

C Line: Long-Term Glenwood Realignment Recommendation

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The C Line will improve transit in the Route 19 corridor.

The C Line will be a rapid bus service. Rapid bus uses a package of transit enhancements that adds up to a faster trip and an improved experience on the region's busiest bus routes. It will substantially replace Route 19.

Service will operate more frequently with fewer stops, about every 1/2 mile instead of every block. Longer buses will have additional seats and space. Fares will be collected at the station and not on the bus.

Where should the C Line run once light rail is open on Olson Memorial Highway?

Metro Transit recommends the C Line be moved to Glenwood Avenue when the Blue Line Extension light rail opens on Olson Highway. Moving the C Line to Glenwood would:

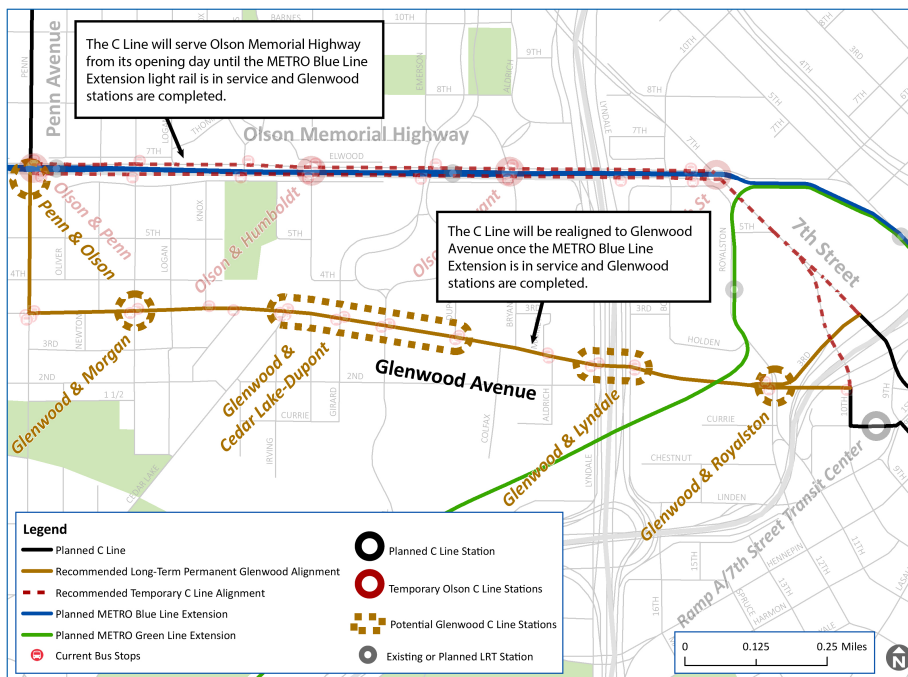
- Balance transitway service across multiple corridors in north Minneapolis
- Support long-term growth potential of the Glenwood corridor
- Offer a comparable projected travel time to Olson Highway

When would the C Line start running on Glenwood Avenue?

The C Line would move to Glenwood Avenue at the start of METRO Blue Line Extension light rail service. In summary, the C Line would:

- Start service in 2019 with temporary stations on Olson Highway
- Continue serving Olson through METRO Blue Line Extension construction
- Permanently move to Glenwood at the start of Blue Line Extension service (scheduled for 2021)

Recommended Long-Term C Line Alignment



Your comments are encouraged

- Submit comments on the Glenwood realignment recommendation to BRTprojects@metrotransit.org or the project's Community Outreach Coordinator (contact info below). Comments can be submitted through October 31st.

- Visit www.metrotransit.org/c-line-project for more information about the realignment recommendation.

- A public open house is scheduled for October 18th where you can learn more about the recommendation, talk with staff, and submit comments.

October 18, 2016
6:00 to 7:30pm (presentation at 6:30)
Harrison Education Center
501 Irving Avenue North
Minneapolis, MN 55405

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