



2019-2022 Downtown Saint Paul Bus Stop Facility Improvements

Transportation Accessibility Advisory Committee

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Planned shelter improvements

- Priorities because of high ridership, need for improved conditions at the bus stop, and coordination with other related project schedules.
- **Replace shelter:** remove aged shelter and replace with a new, similar shelter
(Wabasha & 7th Place)
- **Shelter + enhancements:** improve site design, new shelter, heat, light, transit information, seating
(6th & Cedar)



Locations and schedule

2019

***Shelter +
enhancements***
5th St. &
Wabasha/Cedar St.
Eastbound

***Shelter +
enhancements***
Minnesota St. & 6th
St. E Northbound

Replace shelter
6th St. & Wabasha
St. Westbound

2020

***Shelter +
enhancements***
6th St. & Sibley St.
Westbound

Replace Shelter
Minnesota St. & 4th
St. Northbound

2021

Replace shelter
Wabasha St. & 6th
St. Northbound

Replace Shelter
7th St. W & 5th
St./Kellogg Blvd.
Westbound

2022

***Shelter +
enhancements***
Robert St. & 5th/6th
St. Southbound

***Shelter +
enhancements***
Robert St. & 6th St.
Northbound

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Design options for three bus stops

1. Robert Street & 6th Street, Northbound
2. Robert Street & 5th/6th Street, Southbound
3. 6th Street & Sibley Street, Westbound



Robert St SB



Robert St NB



6th St and Sibley St

February 28 Design Workshop Recap

- **Purpose:** to help shape new design concepts
- **Participants:** community stakeholders, Metro Transit staff, City staff, consulting design team 4RM+ULA
- **Questions for consideration:**
 - What would make the shelter and bus stop integrate well with its surroundings?
 - What components (such as benches, lean rails, bike racks) are most important?
 - What is important for making the shelter, bus stop, and sidewalk accessible for all users?
 - What would you like the shelter and bus stop to look like?
 - What do you like, or not like, about the enhanced shelters in downtown Saint Paul, Nicollet Mall?

Upcoming

- March
 - Design team develops two design options per bus stop
 - Community outreach
- April
 - Second design workshop
 - Community outreach
- May
 - Concept design for each bus stop completed
 - Community outreach
- Final design process – schedule to be determined
 - 6th & Sibley, 2019
 - Robert Street, after 2019

Thank you

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