### **Major Transit Infrastructure**

**Status and Next Steps** 

Durham-Chapel Hill-Carrboro MPO Transportation Advisory Committee

March 14, 2018

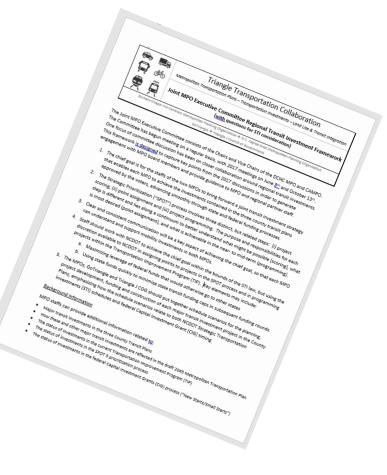


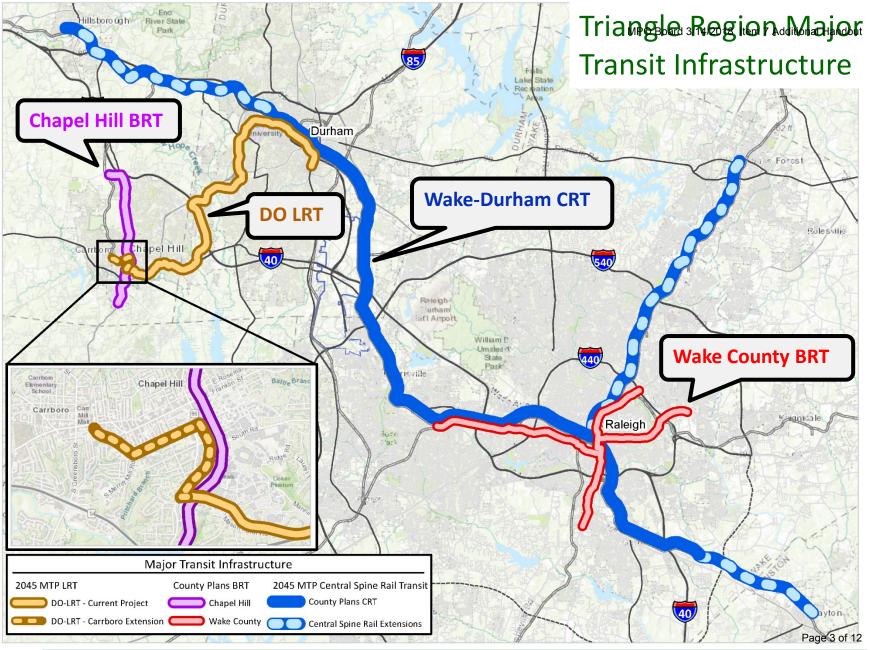


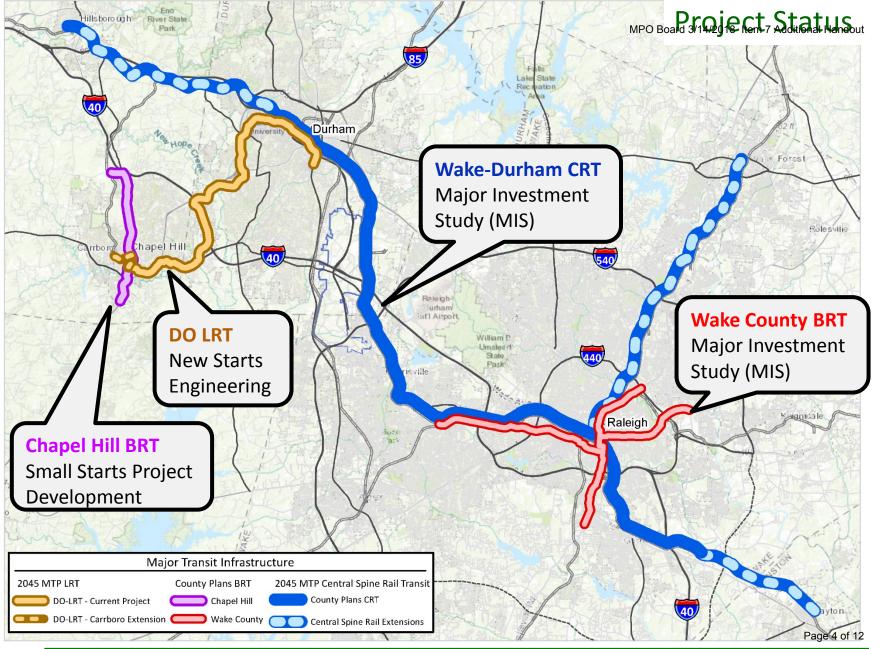


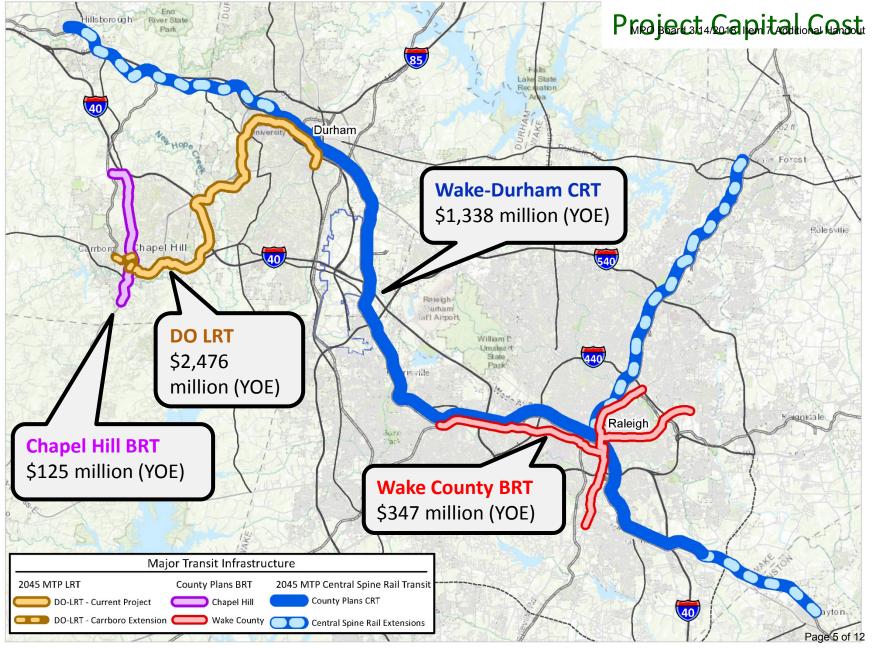
### **MPO Collaborative Framework**

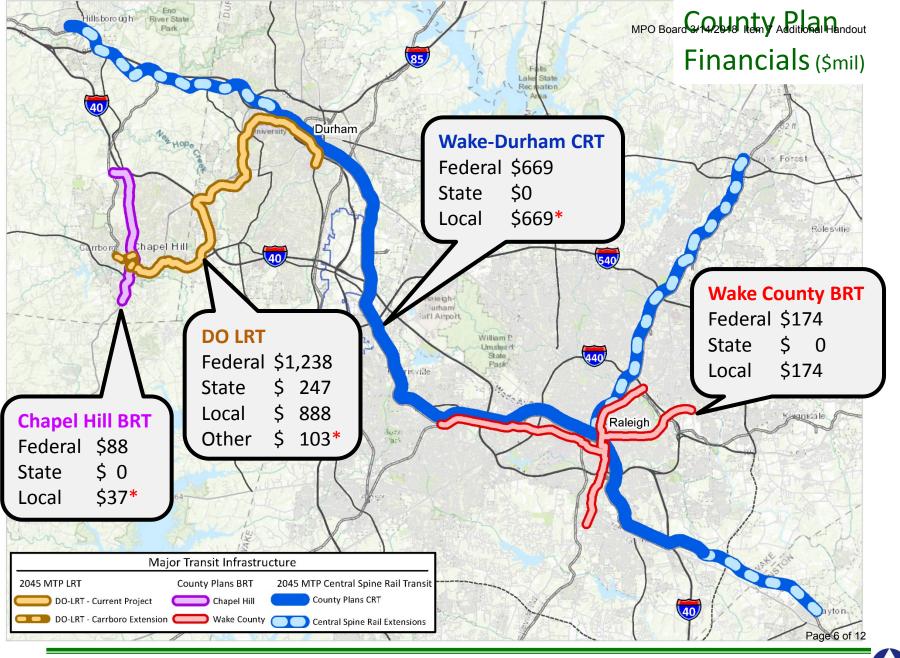
- Joint MPO Executive Committee (MPO chairs & vice-chairs, technical committee chairs, lead staff)
- Closer collaboration and clearer communication at policy, technical and staff levels
- Next joint meeting of MPO Policy Boards (May 31 @ RTP headquarters)
- Chief Goal: "joint transit investment strategy that enables each MPO to achieve the investments contained in the three county transit plans approved by the voters, advancing smoothly through state and federal funding processes."











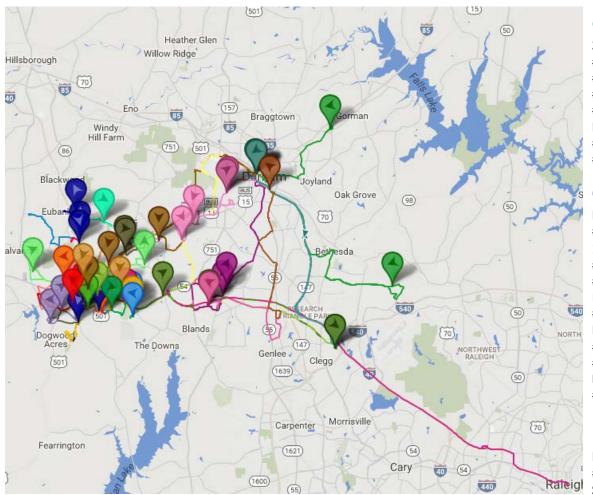
# **Staff Working Group**

- SWG Supports Transit Projects of today (and yesterday)
  - Transparent and Objective Process
  - Makes Policy Level Decisions
  - Establishing the Policies of the Plans
  - Creating a Transparent and Objective Process
- Transit Plan + Cash Flows Guides Funding
  - Transit Service
  - Capital Vehicle Purchases
  - Capital Transit Facilities
  - Major Capital Projects

### Staff Working Group Matches Needs and Funding

- Develops Annual Work Plan
- Multi-Year CIPs Coming in FY20
- Annual Work Plan supports GoTriangle Budget
  - > Triangle Tax District and Special Tax District

# Funding Transit Now - Changes I'm Service I Handout



#### **GoTriangle**

#### 30 minute frequency

#700 Durham to RTC #800 Chapel Hill to RTC

#800/S/5 with Added Capacity, Modified Route #400/5 with Added Capacity, Extension to Carrboro

#### Express (AM/PM Peak)

#ODX Hillsborough/Mebane to Duke/Durham Station\* #DRX Durham Station/Duke to NCSU/Raleigh

#### **GoDurham**

#### **New Route**

#20 Hope Valley Commons-Duke Hospital

#### 15 minute frequency

#5 Fayetteville-NCCU-Southpoint

#10 South Square/New Hope Commons-Chapel Hill Road-Durham Station

#3 Holloway-the Village-Geer-Glenview Station

#### **Increased Frequency**

#12 NCCU-Highway 54/55

#14 Highway 54/55-Southpoint

#### **Longer Span**

#15 Brier Creek-TW Alexander

### **Chapel Hill Transit**

**Peak Hour** 

#A, D, J, NS and HS

Saturday

#FG & D

Not Shown - OPT New/Expanded Service

Orange-Alamance Connector, Orange-Chapel Hill Connector, Hillsborough Circulator, \*GoTriangle #ODX Page 8 of 12



# Funding Transit Now - New Webicles 7 Ad Sonal H



GoDurham @GoDurhamTransit · 21 Aug 2017

Rolling out soon: 12 new buses, made in America especially for GoDurham! Get ready for that new bus smell and a whole new level of comfort!



# 4 for GoTriangle

2 - Orange

2 - Durham



8:50 AM - 25 Aug 2017 from Carrboro, NC

Ooh, I'm on one of the new @GoTriangle buses this morning. New bus smell is a lot like new car smell.



GoTriangle ● @GoTriangle · 6 Sep 2017 We are so glad you are enjoying the new updates to our buses!

(Split costs w/ City of Durham)

Well look at these fancy seats on @GoTriangle! Riding public transit in style.



6 for GoDurham

Katie Todd @NoYinKatie · 28 Aug 2017

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Willamina O'Keeffe @willamina\_o Loving these seats @GoTriangle!









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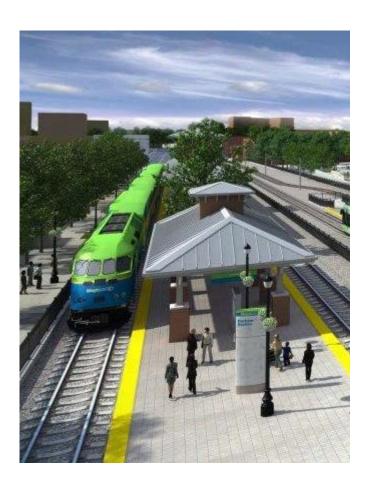
### **Durham-Orange LRT**

- Stage: New Starts Engineering
- Ends: September 2019
- Result: Full Funding Grant
   Agreement (FFGA) from Federal
   Transit Administration
- MPO Decision: TIP approvals when warranted
- After: Goal of executed FFGA in September 2019, then finish 100% design and begin construction



### **Wake-Durham Commuter Rail**

- Stage: Major Investment Study
- Ends: 2019/2020
- Result: Selection of Project Sponsor Agency and Refined Set of Project Alternatives
- MPO Decision: None required
- After: Project Development Phase



### **Chapel Hill BRT**

- Stage: Small StartsProject Development
- Ends: September 2019
- Result: 30% Design and Environmental Determination (FONSI)
- MPO Decisions:
  Final LPA, 30% design and approval of environmental document
- After: Grant agreement and engineering

