#### **Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority**

















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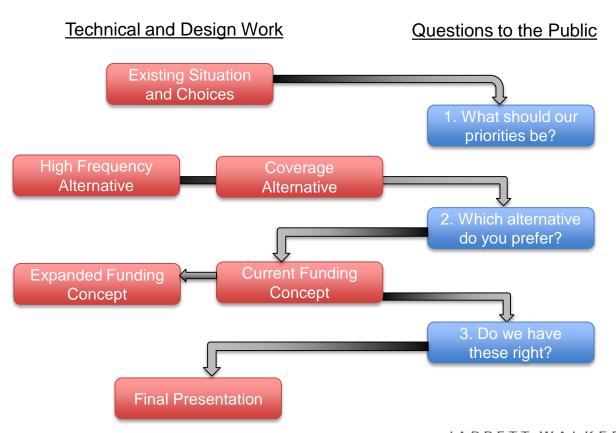
## Downtown

## Overview

- NEXT GEN RTA is the proposal for a bus system redesign, based on the results of the 2019 System Redesign Study with Jarrett Walker + Associates (JWA)
- Community expressed a wish to redesign the system
- Through public engagement, the desire is for more frequent bus service but to continue serving all communities currently being served



### Study Process With JWA and Stakeholders



### **Main Features – Connecting Our Community:**

- Prioritize trips to work, education and healthcare
- More frequent service all day on weekdays
- More frequent service on Saturdays and Sundays
- More direct transportation, less need to transfer between vehicles on trips between city and suburbs

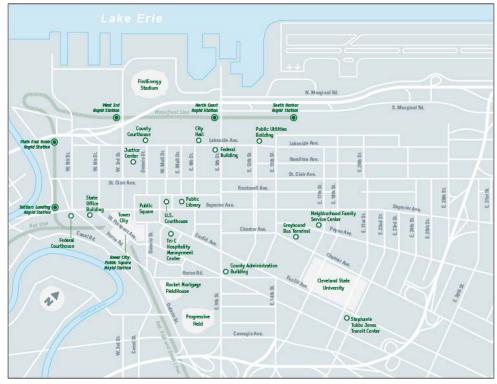


## **Timeline**

- October Mid November 2020: Community engagement on the proposed network
  - Make adjustments based on the community feedback
- December: RTA Staff to present recommended plan to Board
- Spring 2021: Extensive community education
- Targeted implementation June 2021



## Downtown





## Current B – Line Trolley

- Discontinue all downtown trolley service divert resources to other routes
- Improved service on Superior Ave with NEXT GEN #3, #11, #14, #15
- Improved service on St. Clair Ave with NEXT GEN #1
- NEXT GEN #19-19A and #55 connect Lakeside Ave and Public Square



## Current E – Line Trolley

- Discontinue all downtown trolley service divert resources to other routes
- The HealthLine will continue to serve Euclid Ave
- NEXT GEN #55 connects W Lakeside Ave, Public Square and Cleveland State University



# Current C – Line Trolley

- Discontinue all downtown trolley service divert resources to other routes
- The HealthLine will continue to serve Euclid Ave
- NEXT GEN #1 will continue to serve St. Clair Ave



## **Current NineTwelve Trolley**

- Discontinue all downtown trolley service divert resources to other routes
- Waterfront Line will continue to serve the Muny Parking Lot



### Current #246 and #263 Park-N-Ride

- Discontinue routes
- NEXT GEN #55 will serve the N. Olmsted PNR lot
- NEXT GEN #55B-C will serve the Westlake PNR lot
- Downtown alignment continue to serve Cleveland State, but not Ontario St between I – 90 and Public Square



## West Side Routes

- NEXT GEN #55 (Cleveland State Line) will continue to serve Public Square and Cleveland State University
- All other west side routes (NEXT GEN #22, #25, #26, #45, #51-51A, #53-53A, #71)
  will start and end near Public Square at all times of service



## **East Side Routes**

- NEXT GEN #1, #3, HealthLine no alignment changes
- Discontinue route #8
- NEXT GEN #11, #14, #15 New alignment to serve Superior and Cleveland State
  University instead of Prospect Ave
- #38 downtown replaced by NEXT GEN #9 will use Superior west of E 17/E 18



## East Side Routes continued

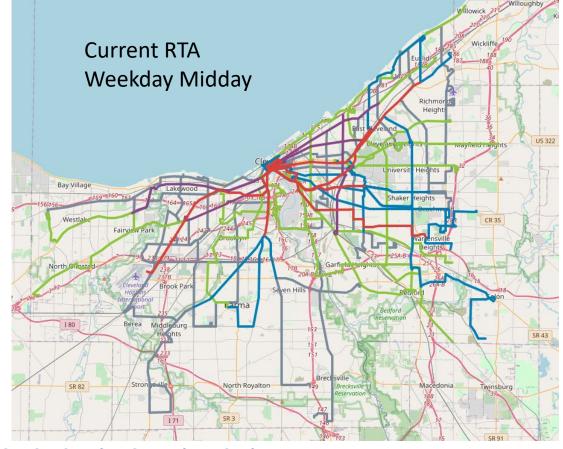
- #39/39F consolidated, no alignment change downtown
- #76 replaced by NEXT GEN #19A terminal for all trips at Lakeside-E 6<sup>th</sup>
- NEXT GEN #77, #90 New alignment to serve St. Clair and Cleveland State
  University instead of Prospect Ave



## **Benefits**

- Frequent service within downtown on some streets
- More frequent service to/from downtown
- More places accessible to/from downtown without transferring





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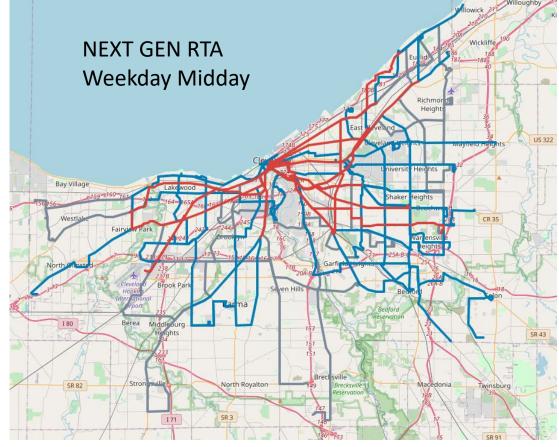
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