Southeast LRT Workshop Session

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Welcome

Bonnie Doon to Argyll

May 26, 2010



Tonight's Meeting Purpose

- To provide more detailed information on Southeast LRT concept engineering
- To provide specific detail on alignment alternatives for 83 Street / 90 Avenue to 83 Street / Argyll Road segment
- To collect comments from participants





LRT Workshop Session Schedule

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- Welcome and Introductions
- Project Background
- Session #1: Right-of-way Alignment
- Session #2: Station Location and Configuration
- Session #3: Neighbourhood and Business Access
- Conclusion





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Project Background





Council approvals to date:

- LRT Network Plan (June 2009)
- Southeast LRT Corridor (December 2009)
- West LRT Corridor (December 2009)





Where we are in the process?

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Corridor vs. Alignment

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Where we are in the process today?

- Presenting information (givens):
 - Grade Separations
 - Noise Study
 - Roadway Network
 - Safety
- Collecting participant comment/input (testing ideas):
 - Right-of-Way Alignment
 - Station Location
 - Neighbourhood and Business Access





Where are we going?

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Alignment Selection	Alignment Definition	_	Reporting		
	MAY	SEP	NOV	DEC	
Workshops	*				
Open Houses		*			
Information Sessions			••••		
Public Hearing					
On going Consultation with Key Stakeholders					



LRT Network



Urban Style LRT



Southeast and West LRT Corridors



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LRT Noise Impact Study under way





Roadway Network

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- Bonnie Doon Traffic Circle
- 83 Street / Whyte Avenue
- Reviewing key intersections



83 Street / 82 Avenue



Bonnie Doon Traffic Circle



83 Street / Argyll Road

Workshop Session Overview

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- Session #1:
 - Right-of-way Alignment
- Session #2:
 - Station Location
- Session #3:

– Neighbourhood and Business Access





Neighbourhood Groupings



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Session #1

Right-of-Way (ROW) Alignment Alternatives



Corridor vs. Alignment

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Right-of-Way

- There are impacts
- Constrained Right-of-Way
- Minimize property requirements by removing:
 - service roads
 - traffic lanes
 - on-street parking







ROW Alignment Options

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Comment on your chosen section

– What needs to be considered for each alignment?



Legend / Key





ALTERNATIVE 1 - Centre Running LRT – 4 lanes of traffic



ALTERNATIVE 2 - Side Running LRT – 2 lanes of traffic

ROW Alignment - Segment A

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ALTERNATIVE 3 – Alternate Intersection Configuration

ROW Alignment - Segment B

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ALTERNATIVE 1 – Centre Running LRT – 4 lanes of traffic





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ROW Alignment - Segment B

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ALTERNATIVE 2 – Centre Running LRT – 2 lanes of traffic





SECTION 5.2b

SECTION 5.2a

ROW Alignment - Segment B

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ALTERNATIVE 3 – Side Running LRT – 2 lanes of traffic



ROW Alignment - Segment C

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ALTERNATIVE 1 – Centre Running LRT – 4 lanes of traffic

ROW Alignment - Segment C

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ALTERNATIVE 2 – Centre Running LRT – 2 lanes of traffic

Elevated LRT





Elevated LRT - Profile

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Wagner Road / 75 Street with Bridge



Davies Road with Tunnel under CN Rail

ROW Alignment – Workshop Question

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Comment on your chosen section

Given that the corridor has been defined and that we are only talking about the ROW alignment alternatives,

– What needs to be considered for each alignment?





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Session #2

Station Location and Configuration



Station Location and Configuration Options

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Comment on your chosen section

– How does this station fit into your neighbourhood?

How does it affect your travel patterns? (pedestrian, cyclist, or driver)





Simple Stop Design

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Low floor vehicles and platforms provide:

- Simple
 Infrastructure
- Fits into surrounding areas
- Improved
 neighbourhood
 connections






Station Configuration







Station Configuration

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Centre Running LRT with Side Loading Platform





Station Configuration

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Centre Running LRT with Staggered Side Loading Platform





Overview Station Alternatives

- Overview of station alternatives at:
 - Bonnie Doon Station
 - -73 or 76 Avenue Station









Bonnie Doon Station



Bonnie Doon Station



73 Avenue Station



76 Avenue Station



Stations - Workshop Questions

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Comment on the station in your neighbourhood

– How does this station fit into your neighbourhood?

How does it affect your travel patterns? (pedestrian, cyclist, or driver)





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Session #3

Neighbourhood and Business Access



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Comment on your chosen section

– How do the alternatives affect the way you get around and in/out of your neighbourhood and access businesses?





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Basic Principles of Neighbourhood Access:

- Different roads serve different purposes
- LRT will change direct access to roads within its corridor
- Traffic signals will be located on major roads to facilitate LRT movement





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Basic Principles of Neighbourhood Access:

- Turns across LRT tracks will be at signalized intersections
- Not ALL signalized intersections will allow left hand turns
- A supporting street and circulation system will be provided





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- Existing left turn movement at intersection removed
- Future jug-handle movements provided





Neighbourhood and Business Access – Segment A

ALTERNATIVE 1 - Centre Running LRT – 4 lanes of traffic



Neighbourhood and Business Access – Segment A

ALTERNATIVE 2 - Side Running LRT – 2 lanes of traffic

Neighbourhood and Business Access - Segment B

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ALTERNATIVE 1 – Centre Running LRT – 4 lanes of traffic

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ALTERNATIVE 2 – Centre Running LRT – 2 lanes of traffic

Neighbourhood and Business Access - Segment C

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ALTERNATIVE 1 – Centre Running LRT – 4 lanes of traffic

Neighbourhood and Business Access - Segment C

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ALTERNATIVE 2 – Centre Running LRT – 2 lanes of traffic

Neighbourhood and Business Access - Segment C

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ALTERNATIVE 3 – 69a Avenue Access



Comment on your chosen section

 How do the alternatives affect the way you get around and in/out of your neighbourhood and access businesses?







- Fill out Questionnaires
- Attend other workshops
- Presentation available on website <u>www.edmonton.ca/LRTProjects</u>





Wrap Up







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Thank you!