



Florence Av Bus Priority Lanes Virtual Community Meeting July 31, 2025


Welcome!


We will begin in a few minutes

¡Bienvenidos!

Comenzaremos en unos minutos

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Meeting Format

Today's meeting is being recorded.



Attendee cameras are off and microphones are muted



During the presentation, questions can be submitted using the Q&A icon



Spanish interpretation is available

Thank you for joining us!

Agenda

- > Project Video
- > Team Introductions
- > Metro Updates
- > Project Overview
- > Upcoming Work
- > Questions & Answers



Metro Bus Priority Lanes

We're bringing
you a better
bus experience.

[Please click here to view the video.](#)



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Know Your Rights as an Immigrant

- > All immigrants, regardless of status, are entitled to basic rights and protections under the law. Understanding these rights is the first step toward safety, empowerment, and accessing essential resources.
- > Key Support Services Available:
 - Free or low-cost legal services
 - Language-accessible assistance
 - Resources for navigating immigration issues
 - Protection from fraud, discrimination, and abuse
- > oia.lacounty.gov




**AS AN IMMIGRANT,
YOU HAVE RIGHTS!**

Get support, legal services and protections.

**COMO INMIGRANTE,
¡USTED TIENE DERECHOS!**

Obtenga apoyo, servicios legales y protecciones.

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Meet Chief William “Bill” Scott

- > Metro’s first Chief of Public Safety Department
- > He is a nationally recognized public safety leader with deep LA roots is now leading Metro’s new in-house transit security department
- > From uniforms to tech to community trust, Chief Scott will build a department focused on accountability, fairness, and world-class readiness
- > Read More: <https://bit.ly/MetroPublicSafety>



A woman with dark hair, wearing a blue tracksuit and a green jacket, is smiling and dancing on a yellow transit vehicle. She has her arms raised in a joyful gesture. The background shows other passengers and the interior of the vehicle.

LIFE Program

Low Income Fare is Easy

Ready to go more places with Metro?

Qualifying LA County residents can enjoy 20 free rides every month on Metro or a discounted pass on another participating transit agency. Sign up now and get unlimited free rides for the first 90 days! Visit www.metro.net/life for more information.

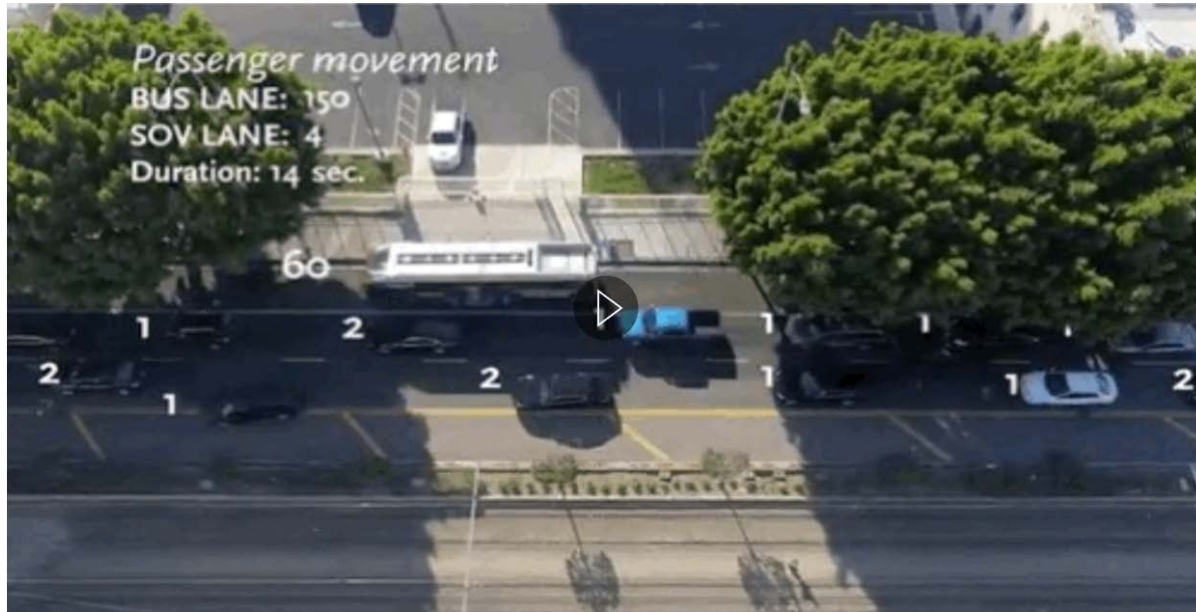
Florence Av Bus Priority Lanes

- > Creating safer and faster multimodal transit options in Los Angeles
- > 5.4-miles on Florence Av, between West Bl and the Florence A Line Station
- > Bus priority lanes in both directions for Metro Line 111 during weekday peak hours from 7 to 9 am and 4 to 7 pm



Bus Priority Lanes

Improve bus speeds by up to 15%, increase service frequency and reliability, and move more people without adding more infrastructure



Flower St Bus Priority Lane

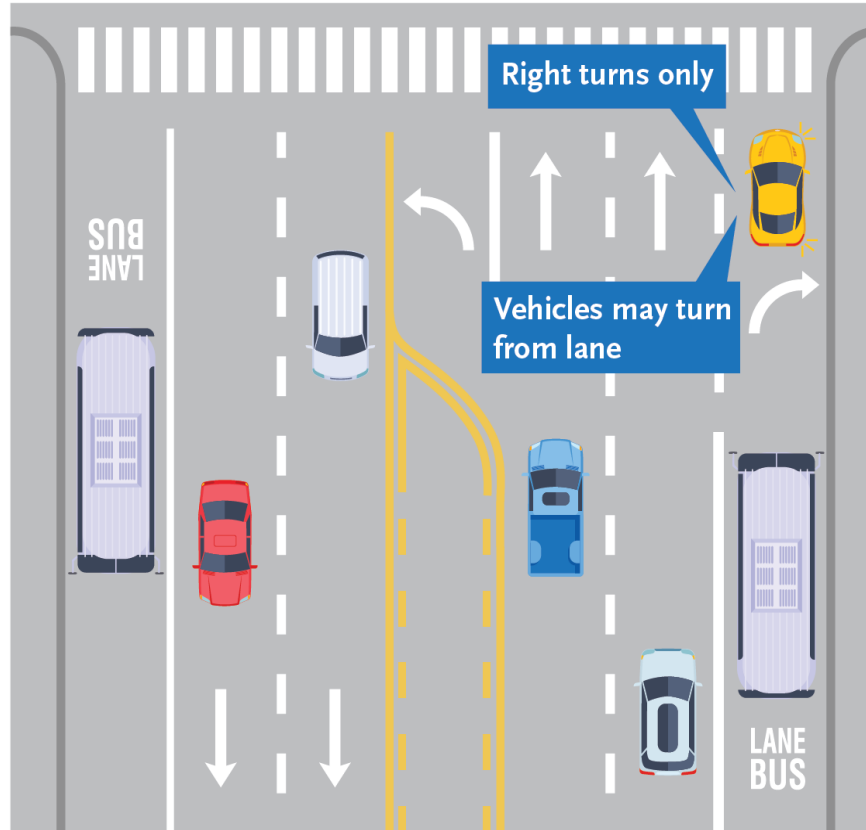
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How Bus Lanes Would Work

- > Converts **curb lanes** into bus priority lanes
- > The weekday No Parking restriction in the unincorporated County of Los Angeles section from Central Av to the Florence A Line Station will be updated to align with the existing City of LA No Parking restriction hours of 7 to 9am and 4 to 7pm
- > Buses run every 7-8 minutes during peak commute hours
- > Street parking would remain available:
 - During weekday off-peak hours (mid-day)
 - Weekday evenings
 - On weekends and observed holidays

Interacting with a Bus Lane



Florence Av: Bus Lanes Striping

Metro contractors may begin work on Florence Av in August or early September

- > Existing striping will be removed by grinding
- > New striping will be installed in phases
- > Completion is anticipated in 3 months
- > Construction noise variance permitted work hours:
 - Monday - Saturday, 9pm to 6am
 - Saturday, 8am to 6pm
- > Temporary parking restrictions will be enforced on a block-by-block basis
- > Temporary signage will offer detour information for pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists



Benefits to Street Users

- > **Taking Transit:** Improves speed, frequency & reliability of bus service
- > **Walking:** Improves safety of crossing the street and walking to nearby bus stops
- > **Driving:** Reduces need for buses to mix with vehicles in travel lanes **AND** maintains existing mid-day, overnight, weekend/observed holiday street parking for residents and visitors
- > **Biking:** People on bikes can use the bus priority lanes when needed



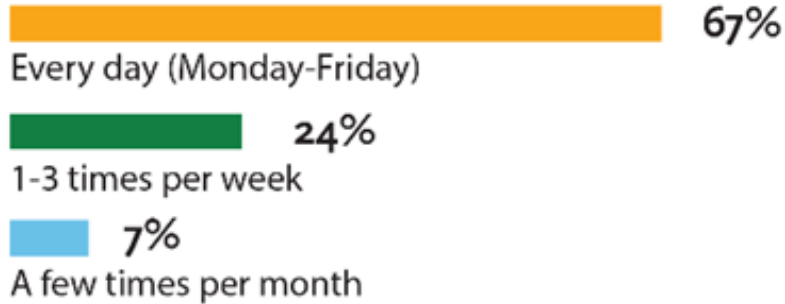
Pre-Implementation Rider Survey

- > In October 2024, we surveyed Line 111 riders between 7 – 10am and 3:30 – 6:30pm
- > Staff handed out approximately 300 survey fliers
- > **A total of 215 transit riders** on the bus or waiting at a stop were surveyed for this effort

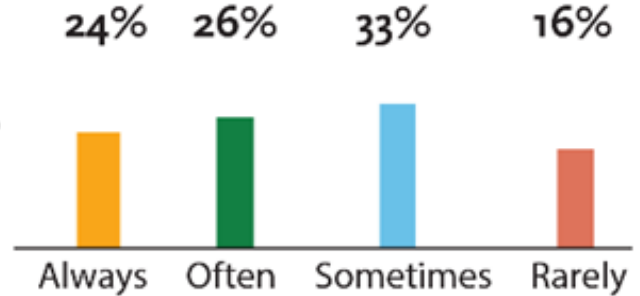


Pre-Implementation Rider Survey

How often do you ride a bus along this corridor?



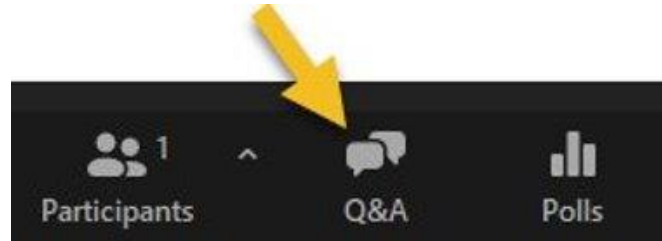
How often do you experience delays due to traffic congestion on Florence Av?



Questions & Answers



Questions and feedback may be submitted using the **Q&A** function at the bottom of the Zoom screen



Thank you for asking questions with respect and kindness

Stay Connected



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Thank you!



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