



City of
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Rutland Local Area Transit Plan

June, 2022

Purpose

To inform Council that a Rutland Local Area Transit Plan will be developed over the remainder of 2022 and first quarter of 2023.

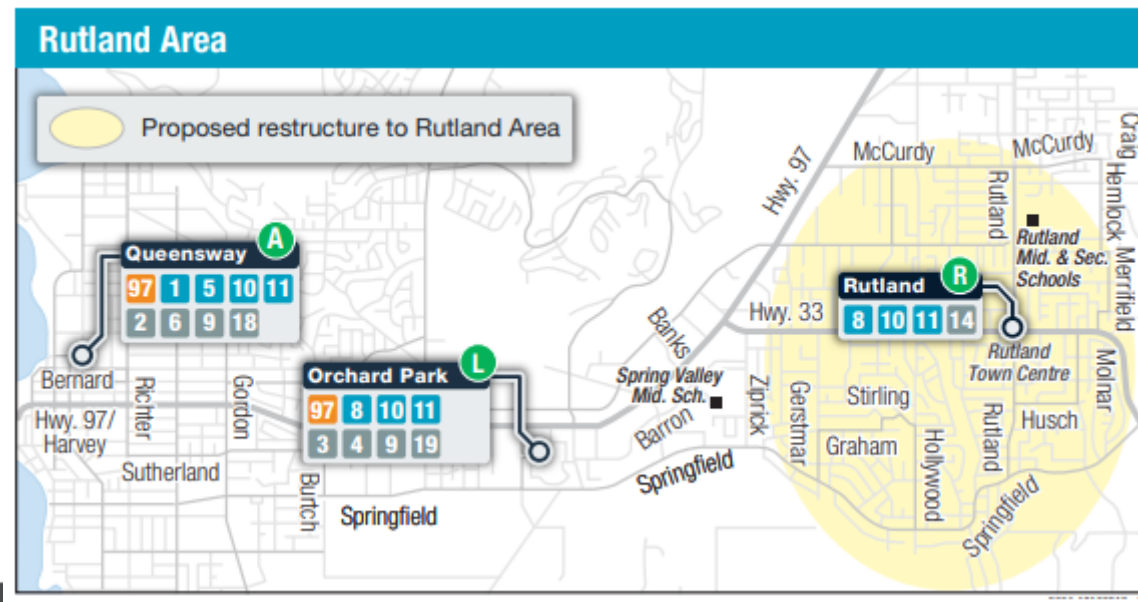
Transit Future Action Plan

- ▶ Conducted every 5-6 years following the 2012 Transit Future Plan to refine transit priorities and guide decision making.
- ▶ Short (1-3 year), medium (3-5 year), long-term (5+ year) priorities.
- ▶ Priority medium-term initiative – “Rutland network restructuring”.



Local Area Transit Plan

- ▶ A focused plan detailing network structure, service levels, infrastructure priorities and implementation phasing in a defined geographical area of the community.



Study Objectives

1. Support priorities in the Transit Future Plan and Transit Future Action Plan.
2. Support goals of the Transportation Master Plan and integrate TMP transit projects.
3. Engage with residents & key stakeholders on current travel patterns, travel behaviors and service priorities.
4. Develop & prioritize proposals for service and infrastructure to align with future land use , density and demographics.

Study Approach

1. External consultant to support project activities.
2. System background review, review of relevant community plans.
3. Analysis, development of network design & service options.
4. Robust engagement – e.g., project website, surveys, workshops.
5. Final report – network & service plan, phasing, engagement and analysis results.

Engagement Options

- ▶ BC Transit project website
- ▶ Online public survey & stakeholder digital workshop.
- ▶ Online comments and suggestions mapping

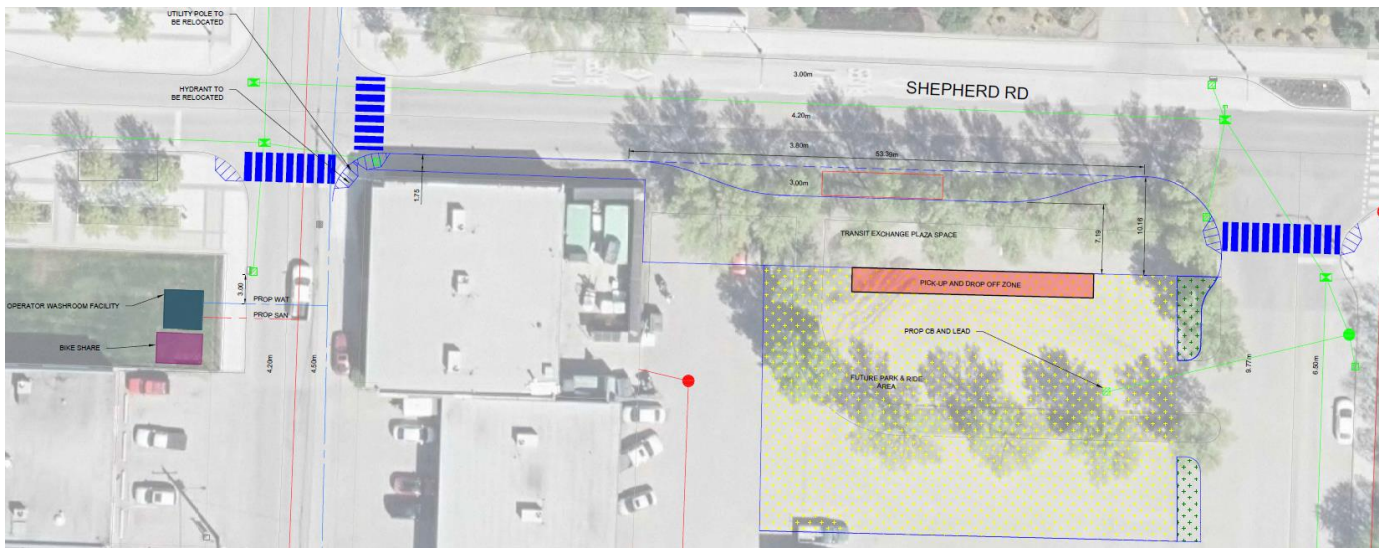


Proposed study schedule

Date*	Deliverable
July 2022	Project Launch – Project Working Group established, data collection.
August 2022	Initial analysis of routing options and changes to travel demand ➤ Development of draft routing options and infrastructure improvements.
September/October 2022	Public engagement ➤ Project website kickoff ➤ Stakeholder Engagement & Online survey and mapping (2-3 weeks).
November 2022	Engagement Summary Report ➤ Modify routing options if required.
December 2022	Draft report developed based on local government and public feedback.
January 2023	Final draft report to key stakeholders and local government officials.
March 2023	Project completion – plan endorsement by City of Kelowna Council and BC Transit’s Senior Leadership Team. Explore opportunities for implementation
Ongoing	Integration of information into future Annual Service Plans, and Three-year Service and Financial Strategies and ongoing implementation of recommended projects.

Rutland Exchange

- ▶ Enhancement options developed with stakeholders.
- ▶ A mobility hub in the heart of the Urban Centre.
- ▶ Dedicated operator washrooms.
- ▶ Candidate Investing In Canada Infrastructure Program (ICIP) project.



Recommendation

THAT Council receives for information, the report from Integrated Transportation regarding the forthcoming Rutland Local Area Transit Plan exercise.



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Questions?