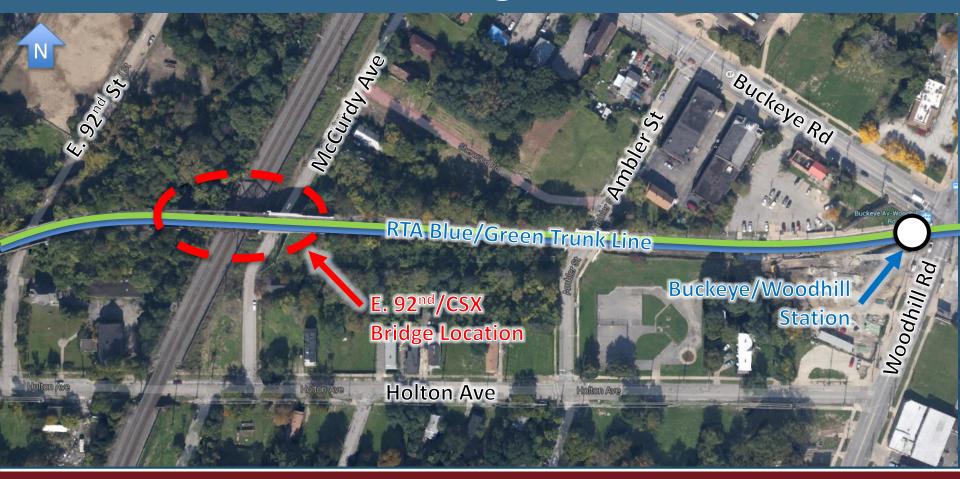
# Summary of Proposed Award Transit Track Bridge at E. 92nd St.

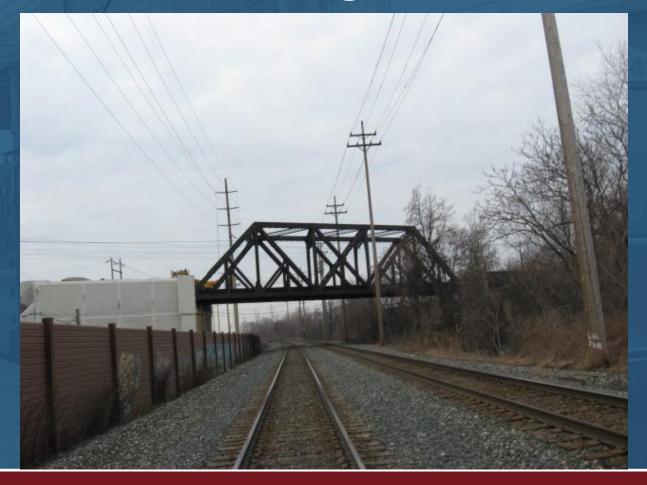
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- Built in 1914
- Bridge consists of a thru girder span and a "Baltimore" truss span
- Both bridges are open decks the ties are connected directly to the floor beams without ballast







- Both truss and girder are fracture critical
- Fracture Critical: steel tension member that if fractured would result in the collapse or unserviceability of the bridge
- Fracture Critical bridges must be inspected at arms-length every 24 months



- Scope of Design Services:
  - Perform an in-depth inspection of each bridge
  - Load rate each bridge and gusset plate
  - Prepare rehabilitation recommendations to extend bridge service life
  - Develop construction plans and specifications
  - Provide construction administration services



- Project Schedule:
  - Design begins November 2014
  - Construction bid package November 2015
  - Construction budgeted for 2016
  - Construction duration approximately one year



## Transit Track Bridge at E. 92nd St. Procurement Overview

- RFP issued July 2014
- Accessed on GCRTA web site by twenty-one
   (21) potential vendors
- Three (3) firms proposed



- Evaluation Panel Members:
  - Engineering
  - o OBD
  - Procurement
  - Operations



- o Evaluation Criteria:
  - Project Manager
  - Assigned Staff
  - Past Performance
  - Project Approach
  - Location of Majority of Work
  - DBE Participation



Recommended Vendor:

TranSystems Corporation of Ohio

- o DBE Goal 20%
  - Denise's Flagging
  - KS Associates (Surveying)



- o Firm Experience:
  - TranSystems Corporation of Ohio has completed bridge projects for GCRTA, ODOT, Cuyahoga County and Trinity Railway Express (Dallas)
  - Over forty-eight years experience.
  - Experienced/qualified staff



#### o Recommendation:

 Staff requests that the Planning & Development Committee recommend award of a base contract not to exceed \$275,299. to TranSystems Corporation of Ohio for Engineering Services for the rehabilitation of the GCRTA transit track bridge over CSX Railroad at East 92nd St.