# Powell-Division Transit and Development Project

#### TriMet Board April 22, 2015

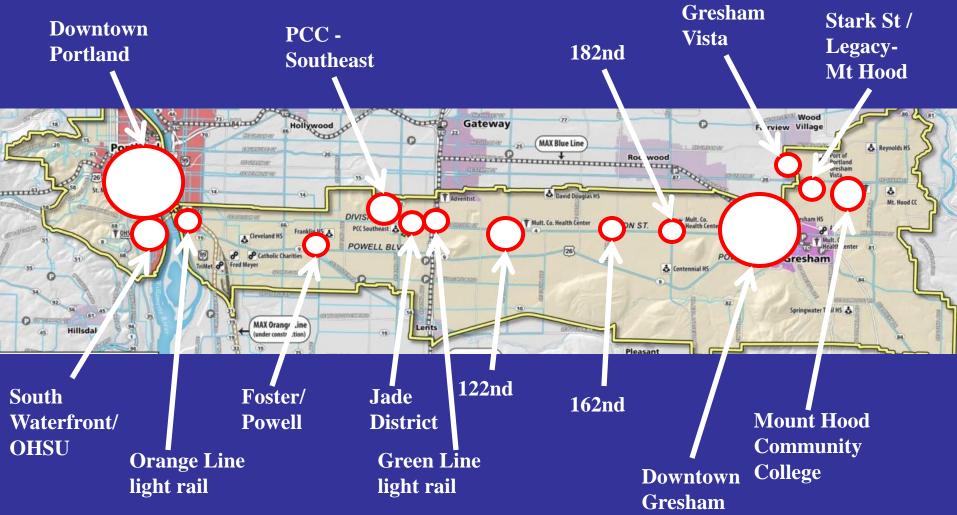




# **THE TRANSIT PROJECT**

Provide faster and more reliable trip
 Provide for comfortable and safe trip
 Connect to places we care about

# **Key Places & Opportunities**





Creating a shared vision for making transit better

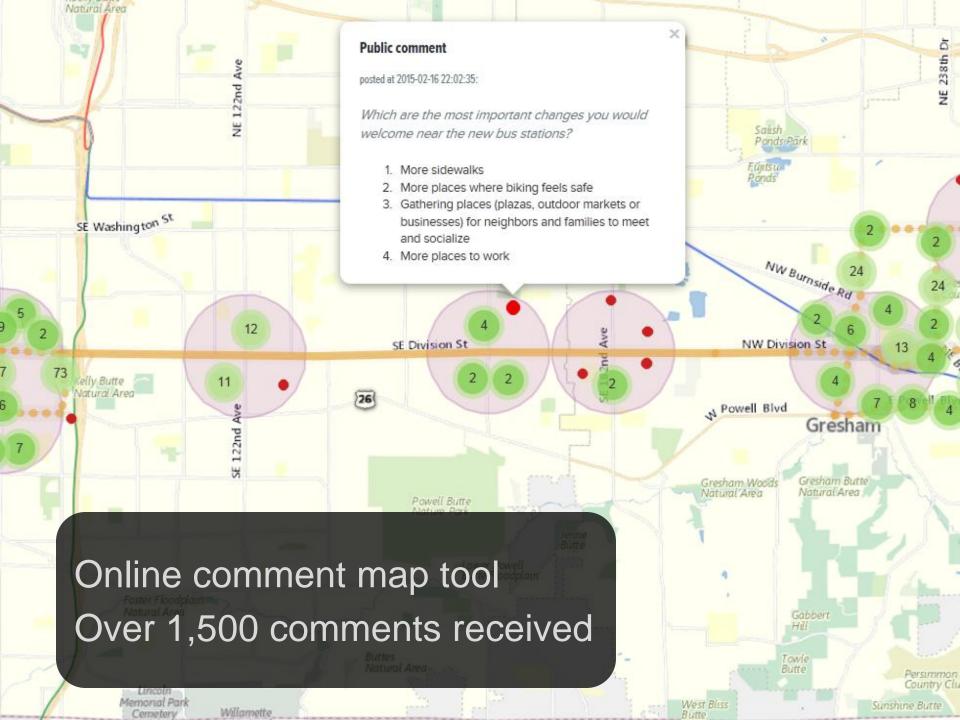


Briefings
Culturally specific, multilingual engagement
Youth engagement
Local business

engagement
Community and related projects' events
Talk with staff sessions

#### Themed work groups

- Transportation
- Development
- Equity
- Safety and security



## **Powell-Division Collaborative**

**Discussion** 

**Developer Roundtable** 

Portland Development Commission, Catholic Charities, Community Development Corporations,



#### **Multicultural Business Outreach**



**March 2015** 



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"Building trust is building relationships," Boisen said. "We're trying to build relationships with key community members who will help us connect with other people in the community."...

"There's a tremendous opportunity for us to implement transit-oriented development in this area that will be really beneficial."

Lori Boisen, Division-Midway Alliance for Community Development





### **Powell-Division Collaborative**



#### **JADE DISTRICT**

**Neighborhood Prosperity Initiative & Main Street Network** 

Visioning Plan

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# Steering Committee Advanced this Alignment with Options



#### Where we are

# 2012/2013 Partnership 2013/2014 Planning 2015 Implement – can now move into Project Development



# **Next Steps**

Project Development would start summer 2015

- Project Development allows us to work on:
  - Preliminary Engineering (design)
  - Plan for federal & local funding (finance plan)
  - Environmental work (NEPA)

Allows future funding from Federal Transit
 Administration U.S. Department of Transportation

Federal Transit Administration