

# ENVISION MY RIDE



The Charlotte-Mecklenburg region is rapidly growing and changing. Through the years our bus service has extended operating hours, implemented more neighborhood service, and improved customer amenities. CATS recognizes that we need to continue to improve the bus system to better serve you, our customer, so we need your help.

Envision My Ride is a planning initiative to redesign the current bus system. Through this initiative, CATS plans to study bus route structure and frequency to determine how to improve the system and better serve the Charlotte region.



CATS is currently conducting extensive public outreach to best understand what is most important to riders. CATS will use this feedback to develop a plan for route and service adjustments.



## Key Considerations for Envision My Ride:

- Cross-town and suburb-to-suburb bus service
- Connections between different bus routes and between bus and light rail
- Frequency of service
- More direct services

### HIGHER FREQUENCIES



Higher frequencies mean shorter wait times. Shorter wait times mean shorter commutes.

### EVERY ROUTE, EVERY DAY



Every bus route would run every day, even on the weekend.

### EASIER TRANSFERS

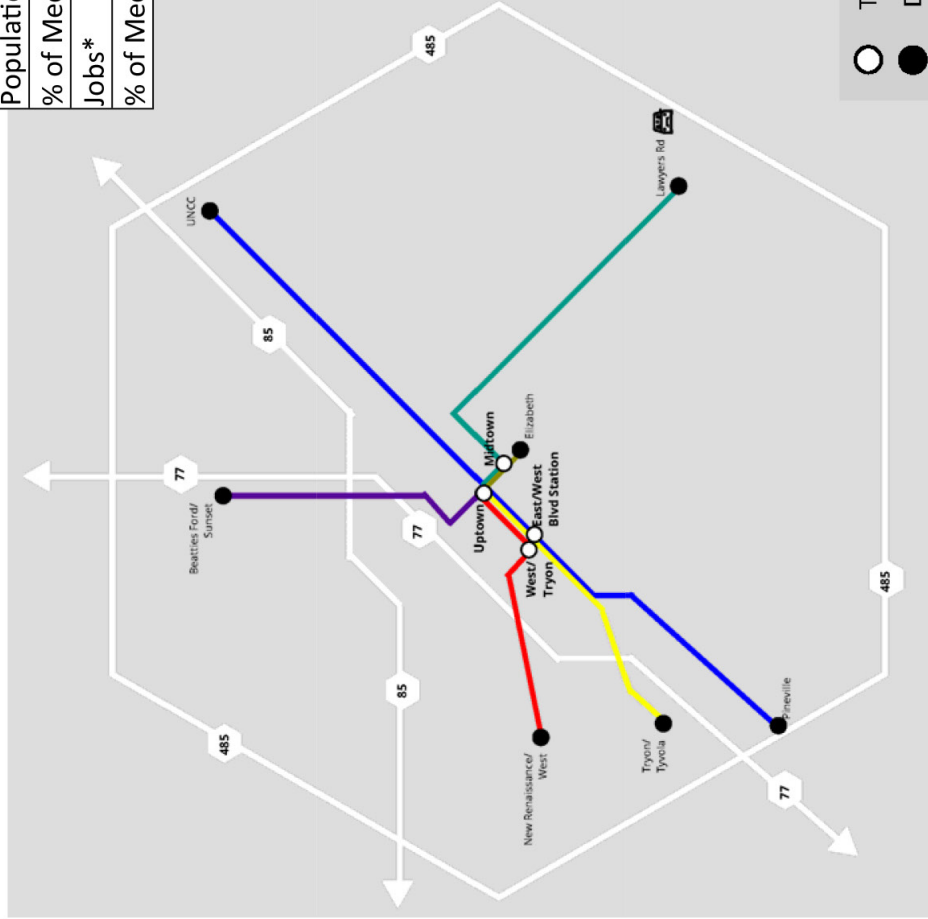


Advanced payment technology, real time arrival information, and an improved grid pattern would make transfers easier and more efficient.

## Stay involved...

Learn more by visiting [www.ridetransit.org](http://www.ridetransit.org) or by calling 704-335-RIDE (7433). Stay involved by attending public meetings and transportation fairs. Stay informed by signing up for Notify Me at [www.ridetransit.org](http://www.ridetransit.org). Once registered, select CATS Riders Alerts and choose your routes of interest to receive updates. **Learn more at [ridetransit.org](http://ridetransit.org)**

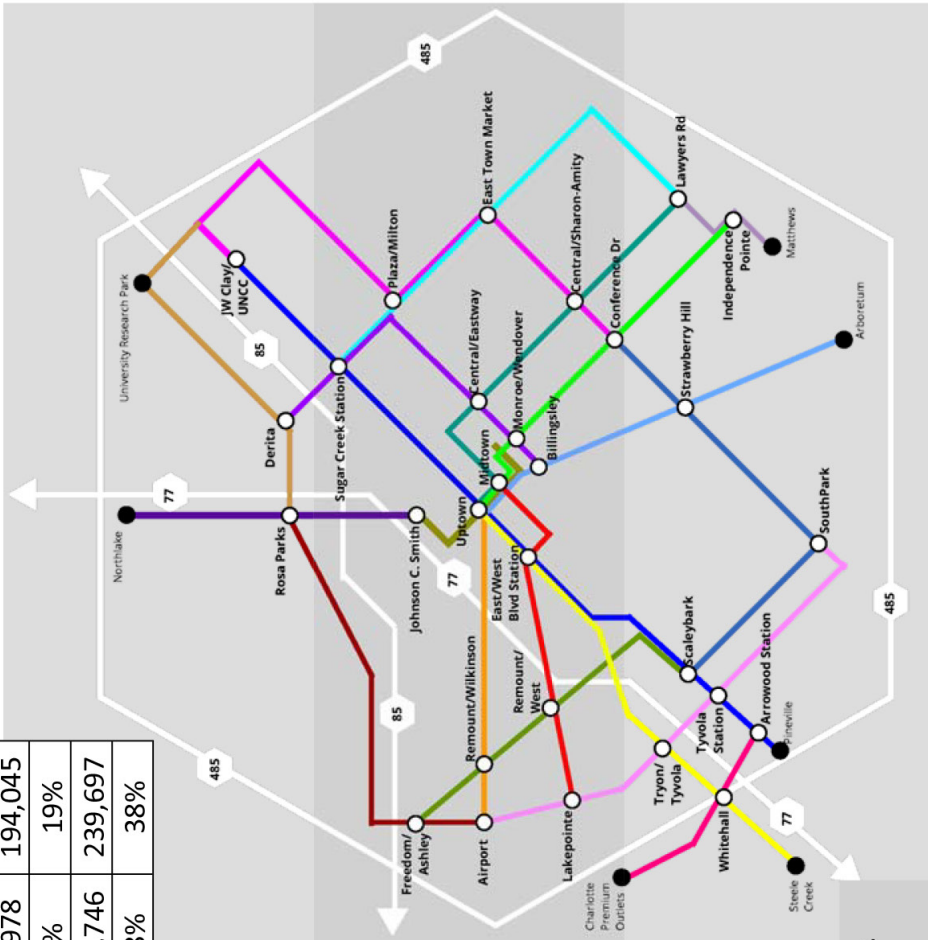
## 2018 Frequent Network



## Future Frequent Network

	Current	Future
Population*	49,978	194,045
% of Meck Co	5%	19%
Jobs*	110,746	239,697
% of Meck Co	18%	38%

\*within 1/4 mile of bus stops with 15-minute or better service



○ Transfer Points  
● Destinations

- 9 - Central
- 10 - West Blvd
- 16 - S Tryon
- 7 - Beatties Ford
- 510 - Gold Line
- LYNX Blue Line

- 60 - Tyvola
- 32 - Mallard Creek
- 34 - Hoskins
- 39 - Eastway
- 56 - Arrowood
- 17 - Independence
- 27 - Monroe Rd
- 29 - Sharon Amity
- 30 - Scaleybark
- 9 - Central
- 10 - West Blvd
- 14 - Providence Rd
- 16 - S Tryon
- 2 - Ashley Rd
- 3 - The Plaza
- 5 - Sprinter Airport
- 7 - Beatties Ford

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Map not drawn to scale