Metro Transit
C Line
Penn Avenue Community Works
PIC Wrap-Up
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What’s next?

- Final station plan approval
- Environmental review
- Design & engineering initiation
- Study of potential long-term (Phase II) Glenwood Avenue realignment
- Construction
C Line Station Plan

- Location: Stations and platforms
  - What intersections?
  - What corners?
C Line Station Plan Process

• **November 2015: Draft** Station Plan
  – Published November 6, 2015
  – Comments accepted through December 20
  – Over 150 comments received

• **February 2016: Recommended** Station Plan
  – Released for Public Comment February 10
  – Comments accepted through March 11

• **April 2016: Final** Station Plan
  – Under development for Metropolitan Council consideration in April
C Line Station Plan & Public Engagement

- Outreach and engagement
  - Open houses
  - Neighborhood meetings
  - Transit rider outreach on buses and at stops

- Agency coordination
  - Hennepin County
  - City of Minneapolis
  - City of Brooklyn Center
  - Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board
  - Three Rivers Park District
### Revised C Line project timeline

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- Shift construction from 2017 to 2018
  - Full funding not identified for 2017
  - Initiate design mid-2016; 12-18 months of plan preparation
  - Potential for better coordination with other corridor construction projects

*Metropolitan Council Station Plan Approval*

*Opening date to be determined in construction phase*
Temporary C Line stations planned for Olson due to Blue Line Extension construction.

Not shown: Potential bus network modifications related to Green Line Extension & Blue Line Extension. Plans TBD as implementation nears.
Technical Feasibility Review

Select long-term east-west alignment

- Based on outcomes of feasibility
- Engage community

Develop permanent stations on Olson Highway

Develop plan for implementation (Timing, other bus service changes)

- Coordination with Blue Line Extension
- Coordination with Green Line Extension
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