

Small Shelter Design Metro Transit's Bus Stop Improvements Program

Transportation Accessibility Advisory Committee

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Scope of Bus Stop Improvements

Goal is 150 Shelters at NEW Locations

 Issue - Some locations for new shelters won't accommodate standard shelters





Standard Shelter Sizes

- C Style 12' long x 6' deep x 10' high
- D Style 8' long x 4' deep (6' with roof) x 9' high
- E Style 12' long x 4' deep (6' with roof) x 10' high





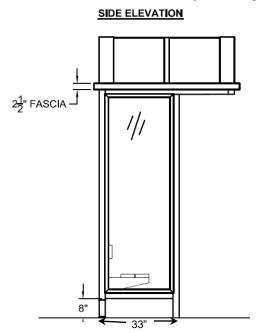






Proposed Slim Shelter

- Approximate Dimensions
 - 12' or 8' long x 3' deep side walls (5' deep roof) x 10' tall
 - Reduces depth by 1'







Slim Design Benefits

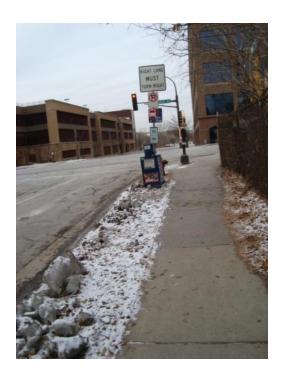
- Can be placed in constrained spaces that cannot contain standard shelter sizes
- Provides more room for pedestrian movement
- Shorter roof reduces conflicts with bus mirrors
- Able to be equipped with light and heat
- Recognizable as bus shelter
- Faster and less expensive to produce than custom design





Site Example – Fillmore Ave. & Robert Street

- 5' wide sidewalk, 4' boulevard
- Fence to North, drops off 15' to parking lot



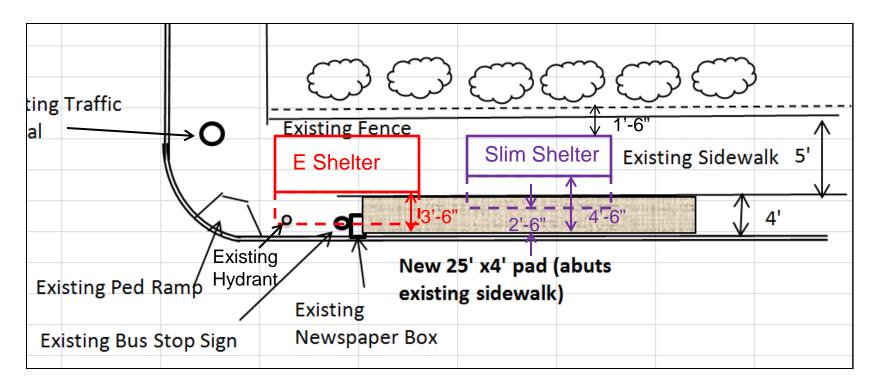






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E Shelter vs. Slim Shelter

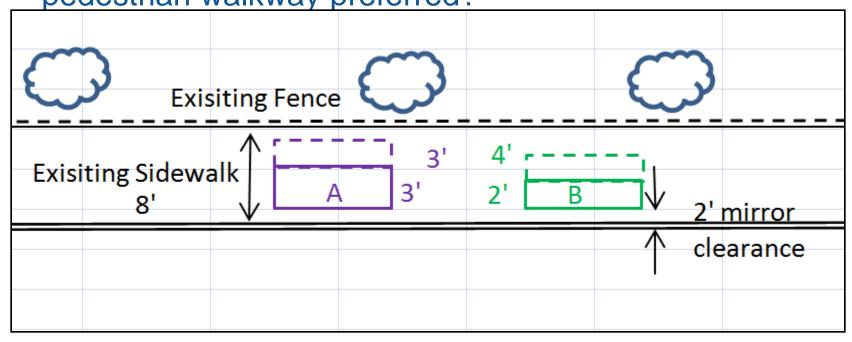






Slim Shelter Options – 3' vs. 2' Depth

In constrained spaces like this is more shelter or more pedestrian walkway preferred?



- A 3' depth, 5' roof, 3' pedestrian clear zone
- B 2' depth, 4' roof, 4' pedestrian clear zone





Thank You

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