### Get Involved - September 2018

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Are you on board? *Great* — get involved!

Visit RideBRT.com to learn more.

#### WHAT IS BRT?

Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) is an innovative, high-capacity, public transit solution that combines the capacity and speed of light rail with the flexibility and simplicity of a bus system. BRT incorporates state-of-the-art technologies that attract more passengers and ultimately help reduce overall traffic congestion.

#### WHERE WILL IT BE?

The 14.4-mile corridor along Pacific Avenue/SR 7 will run between Downtown Tacoma and Spanaway. The corridor is currently served by Route 1, which has the highest ridership of any route in the Pierce Transit sytem.

#### WHO WILL BENEFIT FROM BRT?

BRT will serve local residents, commuters, students, and transit users who want cost-effective, quick, comfortable, more frequent transportation to destinations along the corridor.



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#### WHY DO WE NEED IT?

Pierce Transit is looking for ways to address traffic congestion as the area continues to grow. Population is predicted to increase 25 percent by 2040. One BRT vehicle can take as many as 90 cars off the road and move more people per lane than cars.

#### WHAT MAKES IT DIFFERENT?

BRT is designed for fast arrivals, departures and travel times. Major elements of BRT include enhanced stations, innovative vehicles with Wi-Fi, off-board fare payment, real-time bus arrival information, green light priority signaling, and more frequent service.





Join us to help spread the word on all the benefits BRT will bring to Pierce County. Visit RideBRT.com to learn more.

# BRT features that will improve your ride by making it faster and more convenient include:



Frequent, and reliable trips every 10 minutes in the peak commute time



Green light priority signaling keeps BRT vehicles moving



State-of-the-art buses that accommodate bicycles onboard and equipped with Wi-Fi



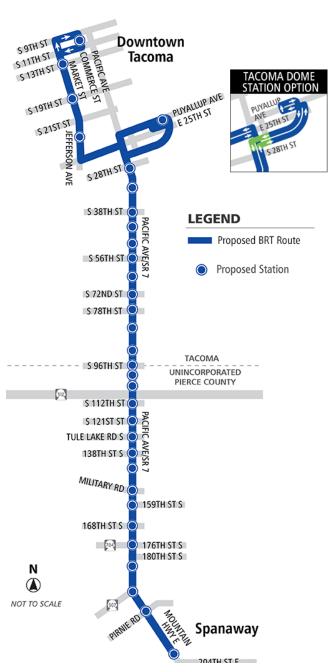
Better opportunities for economic development along the corridor



New BRT stations will feature pre-payment options and real-time travel info



Level boarding allows for easy access of wheelchairs, bikes, and strollers



## **OPEN HOUSES**

Monday SEPT 10

5:30pm to 7:30pm

Parkland/Spanaway Library

13718 Pacific Ave S Tacoma, WA 98444

Served by Route 1

Wednesday SEPT 12

5:30pm to 7:30pm

UW Tacoma - William W. Phillip Hall
- Jane Thompson Russell Student

Commons - Room WPH 101A 1918 Pacific Ave Tacoma, WA 98402

Served by Routes 1, 2, 3, 41, 42, 63, 102, 400, 500, 501 & ST Link light rail

Tuesday

SEPT 18

5:30pm to 7:30pm

Fern Hill Library

765 S 84th St Tacoma, WA 98444 Served by Route 45

Wednesday SEPT 19

6:00pm to 7:30pm

**Moore Library** 

215 S 56th St Tacoma, WA 98408 Served by Routes 1 & 41

Tuesday SEPT 25

5:30pm to 7:30pm

**Sprinker Recreation Center Rainier Room** 

14824 C St

Tacoma, WA 98444 Served by Route 1

Thursday
SFPT 27

**3LI I Z /** 5:30pm to 7:30pm

Pacific Lutheran University - Anderso University Center Room 133

12598 Park Ave S Tacoma, WA 98477 Served by Routes 1 & 55

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