



About the Reimagine Transit Initiative

Reimagine Transit is a Suffolk County initiative to rethink the entire network of Suffolk County Transit routes and ensure that the County is making the best use of its resources and aligning its transit investments with community goals and priorities. This initiative builds on the Connect LI regional transportation and development plan and Suffolk County Mobility Study that recommended redesign of the fixed-route bus network and identification of opportunities for the use of new tools, like on-demand transit services.

Suffolk County Transit

Currently, Suffolk County Transit operates 170 buses across 43 routes, serving an average of 14,000 daily weekday riders.

Why we need it

Like many transit systems across the country, Suffolk County is facing declining ridership and budget constraints exacerbated by a public health crisis that has spurred new economic priorities. The Reimagine Transit initiative will help the County to offer more efficient service to more people.

What will Reimagine Transit include?

This initiative began in September 2020 and is expected to conclude in Fall 2021. Here are key steps involved:

- Existing Conditions Review & Conceptual Planning
 - Review of existing network and County demographics
 - Development of network redesign concepts
- Identification of Community Transit Priorities & Choices
 - Community survey
 - Community meetings
- Draft Bus Network & Implementation Plan
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 - Final bus network and implementation plan

How to get involved

Input from the public is vital to this initiative. The County plans to engage residents, transit riders, community organizations, the business community, and elected officials, among others, to inform the direction of the initiative through virtual community meetings and a survey in 2021. Visit connectli.org/RTGetInvolved.html to take the survey and RSVP to community meetings.

More information on this initiative can be found here: connectli.org/ReimagineTransit.html

