

Public Works Department TRANSIT

Presentation Outline

Looking Back

- 2017 accomplishments
- Comparing with other GTHA agencies
- 10 year strategy recap

HSR Today

- Strategy year 3
- Operating budget

Looking Ahead

- 2018 priorities
- Operational Update









2017 Accomplishments



we gave more than 21,400,000



we drove people around for more than



we travelled close to

16,500,000



we provided more than 673,000

DARTS trips



we provided close to

100,000 Taxi Scrip trips







we collected about

\$40,500,000



*projected





we reduced about

litres of diesel consumption



buses have security cameras

for a total of appoximately





we took care of

terminals



we maintained



we received more than

more than

Mountain Climbers have used the program



we started implementing

PTIF projects

\$72 million



How does HSR measure up?

- Using data from the Canadian Urban Transit Association (CUTA)
- Comparing HSR with other GTHA transit agencies with similar populations
 - Brampton
 - Durham
 - Mississauga
 - York Region





Measuring up: HSR

In comparison to other cities in the GTHA, Hamilton ranks:

#1 in average fare

in cost per revenue hour

#2 in trips per capita

in trips per revenue hour

#3 in revenue hour per capita

#3 in revenue/cost ratio

*within the Transit Urban Boundary

SOURCE: Canadian Urban Transit Association (CUTA)



Measuring up: HSR

Council investment per capita

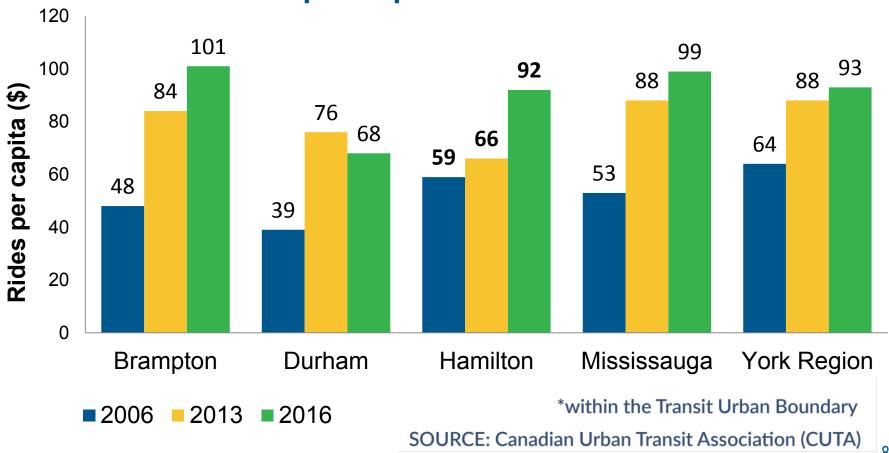


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Measuring up: GTHA agencies

Council investment per capita





Measuring up: HSR

Trips per capita



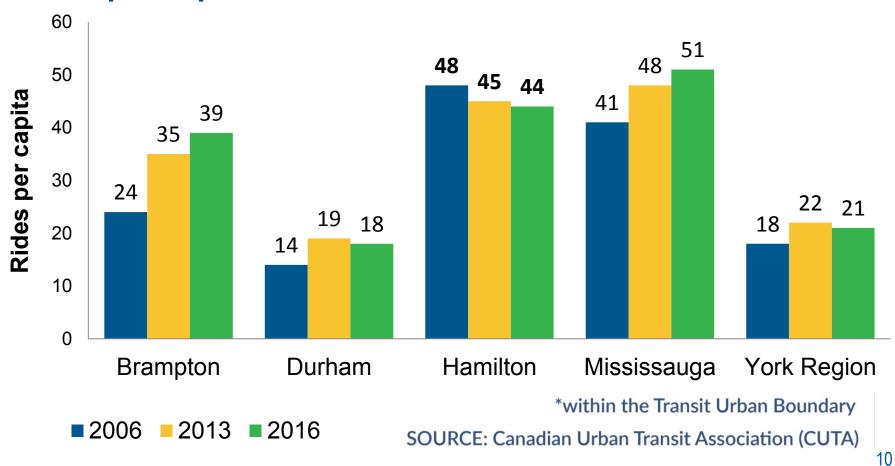
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Measuring up: GTHA agencies

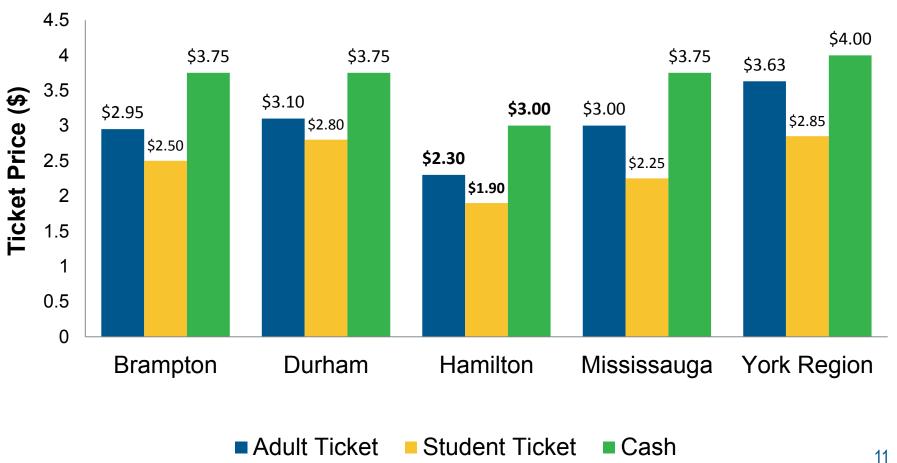
Rides per capita





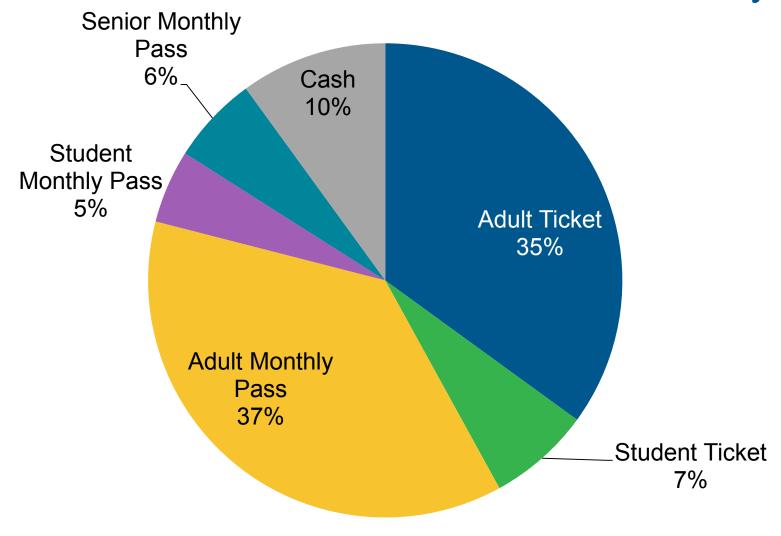
Measuring Up: Comparing Fares

Fare Costs





Fares Collected by HSR





10 Year Transit Strategy Recap

Years 1 - 2 → 2015 and 2016
Focus: capacity and deficiencies

Year 3 → ²⁰¹⁸
Focus: service standards and growth

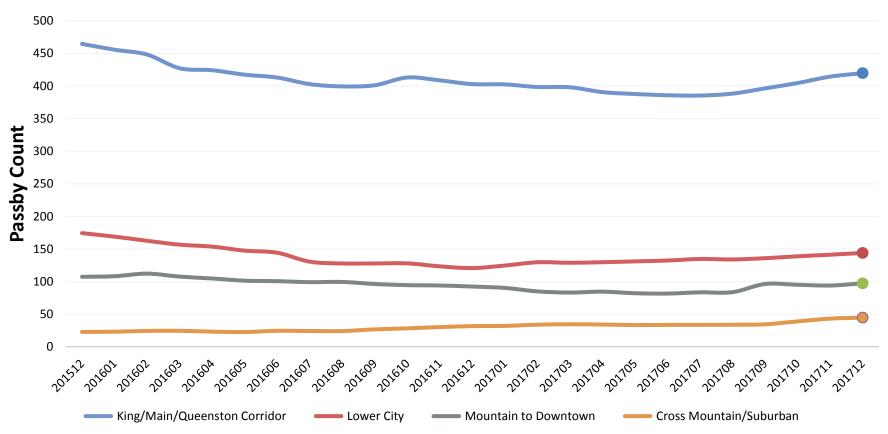
Years 4 - 10 → 2019 and 2024
Focus: modal split and growth



Performance: Pass-bys

PASSBY - FULL

12-MONTH MOVING AVERAGE

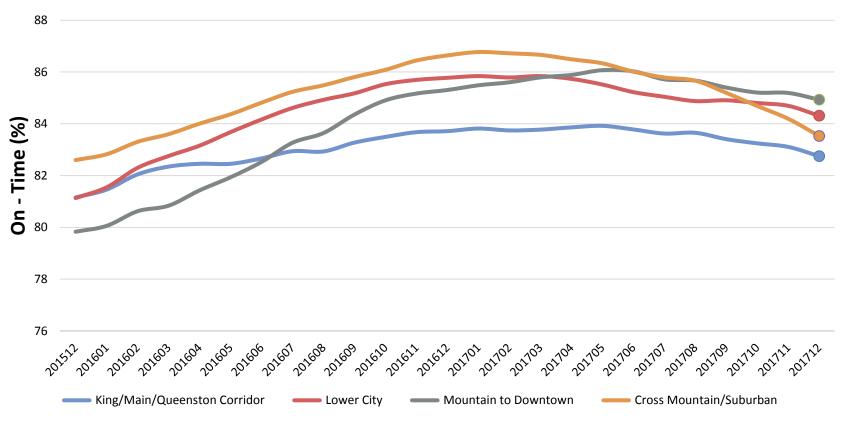




Performance: Schedule Adherence

SCHEDULE ADHERENCE: ON-TIME (%)

12-MONTH MOVING AVERAGE









Changing Transit Landscape

New competition







BIKE SHARE



CAR SHARE



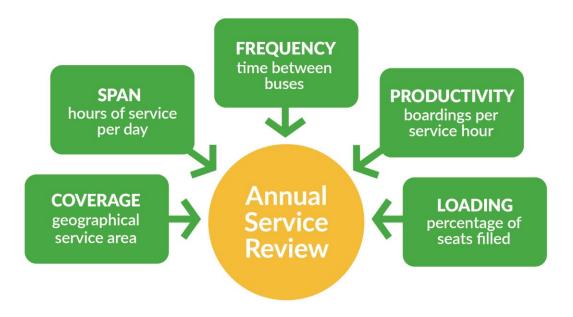
Ridership flat



Ridership is flat or declining across Canada.



Annual Service Review





Annual Service Plan





Year Three: Service Details

- 5 additional buses
- 26 FTE
- Approx. 34,000 additional service hours (annualized) in 2018
- Total cost \$3.4 million annualized over two years
 - 2018 \$1.815 million
- Fare increase \$0.10 effective Sept.1, 2018



Year Three: Service Enhancements

	Route(s)	Areas	Enhancement
•	5 Delaware	King/Main/ Queenston Corridor	Service extended to Meadowlands during weekday peak
•	25 / 26 Upper Wentworth / Upper Wellington	Mountain to Downtown	Service added between Limeridge Mall and MacNab Terminal during weekday peak and mid-day



Year Three: Service Enhancements

Route(s)	Areas	Enhancement
• 5 Delaware	King/Main/ Queenston Corridor	Added Sunday service
 22 Upper Ottawa 23 Upper Gage 24 Upper Sherman 25 / 26 Upper Wentworth / Upper Wellington 27 Upper James 33 Sanatorium 34 Upper Paradise 	Mountain to Downtown	Added frequency in select off-peak periods



Year Three: Service Enhancements

Route(s)	Areas	Enhancement
 3 Cannon 4 Bayfront 11 Parkdale 55 / 58 Stoney Creek Central / Local 	Suburban	Added service in select off-peak time periods
• 20 A Line	Suburban	Added service during weekday peak and mid-day periods
• TransCab	Suburban	Improved TransCab service span in Glanbrook and Stoney Creek







10 Year Transit Strategy

	Year 3 2018 Update	Year 4 2019	Year 5 2020	Year 6 2021	Year 7 2022	Year 8 2023	Year 9 2024	10 YEAR TOTAL
SERVICE								
Hours (000's)	34	39	46	49	49	49	53	422
Annual Operating (000's)	\$4,000	\$4,500	\$5,500	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,500	\$51,000
Full Time Equivalents	29	30	35	38	38	38	41	336
Fares	\$0.10	\$0.10	\$0.05	\$0.05	\$0.05	\$0.05	\$0.05	
OPERATING								
Annualized Service Expenditures (000's)	\$1,815	\$2,972	\$4,830	\$5,670	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,170	\$46,136
Fare Revenues (000's)	\$0	-\$1,188	-\$1,462	-\$2,159	-\$2,222	-\$2,698	-\$2,668	-\$21,079
Operating Levy Increases (000's @ 1.8%)	\$2,383	\$2,131	\$1,719	\$1,750	\$2,450	\$2,494	\$2,539	\$19,607
CAPITAL								
Growth Buses	5	4	5	5	5	6	6	66
Modal Split Buses	0	7	8	9	9	9	9	60
	Phase 1 PTIF*		Unfunded Capital - Phase 2 PTIF*				*	

*PTIF - Public Transit Infrastructure Fund



Fare Increases

Data	Ticket		N	Cook		
Date	Adult	Student	Adult	Student	Senior	Cash
Current	\$2.30	\$1.90	\$101.20	\$83.60	\$26.50	\$3.00
Sept 2018	\$2.40	\$2.00	\$105.60	\$88.00	\$29.50	\$3.00
Sept 2019	\$2.50	\$2.05	\$110.00	\$90.20	\$32.50	\$3.25



Long-Term Transit Planning

- Annual Service Plan 2019 2022
- Timeframes for planning, new buses, more operators, etc.





Preparing for LRT construction

- Construction 2019 to 2024
- Bus routes impacted





2018 Preliminary Budget

2018 Budget Request (\$000's)					
Operating budget					
Gross	121,858				
Revenues	(55,355)				
Net	66,504				
\$ increase from 2017	6,204				
% increase from 2017	10.3%				
2017 Budget R/C radio	48.29%				
2018 Budget R/C ratio	46.13%				



Budget Drivers

Description	Amount (\$000s)
 Year 3 of 10 Year Strategy DARTS Increase PRESTO Operating Agreement Employee Related Increases 	2,188 1,680 356 1,738



DARTS Increase Details

	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Trips	709,721	751,453	787,226	846,116
Average Cost Per Trip	\$22.24	\$23.24	\$24.24	\$25.24
Total Cost	\$15,781,198	\$17,460,586	\$19,079,034	\$21,352,395
Budget Variance		\$1,679,388	\$1,618,448	\$2,273,361
Percent Increase		10.6%	9.3%	11.9%



Priorities

Customer Experience

- Provide 99.9% of scheduled service
- Customer engagement
- Retaining customers, attracting new customers

Employee Experience

Culture action plans

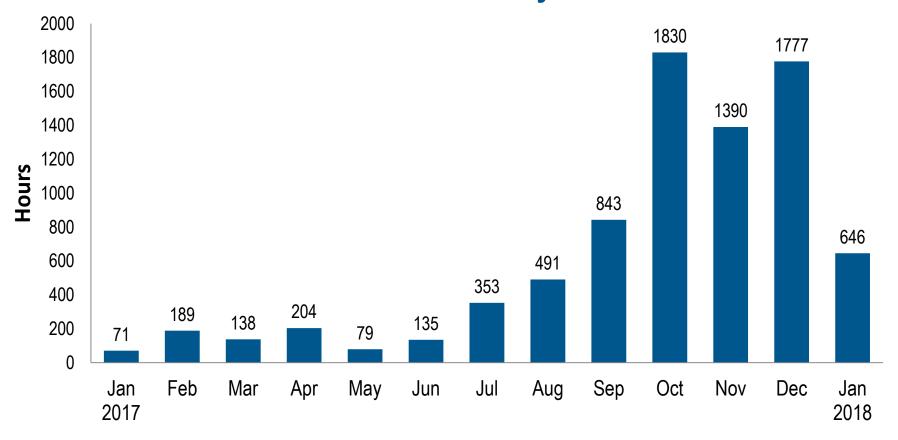






Service Disruptions

Hours of cancelled service by month





Operational Update

- Transit Specific Complement Control Policy
- Attendance management
- Update to customers
- Twitter hours
- StrategicCommunicationsPlan



AN UPDATE FROM HSR

Over the past several months, many of you have experienced significant service disruptions and have felt unable to rely on HSR to get where you need to go. For that we apologize. We are working hard to restore service and rebuild your trust and confidence as we grow transit in Hamilton to a place where it better meets your needs and expectations.

Thank you for your patience as we work to make changes that will provide you with the HSR service you deserve.

For more information on progress updates and future enhancements, please visit hamilton.ca/hsr







Questions?

