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Update

Board Workshop May 23, 2019



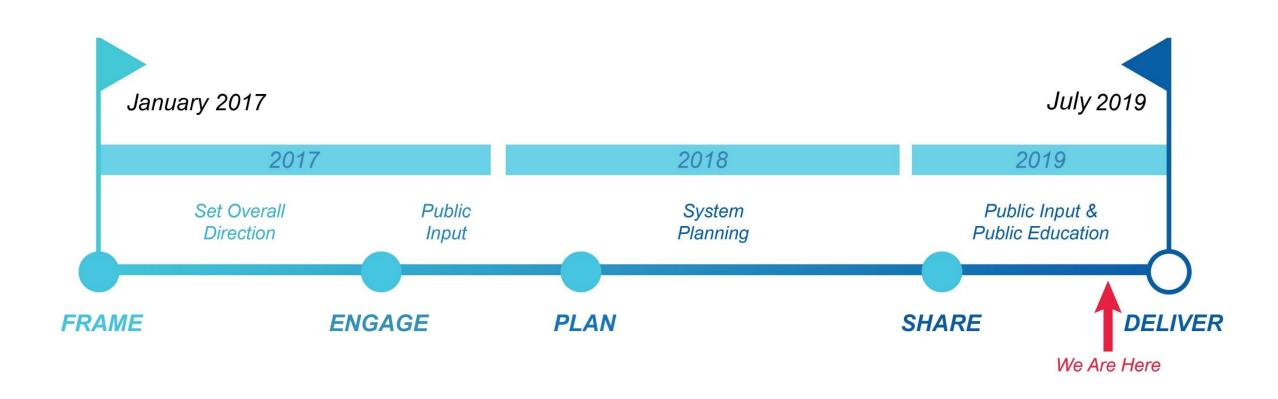
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Project Milestones





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Board workshop – March 2019

Snapshot of comments (Phase 2 Public Involvement)

Board workshop - April 2019

- Review of comments (Phase 2 Public Involvement)
- Presentation of Hobby alternatives

Board workshop - May 2019

Update to the Board on additional LRT alternatives





Recap

Hobby Airport Alternative Scenarios



Hobby Airport Moving Forward Plan

- Green Line extension via **Broadway**
- Purple Line extension via **MLK** and Bellfort





Hobby Airport Alternative Scenario - LRT

Green and Purple Line LRT Extensions to Telephone/Long, Continuing as Combined Line to Hobby Airport

Travel Time from Green: 38 min.

Downtown to Hobby Purple: 41 min

Estimated Daily 6,600

Ridership (Model)

Green: 4,600

Purple: 2,000

Estimated Daily

Ridership 8,100 to 8,600

(plus airport users)

Estimated Capital \$1.06 B

Cost (2017\$)





Moving Forward Plan Additional LRT Scenarios



Hobby Airport

Scenario 1



Scenario 2





LRT Extension to Heights/Yale







Next Steps

June 2019

July 2019

Final public comment

period

Board adoption of final

plan