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Green Line LRT Extension



METRO Green Line Extension

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November 2018: Project Groundbreaking!



Today's Topics

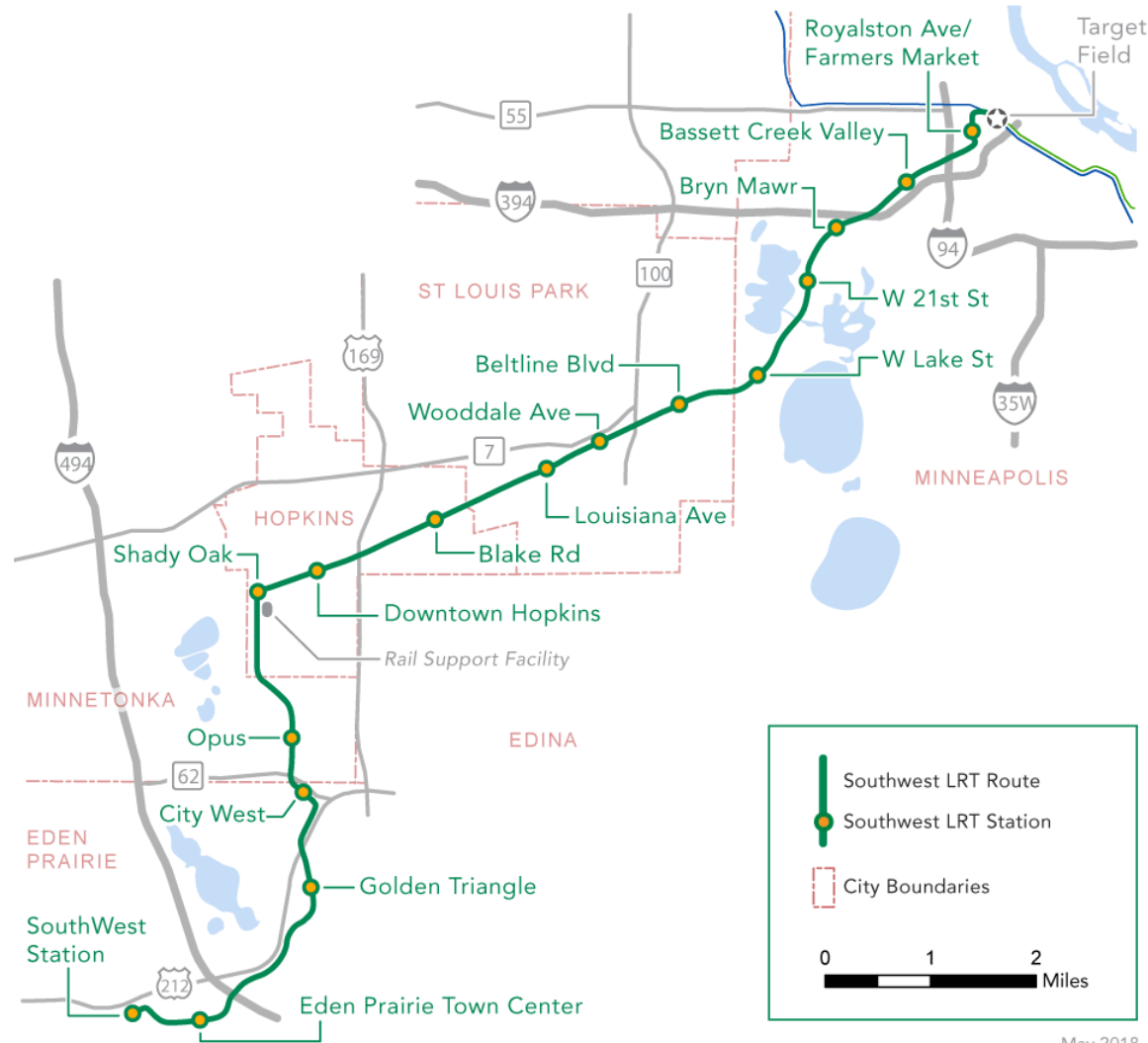
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Project Overview

METRO Green Line Extension

- 14.5 miles
- 16 stations
- Single seat trips to downtown Mpls, U of M, St. Paul
- Connections to Airport and Mall of America via Blue Line



Project Update

2020 Construction Highlights

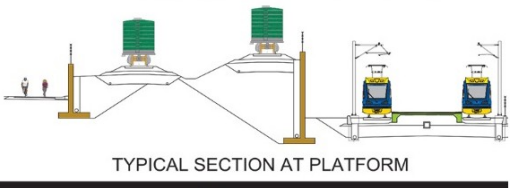
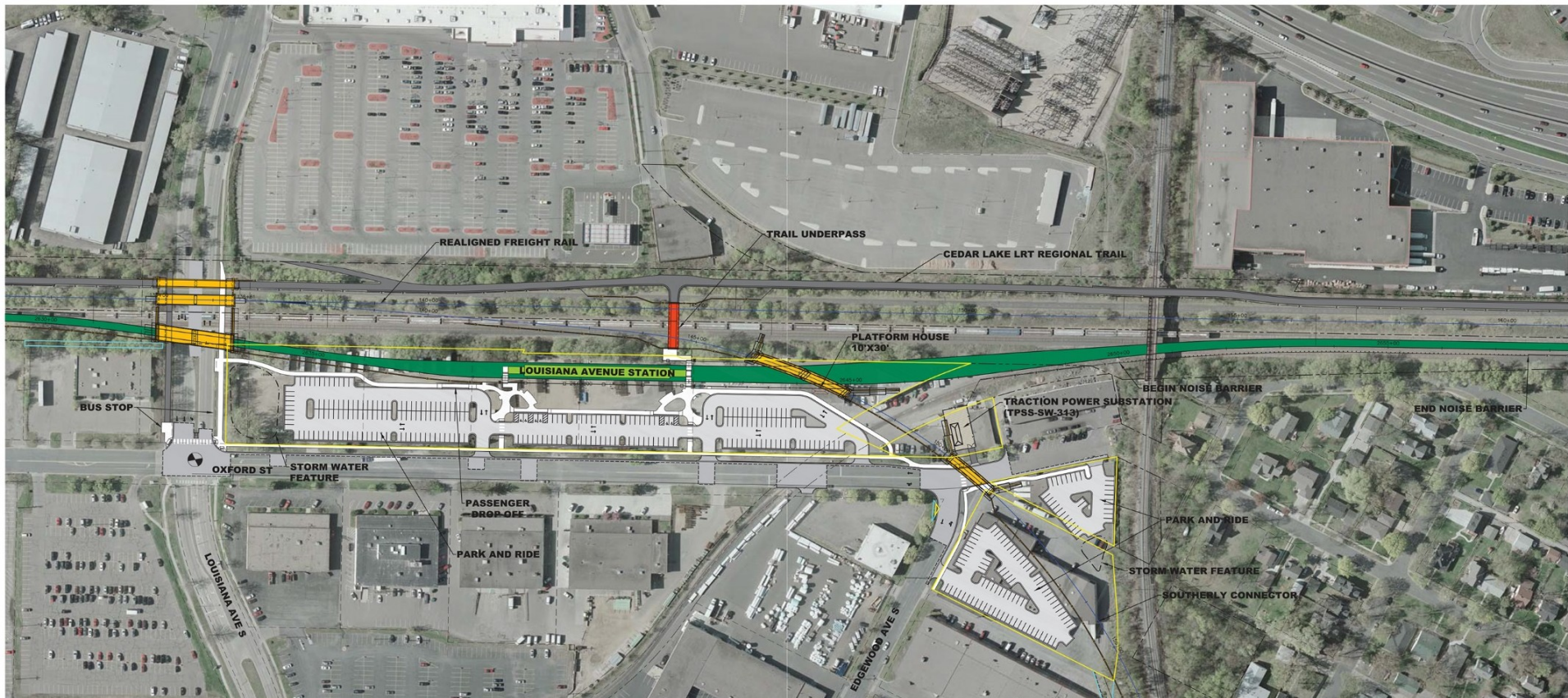
- Received FFGA on September 14
- Civil construction 35% complete
- Under construction:
 - 8 stations underway out of 16
 - 23 bridges underway or completed out of 29
 - 5 tunnels underway out of 8
 - 47% of retaining wall work completed: 127 walls total
- 94% of 946 private utilities completed
- 65% of nearly 1,300 public utilities completed
- Completed all 15 building demolitions
- Systems mobilized and in design and procurement
- Franklin O&M Facility modifications 40% complete
- 11 LRVs delivered

2020 Construction Recap

Regional Trail and Freight Bridges at Minnehaha Creek



Louisiana Avenue Station



COLOR LEGEND

	LRT TRACK AREA		EXISTING SIGNALIZED INTERSECTION
	PEDESTRIAN / SIDEWALK AREA		PROPOSED SIGNALIZED INTERSECTION
	STATION PLATFORM		TRACTION POWER SUBSTATION
	TUNNEL		SYSTEMS BUILDING (DESIGN VARIES)
	ROADWAY		GATE ARM
	TRAIL / BIKEWAY		TOTAL PROPERTY ACQUISITION
	SURFACE PARKING		PARTIAL PROPERTY ACQUISITION
	BRIDGE		RIGHT OF WAY
	RETAINING WALL		PROPERTY LINE
			TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION EASEMENT



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Louisiana Avenue Station



Regional Trail and Freight Bridges at Louisiana Avenue



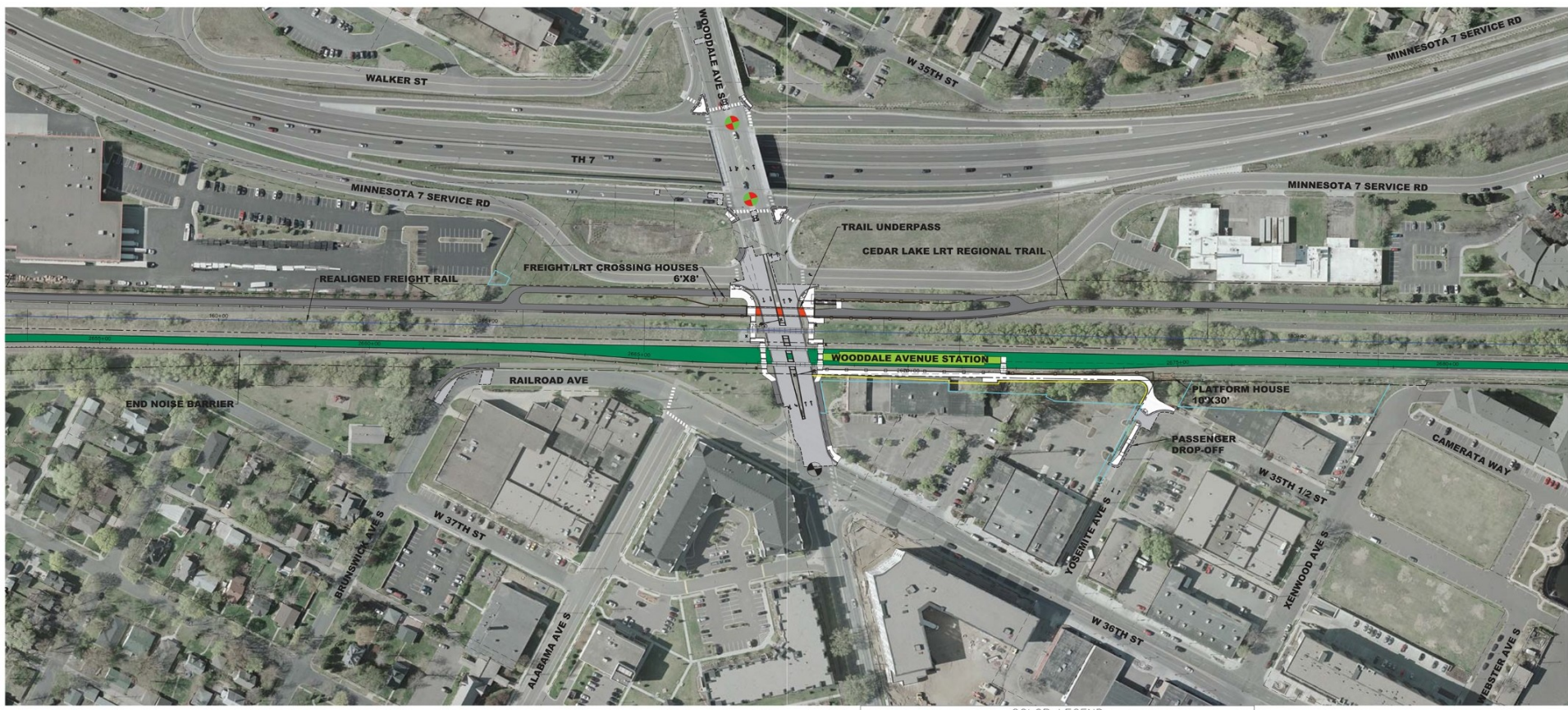
Trail Underpass at Louisiana Station



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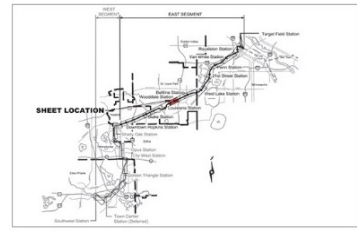


Wooddale Avenue Station



COLOR LEGEND

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	STATION PLATFORM		TRACTION POWER SUBSTATION
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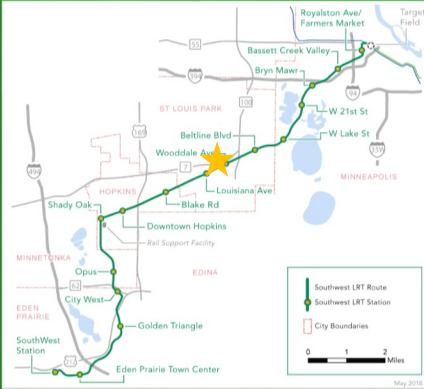
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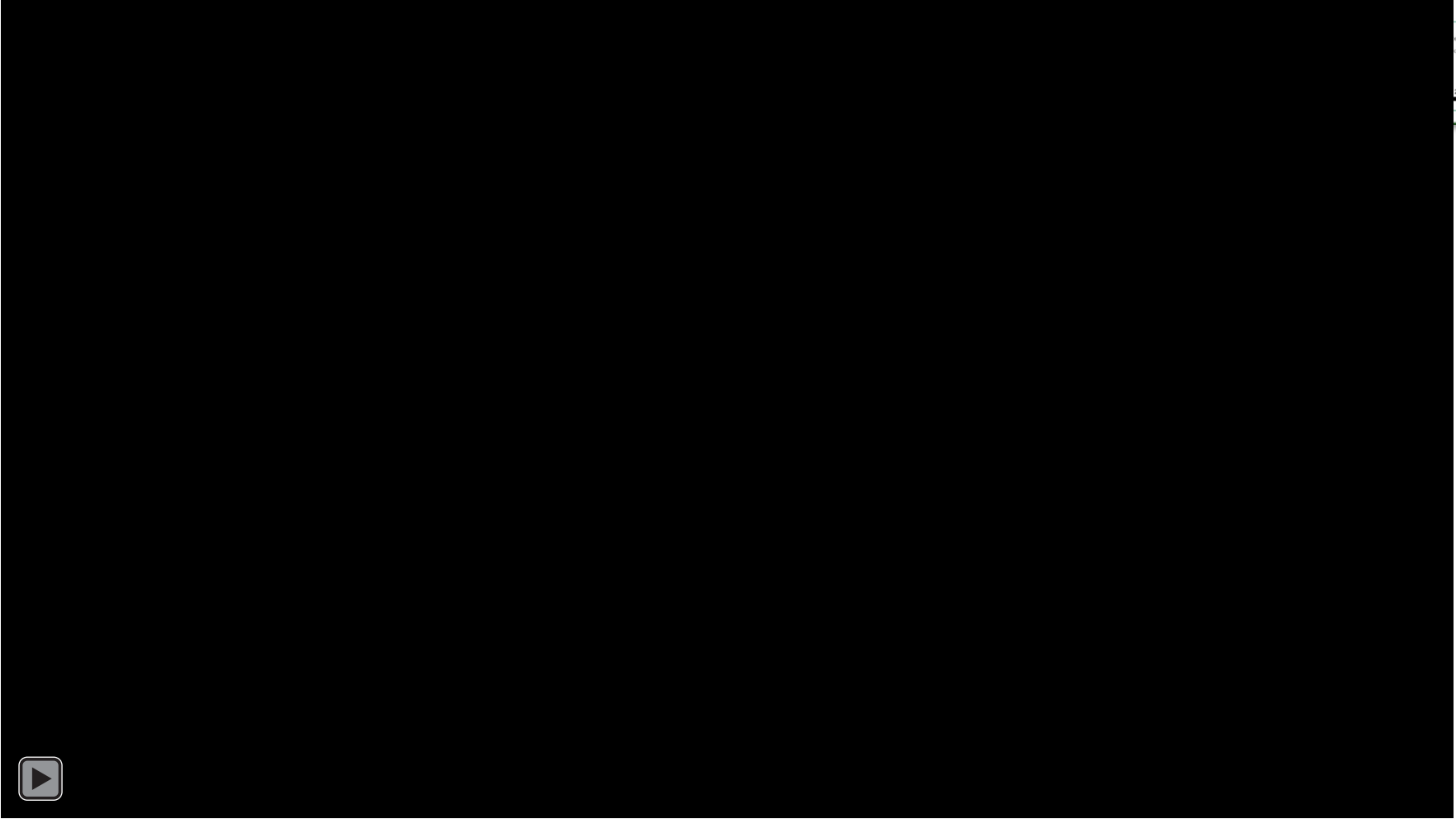
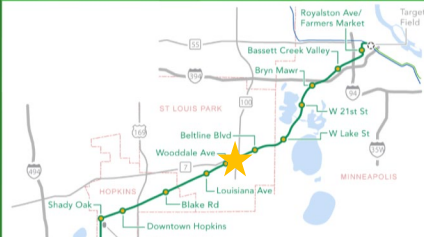
Wooddale Avenue Station



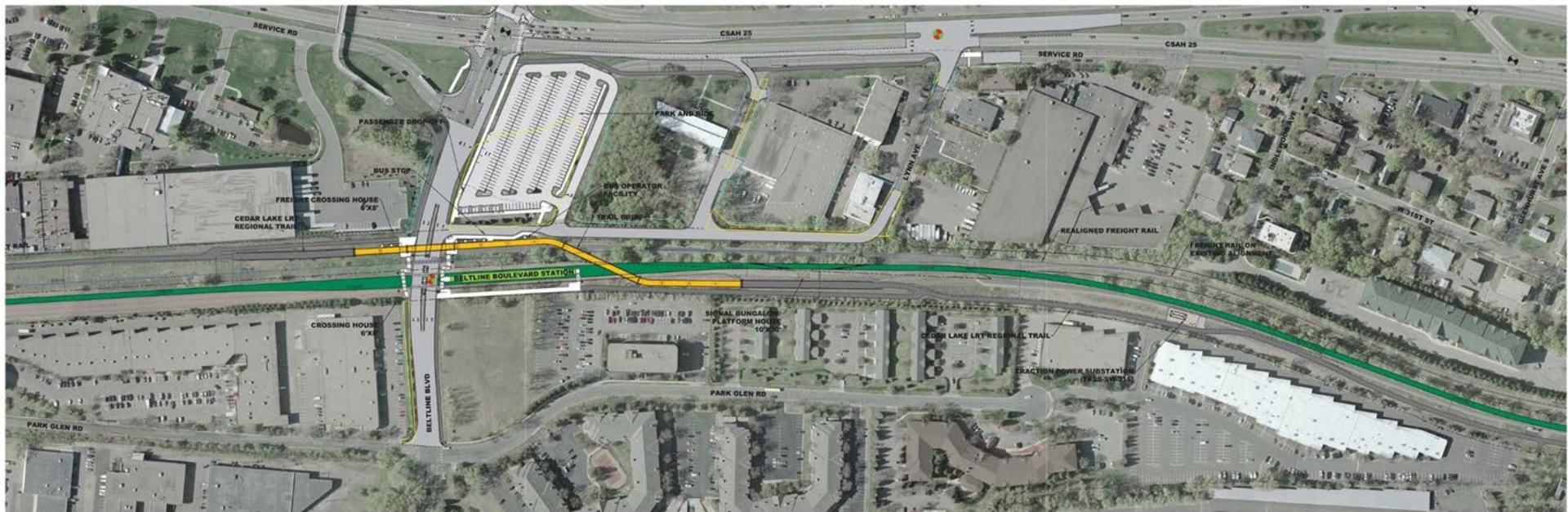
Regional Trail Underpass at Wooddale Avenue



TH-100 Freight Bridge



Beltline Boulevard Station



COLOR LEGEND

Green	LET TRACK AREA	Black circle with red dot	EXISTING SIGNALIZED INTERSECTION
Red	RIGHTWAY / SERVICE AREA	Black circle with red dot and cross	PROPOSED SIGNALIZED INTERSECTION
Blue	STATION PLATFORM	Black rectangle with red border	TRACTION POWER SUBSTATION
Yellow	LAND	Black rectangle with red border and diagonal lines	SYSTEM BUILDING (CONCRETE AREA)
Grey	ROADWAY	Black rectangle with red border and horizontal lines	CONCRETE AREA
Light Grey	TRAIL / BIWAY	Black rectangle with red border and vertical lines	TRAIL
Orange	BARREL PARKING	Black rectangle with red border and diagonal lines (top-left to bottom-right)	TOTAL PROPERTY ACQUISITION
Dark Orange	BRIDGE	Black rectangle with red border and diagonal lines (bottom-left to top-right)	PARTIAL PROPERTY ACQUISITION
Light Green	RETAINING WALL	Black rectangle with red border and horizontal lines	PROPOSED PROPERTY ACQUISITION
		Black rectangle with red border and vertical lines	PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION ELEMENT

Scale: 1" = 100' (approximate)



Beltline Boulevard Station



Regional Trail Bridge at Beltline Boulevard



2021 Construction Overview

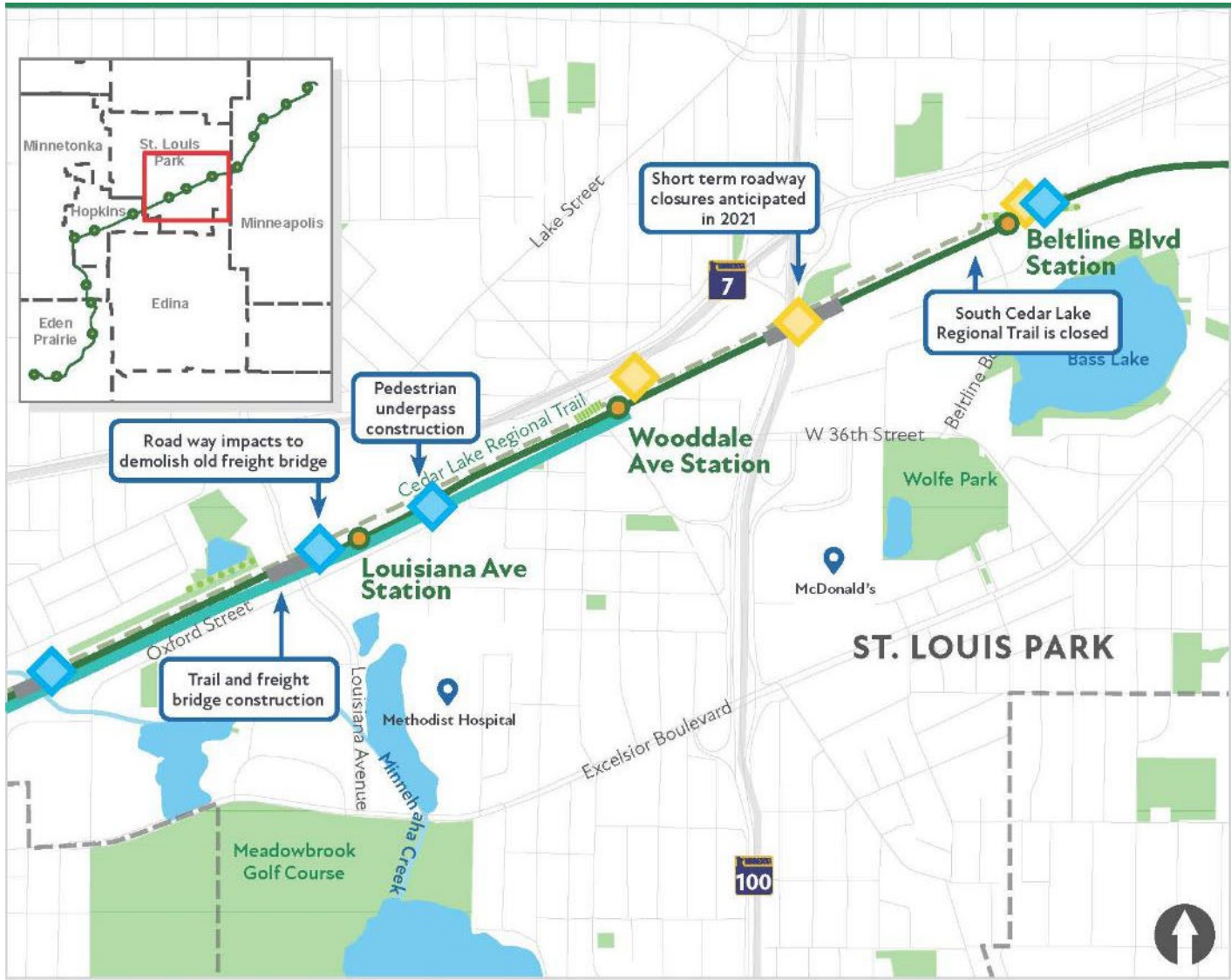
2021 Milestone Activities

- Freight Rail
 - Shift tracks to final alignment
 - Blake Road to Wooddale Avenue
- Minnehaha Creek
 - Demo freight bridge
 - Begin LRT bridge foundations
- Louisiana Avenue Station area
 - Demo freight rail bridge
 - Requires short term roadway closure
 - Begin LRT bridge foundations
 - Continue soil correction activity at station
 - Continue retaining wall work

2021 Milestone Activities

- Wooddale Avenue Station area
 - Install freight bungalow and complete traffic signals
 - Begin station work
- TH 100
 - Complete LRT bridge deck & abutment work
 - Requires short term highway closure
- Beltline Boulevard Station area
 - Begin station work
 - Complete pedestrian bridge
 - Begin roadway work north of station area
 - Retaining wall work

2021 Construction Highlights



- LRT Station
- Bridge
- - - Trail Bridge
- LRT Alignment
- Freight Track Work
- ◆ Pile Driving/Sheeting/Vibration Activity
- Lane Closure
- Trail Tunnel
- ◆ Building Activities

Contact us

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