

# **June 2022 Service Change**

## **Service Quality**

- Service Restoration: Begin Restoration of NextGen Bus Plan Service Levels
- Adjust services for improved reliability

## **Valuing Our Employees**

- Match schedules to increased traffic conditions
- Eliminate longest assignments
- More frequent service to spread out loads

#### NextGen

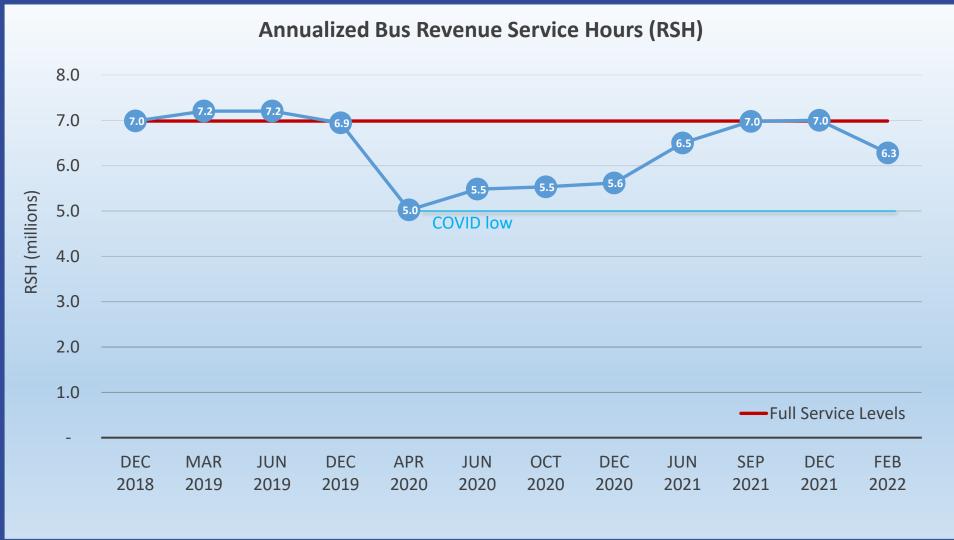
- Transfer one line to Municipal operation
- Minor reroutes for construction, local street changes, simplify service







## **Metro Bus Service Levels**



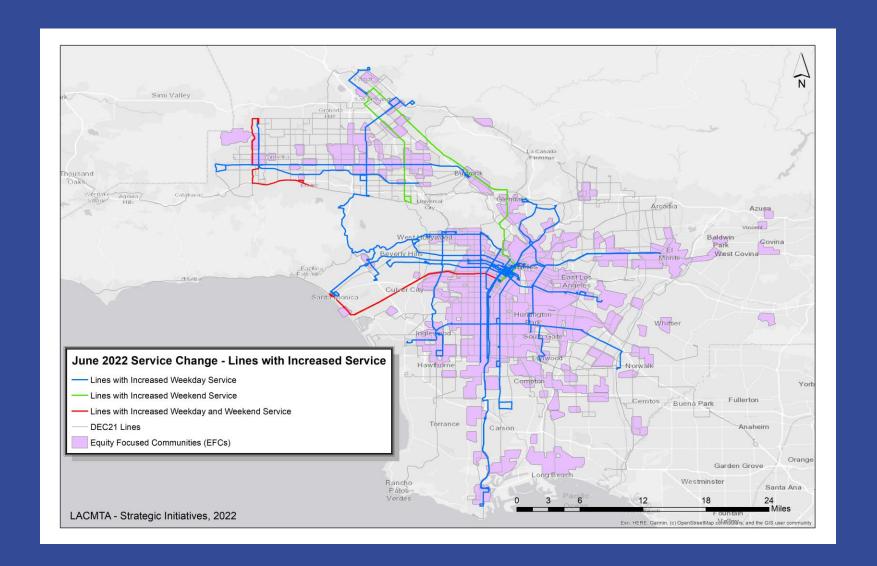


## **Service Restoration**

- The June 2022 service change begins the process of restoring the full NextGen Bus Plan 7 million annual revenue service hours
- The June service change will increase total revenue service hours from 6.3 million to 6.5 million annualized
- Systemwide service restoration will begin with 19 Weekday, 4
   Saturday, 3 Sunday bus lines having increased service based on high ridership/loads
- The level of restoration has been matched to expected operator new hirings with the intent of not significantly increasing either service cancellations or operator ordered call backs



# Service Restoration





# **Service Reliability**

- Since the second half of 2021, as the COVID recovery has increased, road traffic has grown. Bus service on time performance has reduced
- 65 Weekday, 42 Saturday and 32 Sunday lines will have adjusted schedules to provide more time to improve service reliability
- 7 contracted lines will have moderate frequency adjustments temporarily to support reliable service delivery, similar to what occurred for directly operated services in February



# **Service Changes**

- Line 130 (Artesia BI) will become Long Beach Transit Route 141 operating the same alignment and frequency between Artesia A Line (Blue) Station and Los Cerritos Center
- Minor changes to nine other lines for construction reroutes and minor NextGen Bus Plan changes.





# **Implementation**

- Internal coordination through implementation team
- Staff will support customers in areas with significant changes
- Informational signs will be installed at all impacted bus stops
- Information alert signs, brochures on buses & at customer service centers
- Updated bus stop blades will be installed by service change date
- Online "MyBus" information portal
- Social media and print media releases
- Printed schedules will be available on buses and at usual outlets









# Thank You!

