

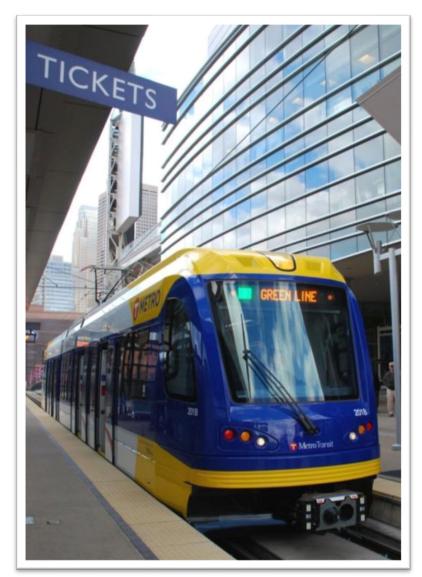
## METRO Green Line Extension Minnetonka Construction Town Hall

March 5, 2021



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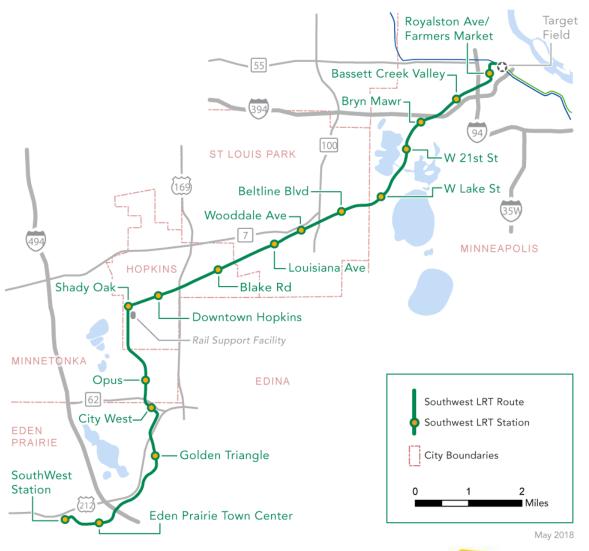


# **Project Overview**



## **METRO Green Line Extension**

- 14.5 miles
- 16 stations
- Will provide single seat trips to downtown Minneapolis, U of M and St. Paul
- Connections to the Airport and Mall of America via the Blue Line





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# **Project Update**



# **2020 Construction Highlights**

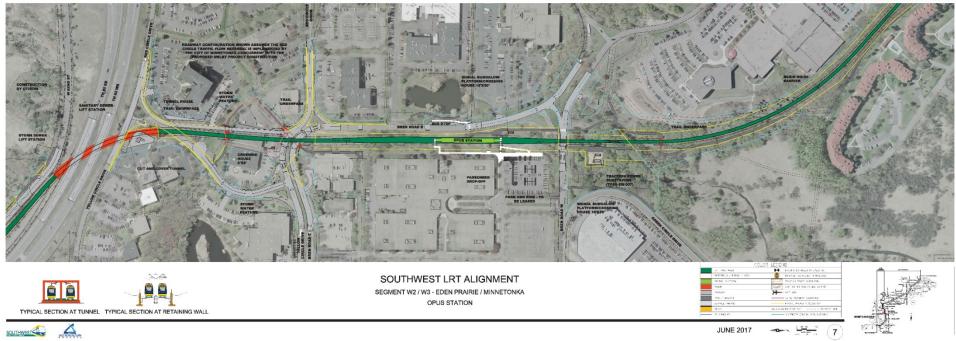
- Received FFGA on September 14
- Civil construction: 35% complete
- Under construction:
  - 8 stations underway out of 16
  - 23 bridges underway or completed out of 29
  - 5 tunnels underway out of 8
  - 47% of retaining wall work completed: 127 walls total
- 94% of 946 private utilities completed
- 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**









### **Hwy 62 Tunnel Construction**





#### **Retaining walls in the Opus area**













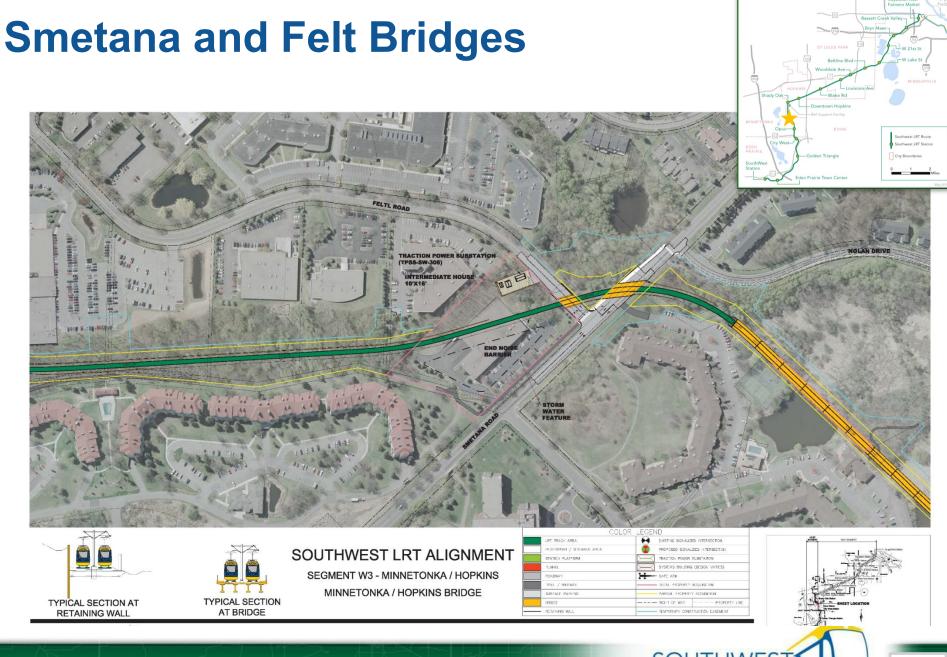












# Smetana Bridge & Retaining Wall Construction





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# **2021 Construction Overview**



### **Current Opus LRT Corridor Road Configuration**





## Minnetonka: 2021 Construction Highlights

- Highway 62 LRT tunnel north segment ongoing through 2021
- Advance Opus Station
- Complete Smetana Road bridge: roadway opens mid-2021
- Continue work on Feltl Road bridge: close by-pass roadway late-2021
- Advance retaining walls



#### **Minnetonka: 2021 Construction Highlights**



# **Communications & Outreach Update**



#### **2020 Construction Communications**

- Construction updates: 16,600+ subscribers; 46% open rate
- 24-hour construction hotline: 15 calls from Minnetonka residents
- Hundreds more non-hotline calls and emails from community members to outreach staff
- Construction Information Workgroup: 7 meetings



## **2021 Community Engagement Focus**

- 2021 what to expect & site tour videos
- Continue work with Construction Information Workgroup
- Return to engagement out in the community when possible



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