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SUNSET BL BUS PRIORITY LANES PROJECT

Fact Sheet

Overview

Metro has a plan to make it easier to get around LA. Bus service is the backbone of the public transit system, which is why the NextGen Bus Plan reimagined the bus system to focus on providing fast, frequent, reliable, and accessible service. A key element in implementing this plan is the use of bus priority lanes. A bus priority lane gives buses dedicated space to travel separately from vehicles.

These lanes improve bus speeds by up to 15%, allowing buses to run more frequently, increasing reliability. We can enhance mobility by moving more people within existing infrastructure.

Project Description

The Sunset Bl Bus Priority Lanes Project is an important step toward building a safer and faster transit network in Los Angeles. Located along a 4.3-mile segment of Sunset Bl, from Vermont Av to Havenhurst Dr, the project would add bus priority lanes for Metro Line 2 on weekdays during the busiest hours of the day.

There are roughly 20,000 daily boardings along Sunset Bl, and this project would improve Metro service to over 111,000 residents and nearly 56,000 jobs within a 10-minute walk of the corridor.

How It Works

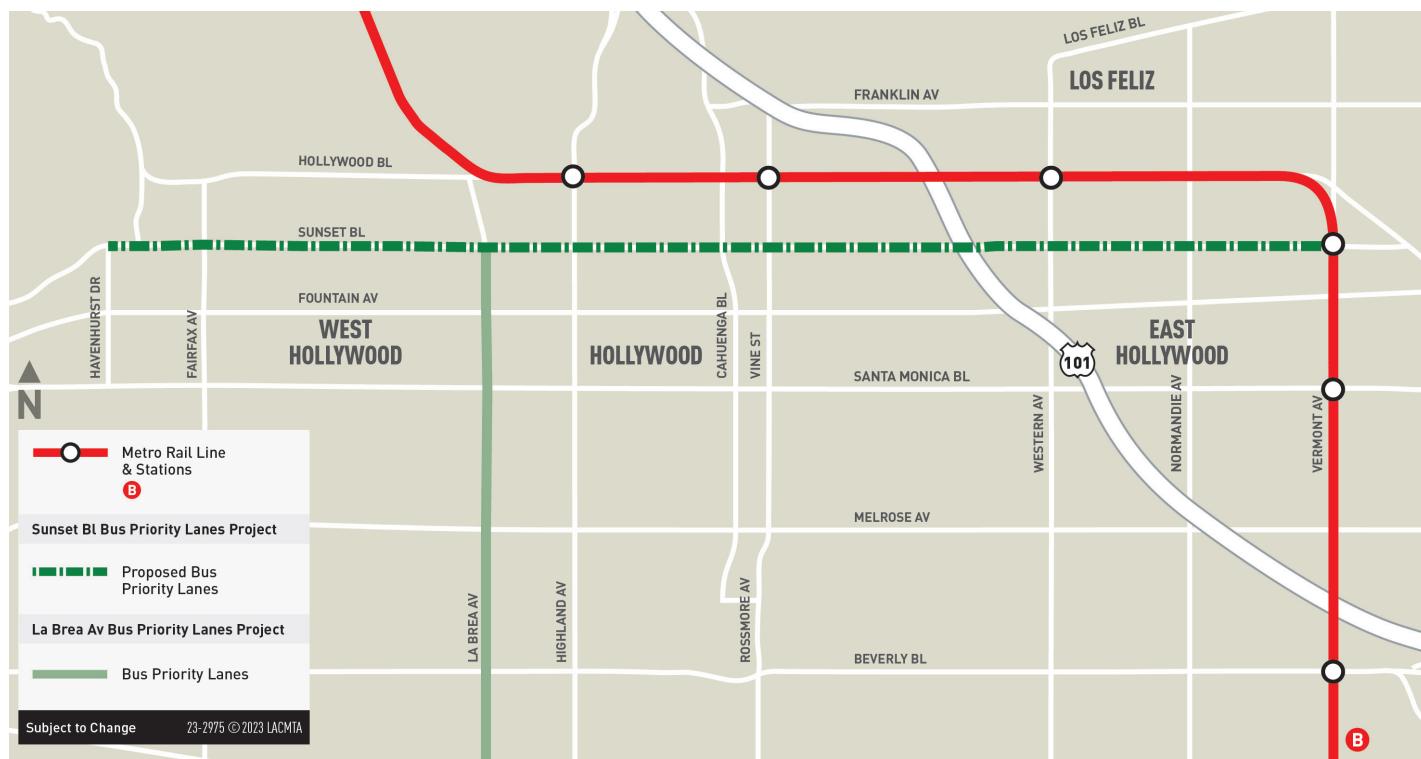
> One-hour extension of "No Parking" restrictions during existing weekday hours from 7-9am (between US-101 and Havenhurst Dr) and existing evening hours from 4-7pm (between Vermont Av and Havenhurst Dr) on both sides of the street

- > Converts the curbside lanes on Sunset Bl between Vermont Av and US-101 into peak hour bus priority lanes from 7-10am and 3-7pm on weekdays only
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- > Buses would run every 7-8 minutes during bus priority lane hours of operation
- > Two general traffic lanes and left turn lanes would be maintained in each direction
- > Drivers may use the bus lanes to make right turns at intersections and driveways

Benefits

- > Improves speed, frequency and reliability of bus service on the corridor
- > Improves safety of crossing streets and walking to nearby bus stops
- > Connects riders to the B Line and to major north-south transit corridors such as Vermont Av, Western Av, Highland Av, La Brea Av, and Fairfax Av
- > Street parking would remain available during midday, overnight, and weekend periods for residents, businesses and visitors to the area
- > Improves access to jobs, schools, businesses, and other key locations such as Children's Hospital Los Angeles, Hollywood Palladium, and the nearby Hollywood Walk of Fame
- > People riding bikes may use bus priority lanes

SUNSET BL BUS PRIORITY LANES PROJECT MAP



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