

# What is METRO Gold Line?

### Fast, frequent service in bus-only lanes

- Gold Line will be Minnesota's first bus rapid transit (BRT) line that operates primarily within bus-only lanes
- Gold Line will provide frequent, all-day service in both directions, seven days a week

### A new transit line that connects the east metro

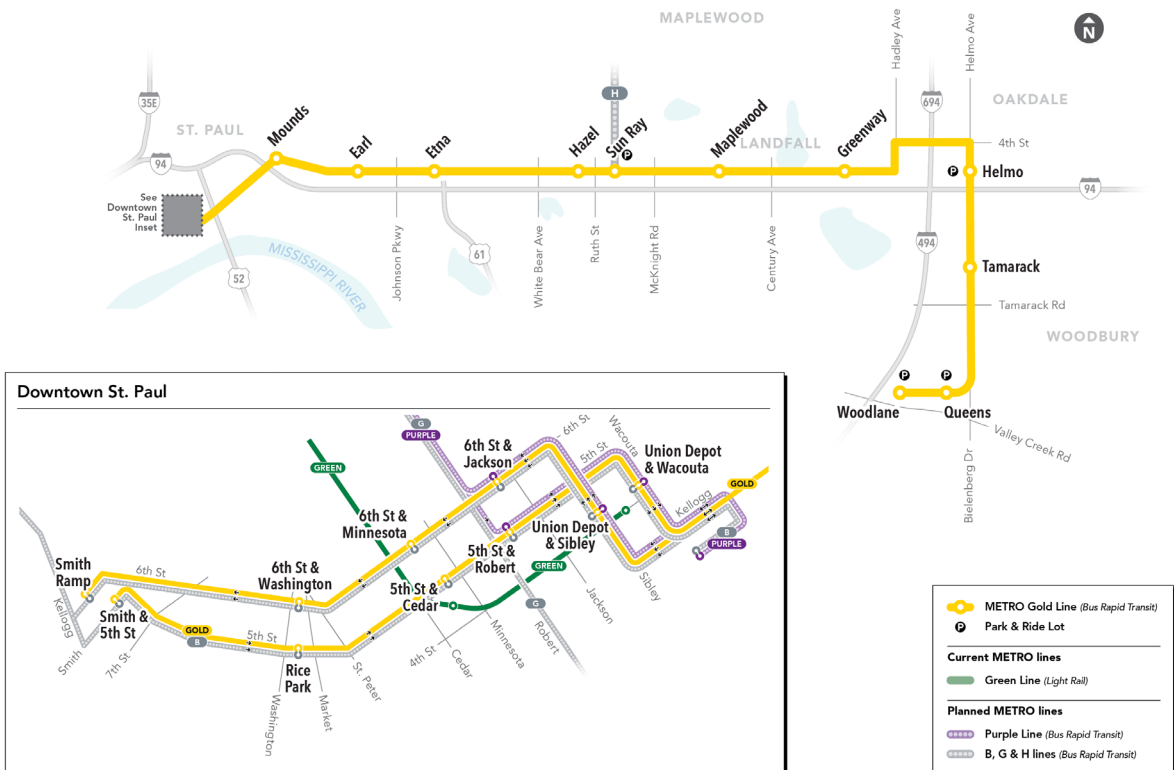
The planned 10-mile route is between St. Paul and Woodbury with bus-only lanes being constructed generally north of and near Interstate 94

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Stations with improved features

- 5 Downtown St. Paul
- 5 St. Paul East Side Neighborhoods
- 1 Maplewood
- 1 Landfall/Oakdale
- 1 Oakdale
- 3 Woodbury

**Coming soon!**  
Gold Line construction activities began in 2022 and will continue through 2024. Service is anticipated to begin March 22, 2025.



## Improves transit service to the east metro

METRO Gold Line will connect people across the region to job centers, housing options, other transit lines, and key destinations in the I-94 corridor.



**Frequent  
all-day  
service**



**13%**  
of households within  
1/2 mile from Gold Line  
stations are without cars



Access to  
**93,500 jobs**  
within 1/2 mile from  
Gold Line stations

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**Park & Rides  
located at:**



Sun Ray Station,  
St. Paul



Helmo Station,  
Oakdale



Queens Station,  
Woodbury



Woodlane Station,  
Woodbury

## A bus service that offers unique features



### More frequent service

Gold Line is different from a rush-hour express bus by providing all-day service that operates seven days a week with buses arriving frequently, so you won't need a schedule



### A faster ride

Features that will allow a faster ride:

- Pay before you board so the bus leaves the station faster
- Raised platforms help you step or roll on and off easily
- Fewer stops than local routes and bus-only lanes that help keep the bus moving
- Buses can "ask" traffic signals for early or extended green lights



### Stations with enhanced amenities

Shelters will provide comfortable waiting space and a variety of amenities: NexTrip real-time departure signs, maps, heat, lighting, bike racks, and enhanced security with cameras and emergency telephones



### Specialized buses

Buses will be unique and recognizable with wider aisles and additional doors and folding seats to make room for wheelchairs and strollers

## Part of a growing METRO network

- More than a bus to downtown, Gold Line will connect the east metro to the regional METRO network
- When complete, the METRO network will connect over 500,000 people to a transit commute to/from work
- More information on the METRO network: [metrotransit.org/metro](http://metrotransit.org/metro)

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