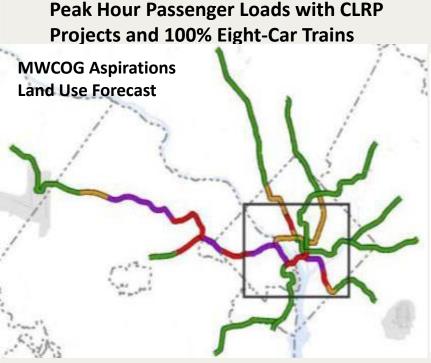
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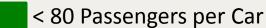
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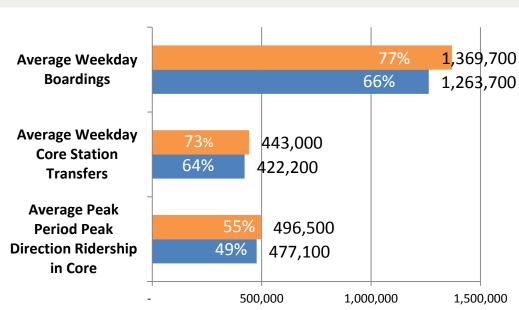


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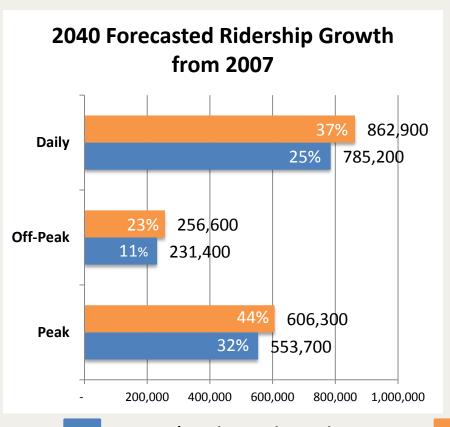
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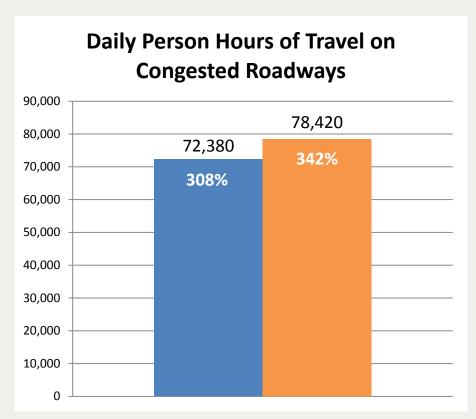
Aspirations Land Use

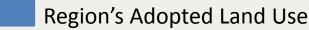


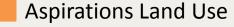


2040 Bus System Forecast





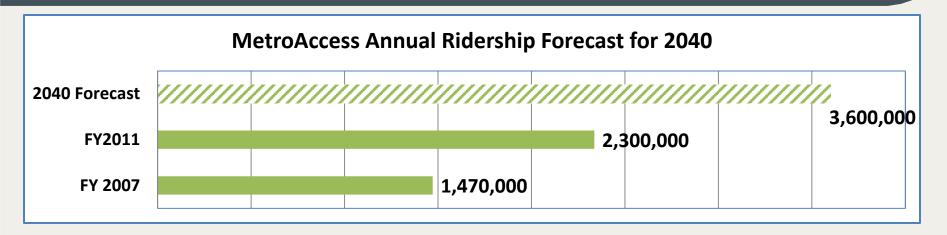


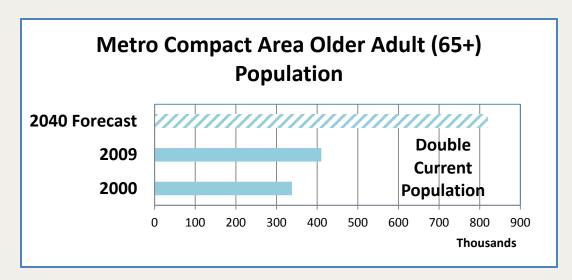


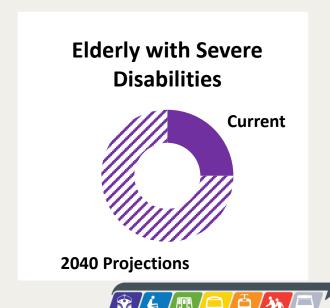




2040 MetroAccess Forecast





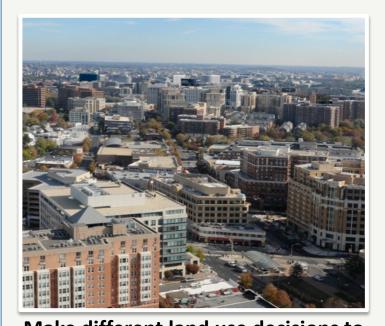




ConnectGreaterWashington: Overview



Expand rail and surface transit system to meet land use projections (2040 Regional Transit System Plan)



Make different land use decisions to balance transit supply/demand (Alternatives to Expanding the Region's Transit System)





ConnectGreaterWashington: 2040 Regional Transit System Plan (RTSP)



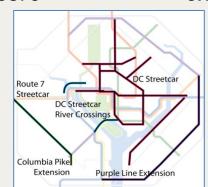
Evaluate new Metrorail lines in the core



Evaluate potential extensions



Extend high quality surface transit



Evaluate cross-Potomac connections



Improve commuter rail/bus frequency and span of service





ConnectGreaterWashington: Alternatives to the 2040 RTSP

Possible Scenarios

Efficient Transit

Cost Effective Transit

Maintain Travel Time

Others?

Other Policies/Trends that can be Modified in the Model

Cost of driving

Telecommuting

Changes to federal government

Desire for urban living

Others?



Next Steps: Project Timeline

Date	Action
Spring 2014	Meeting #1 with Planning Directors (3/28) and Technical Advisory Group (TAG) (4/4)
May/June 2014	Public Outreach (Workshop TBD)
June 2014	Meeting #2 with Planning Directors and TAG
Summer 2014*	Scenario Modeling
Fall 2014*	Outreach to Public on Scenario Results Meeting #3 with Planning Directors and TAG
Winter 2014*	Final Report
* Schedule dependent on Cooperative Forecast Round 8.3	





Comments/Questions

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