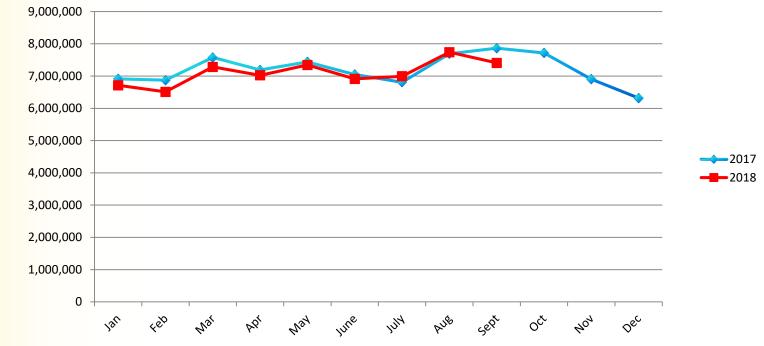
2018 Third Quarter Ridership

Transportation Committee November 26, 2018



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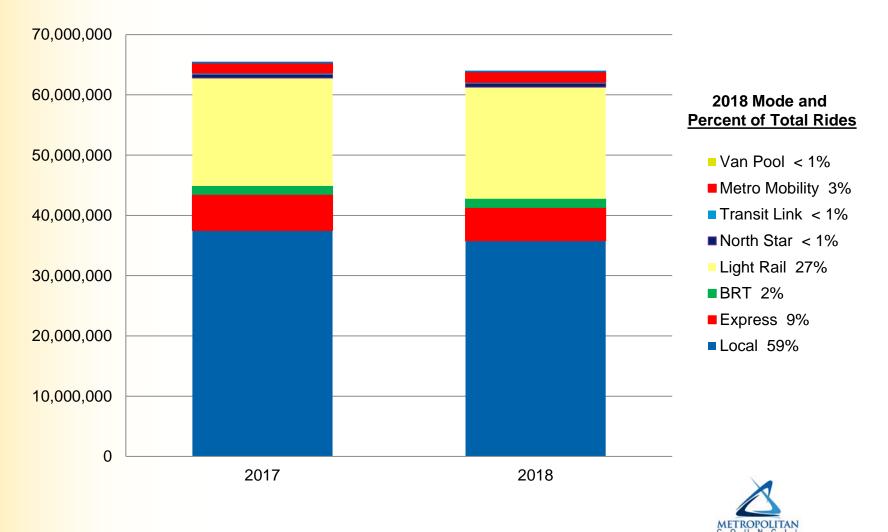




Ridership (millions)

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Mode	2017 YTD Q3	2018 YTD Q3	Nominal Change	% Change
Local	37,488,999	35,809,422	-1,679,577	-4%
Bus Rapid Transit	1,389,931	1,415,790	25,859	2%
Express	5,994,309	5,518,065	-476,244	-8%
Light Rail	17,909,944	18,526,726	616,782	3%
Northstar	609,164	610,200	1,036	0%
Metro Mobility	1,682,413	1,769,493	87,080	5%
Transit Link	221,451	192,794	-28,657	-13%
Vanpool	115,309	88,220	-27,089	-23%
Council Total	65,411,520	63,930,710	-1,480,810	- 2%



Conclusions

- Overall bus ridership is declining
 - Local bus ridership is down 4% and Express bus ridership is down 8% year to date. Primary drivers are industry trend and October 2017 fare increase.
- Transitway ridership is growing
 - Light rail ridership is up 3 percent
 - BRT ridership is up 2 percent
- Other trends
 - Metro Mobility increased 5% from same time last year
 - Metro Vanpool decreased 8 vanpools from previous year



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Questions

