

# Five Year Light Rail Investment Program

#### Semiannual Update

**Engineering, Scheduling, and Special Services Departments** 

November 2024

### **Investment Program Refresh**



### STAGE 1

#### STAGE 2

#### STAGE 3

#### STAGE 4

#### 2022-2025

- ☐ CBD Plinth Replacement
  - 2022 2025
- ✓ Light Rail Station Improvements
- ✓ Mt. Lebanon Tunnel Fan Replacement

#### 2024

- ✓ Red Line Project Bundling
  - ✓ Guarded Rail Replacement
  - ✓ Neeld &Traymore
     Ave Crossover
     Switch Tie
     Replacements
  - ✓ Kelton Street Stabilization

#### 2025-2026

- ☐ Mt. Washington Transit Tunnel Rail Replacement – 2025
- ☐ Belasco High Platform Station -2025
- ☐ Mt Lebanon Tunnel Rail Replacement -2025-2026

#### 2026-2028

- ☐ Panhandle Bridge (Light Rail)
  Rehabilitation 2026 2028
- ☐ Station Square and Dormont Station Improvement Projects 2026-2027



# Accomplishments – Progress Completed in 2024

# Central Business District (CBD) Plinth Replacement Project

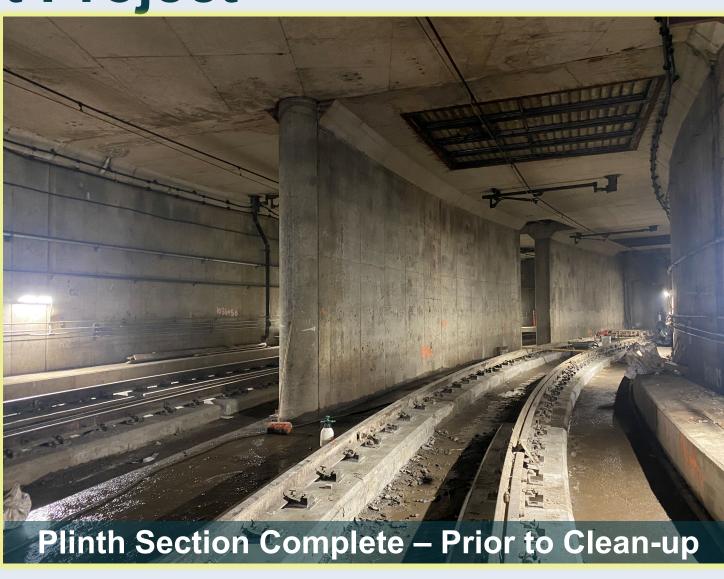


- ✓ CBD Plinth Replacement
  - ✓ 2024 Two-Month Closure

\$35 million

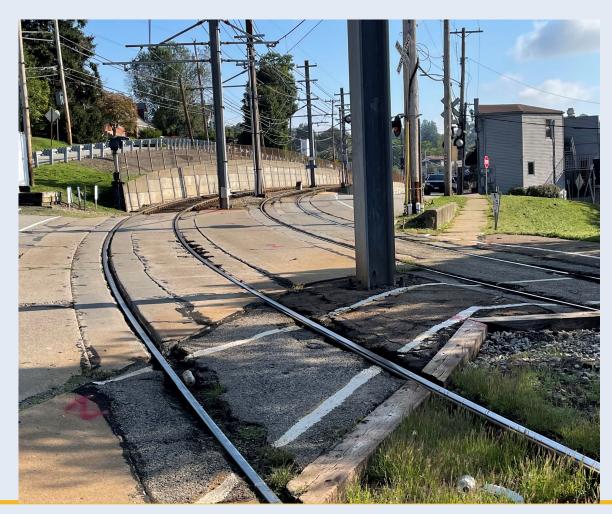
- ✓ Red Line Project Bundling Summer Red Line Closure
  - ✓ Guarded Rail Replacement
  - ✓ Neeld &Traymore Ave Crossover Switch Tie Replacements
  - ✓ Kelton Street Stabilization

\$20 million



### **Red Line Closure Projects**







Willow Ave Grade Crossing
Before

Willow Ave Grade Crossing

After

### **Station and Tunnel Improvements**



- ✓ Light Rail Station Improvements
  - √ 18 Stations
  - ✓ \$16 million
- ✓ Mt. Lebanon Tunnel Fan Replacement
  - ✓ \$10 million





## Upcoming Rail Projects in 2025

# Completion of CBD Plinth Replacement Project

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- □ 2025 Two-Month Closure (January & February 2025)
- □ \$35 million



# Mt. Washington Tunnel Rail Replacement

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- ☐ 2025 Eight-Month Closure (Feb 23rd through October 2025)
- □ \$26 million

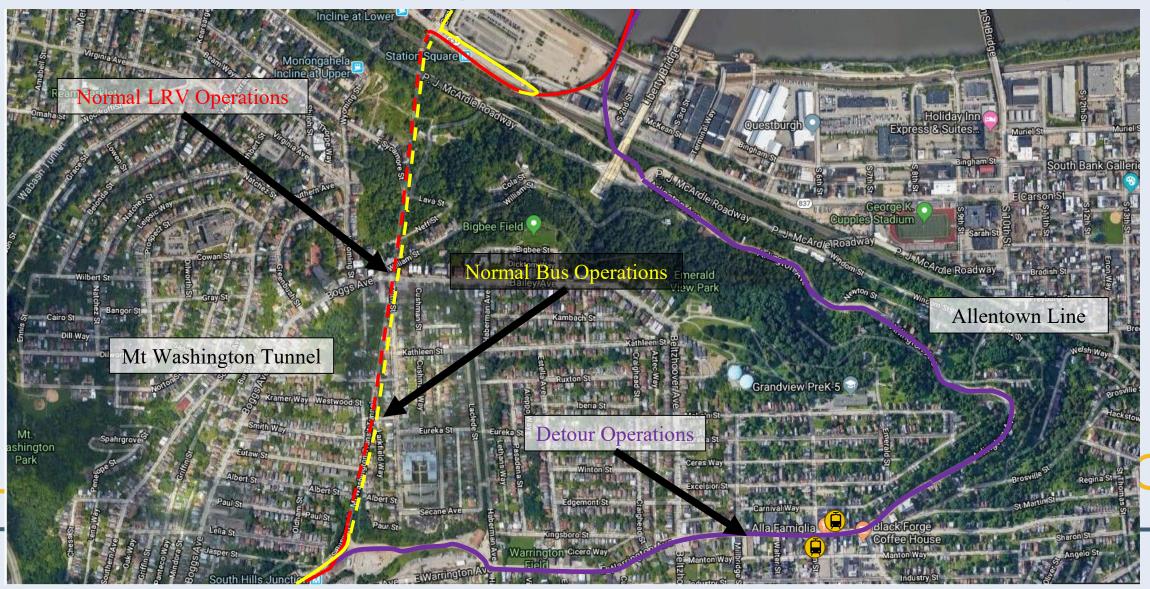
#### Scope:

- ☐ Embedded Track Replacement
- ☐ Overhead Catenary Wire and Support Component Replacement
- ☐ Concrete Pavement Replacement
- ☐ Electrical Duct Banks Repairs
- ☐ Tunnel Drainage Replacement
- ☐ Tunnel Liner Shotcrete Repairs



# Mt. Washington Tunnel Rail Replacement – Light rail detour

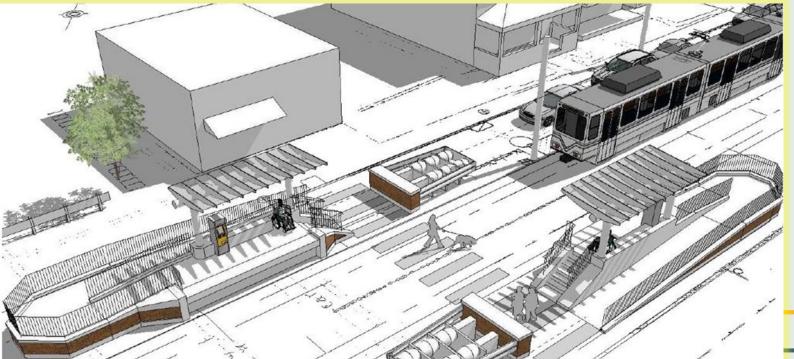




## Belasco High Platform Station

**Project 2025-2026** 

- ☐ In design, \$7 million
- □1 Weekend Closure
- ☐ 11 Weekends of Single Track





- ☐ Scope:
  - ☐ Mini-highblock Station
  - ☐ Drilled Micropile Foundation w/ Concrete Grade Beam
  - ☐ ADA Access Ramp
  - ☐ Steel and Glass Canopy with Windscreen
  - ☐ Station Lighting

- ☐ Passenger Amenities
- ☐ Stainless Steel Railings
- □ PavementMarkings &Signage
- ☐ Pavement and Sidewalk Restoration
- ☐ Architecturally finished station walls

# Mt. Lebanon Tunnel Rail Replacement (2025-2026)



Single Track each Tunnel

In Design

\$26 million



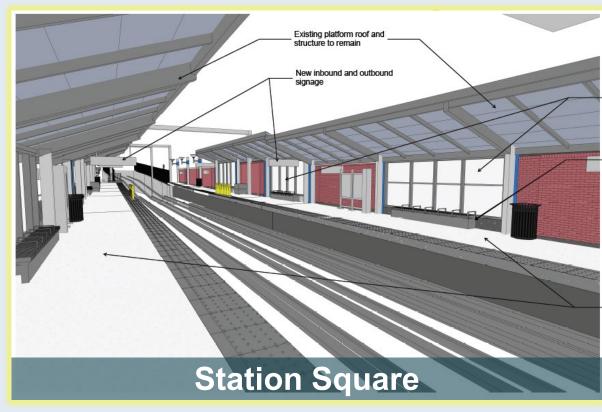
**Outside Mt Lebanon Tunnel** 



Mt Lebanon Tunnel

### **Projects Beyond 2025**

- ☐ Panhandle Bridge (Light Rail)
  Rehabilitation 2026 2028
  - ☐ In design
  - □ \$65 million
- ☐ Station Square and Dormont Station Improvement Projects 2026-2027
  - ☐ In design
  - □ \$16 million





# Service Impacts – January-March 2025 Downtown Plinth Project







### Service Impacts – Phase A

Phase A – January 2 – February

- Work Focused Under Both
   Switches on Approach at Steel
   Plaza Station
- Scheduled Regular Rail
   Service Terminates at First
   Avenue Station
- Temporary "Rail Shuttle" Bus Bridge Between First Avenue & Steel Plaza Stations
- Temporary "Subway Local"
   Rail Bridge Between Allegheny
   Steel Plaza Stations





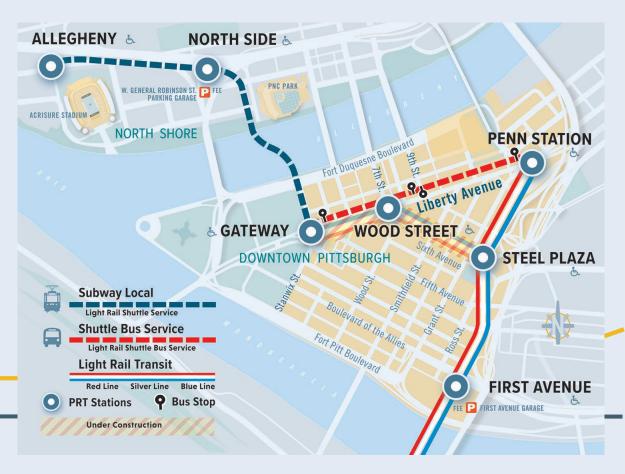
### Service Impacts – Phase B

Phase B - February - March

- Plinth Work Completion Under Rail In Main Line Subway
- Scheduled Regular Rail
   Service Detours To & From Penn Station
- Temporary "96R-Penn-Gateway" Bus Bridge Between Penn, Wood Street & Gateway Stations
- Temporary "Subway Local" Rail Bridge Between Allegheny, North Side & Gateway Stations







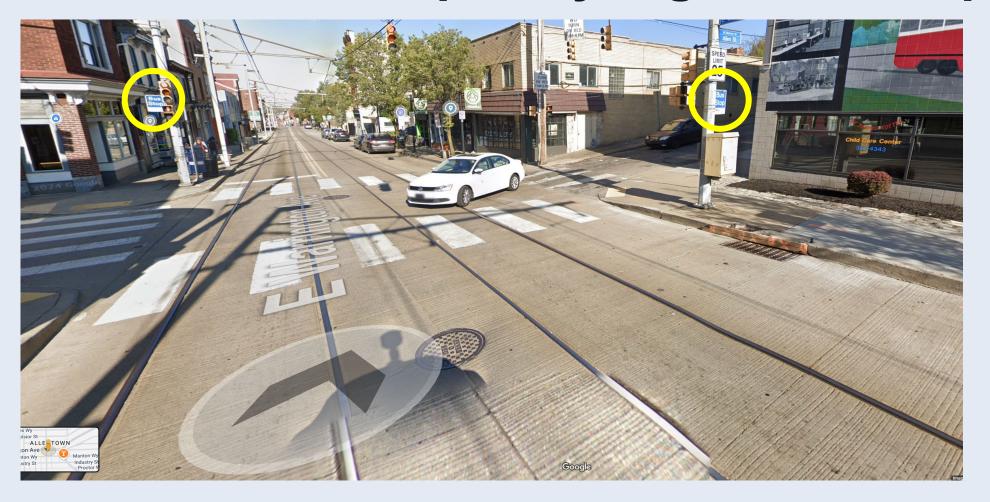
# Service Impacts – Mt. Washington Transit Tunnel Closure Project

- Approximately 7-8 minutes additional travel time in each direction
- Silver will operate between Washington Junction and Library on weekdays
  - Full route on weekends



### **Allen Street Temporary Light Rail Stops**



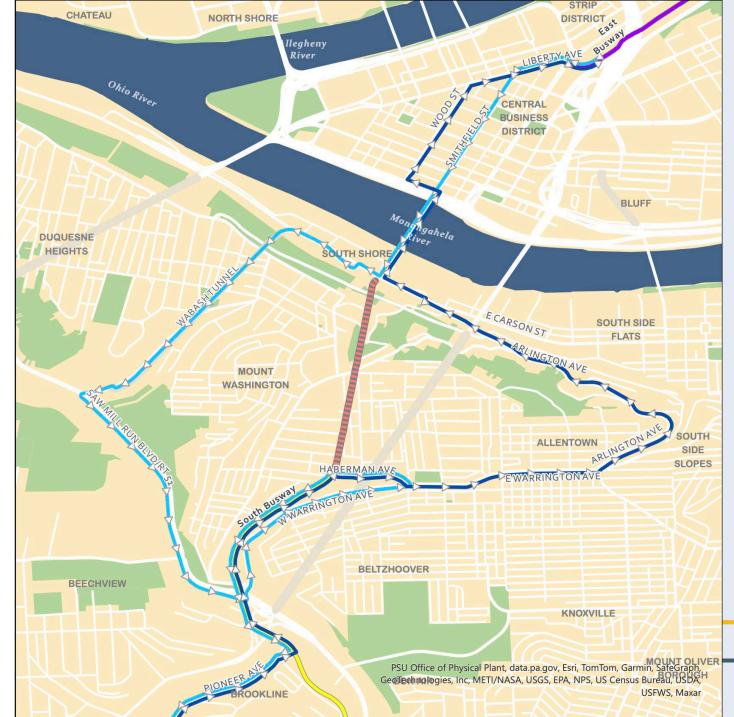


This pair of temporary light rail stops is not ADA compliant. Riders needing the level boarding should continue to use the 43-Bailey or 48-Arlington bus routes, which will continue to serve these stops in Allentown.

# Route 39: Brookline Inbound Outbound Tunnels Mt. Washington Tunnel Project Road Tunnels PRT Busways East Busway South Busway Areas of Interest

Parks





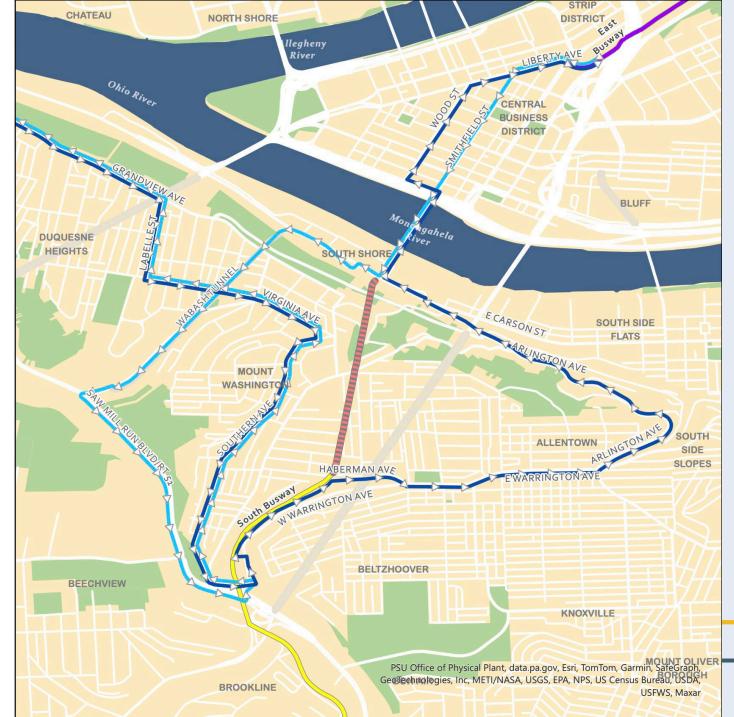
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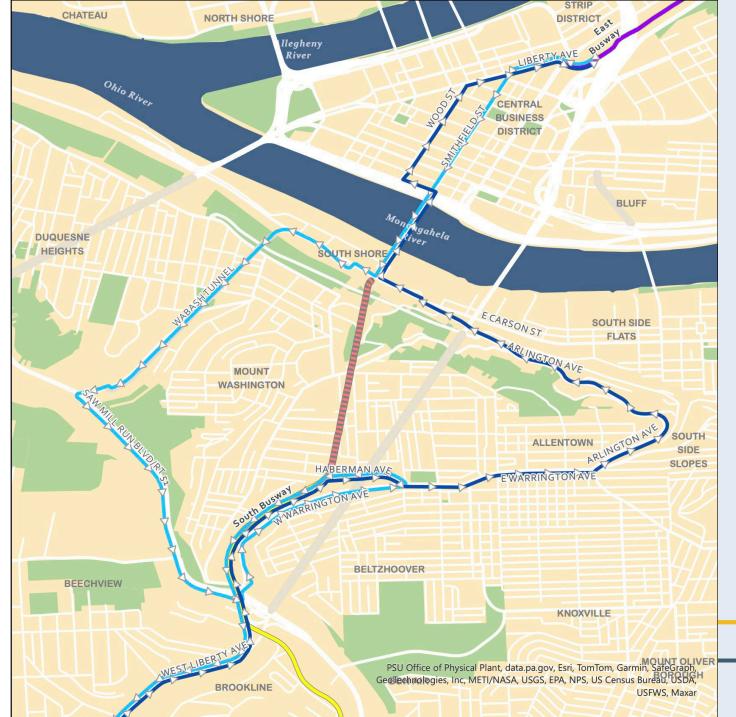




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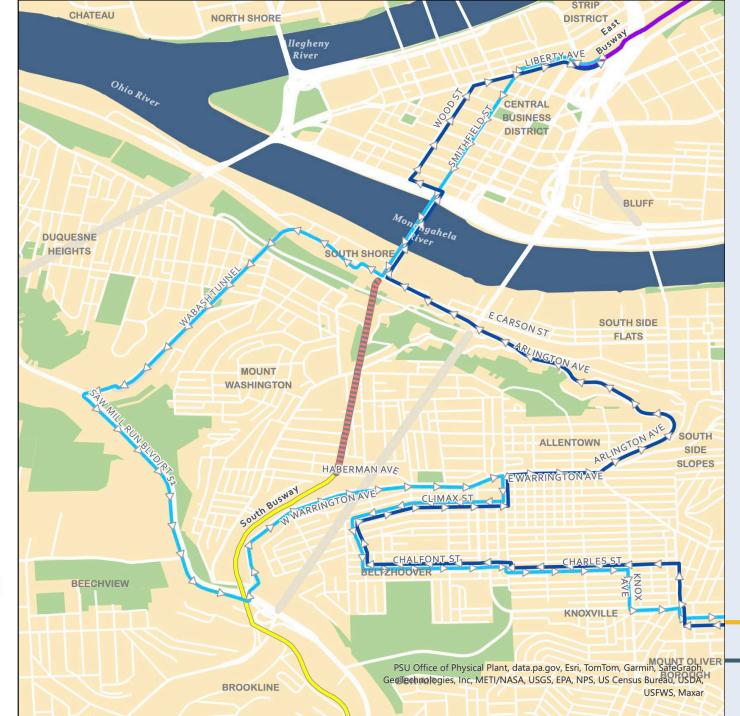




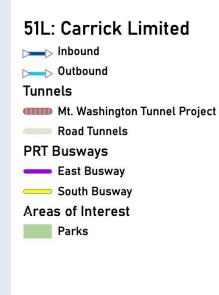




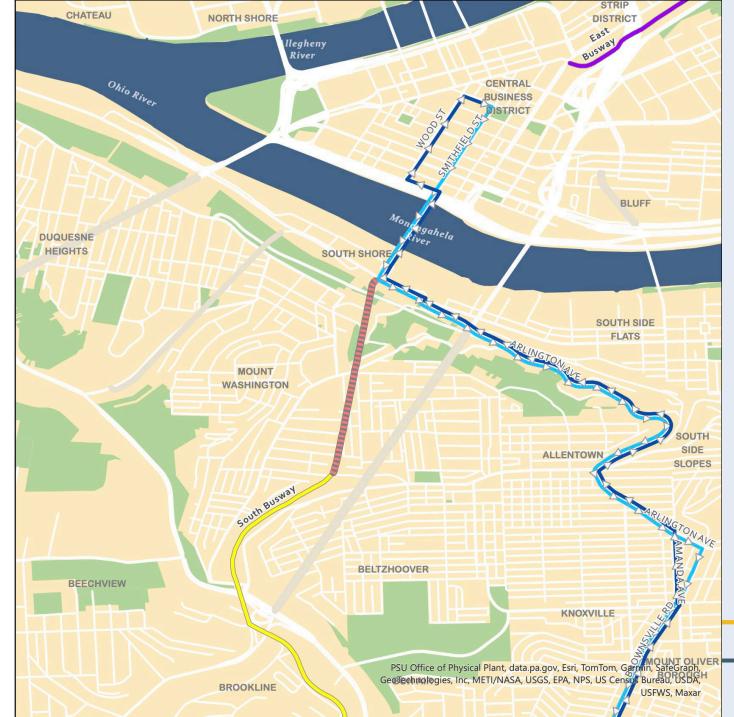




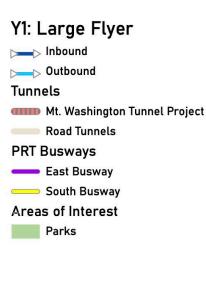
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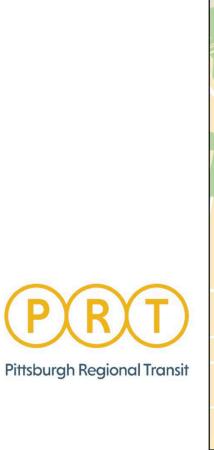


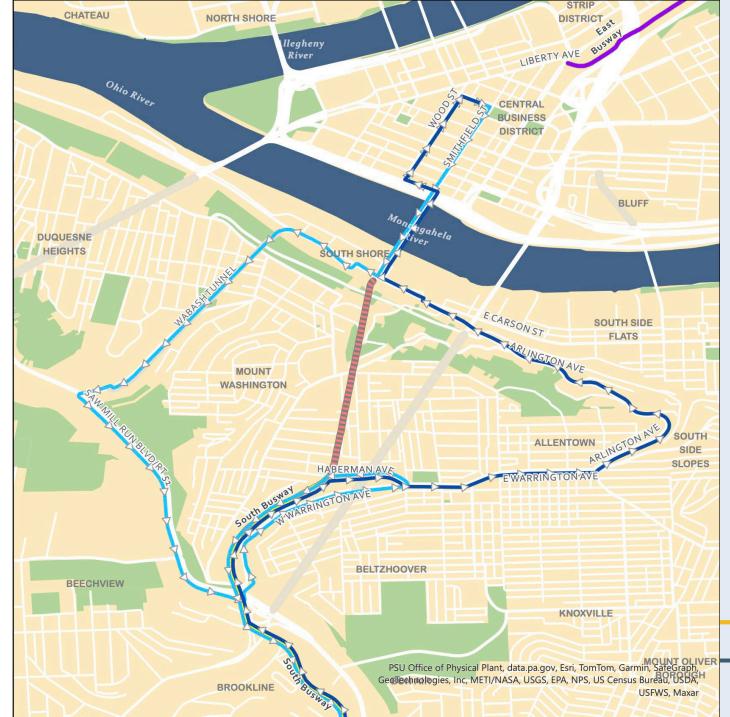




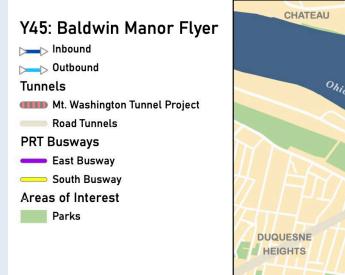




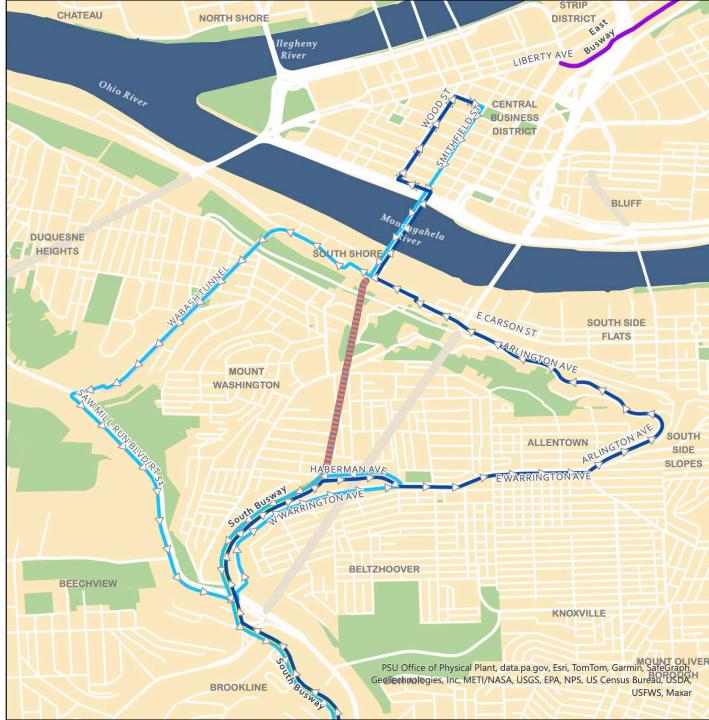








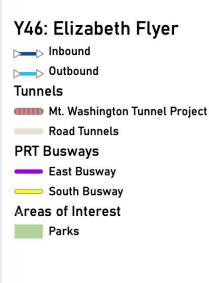
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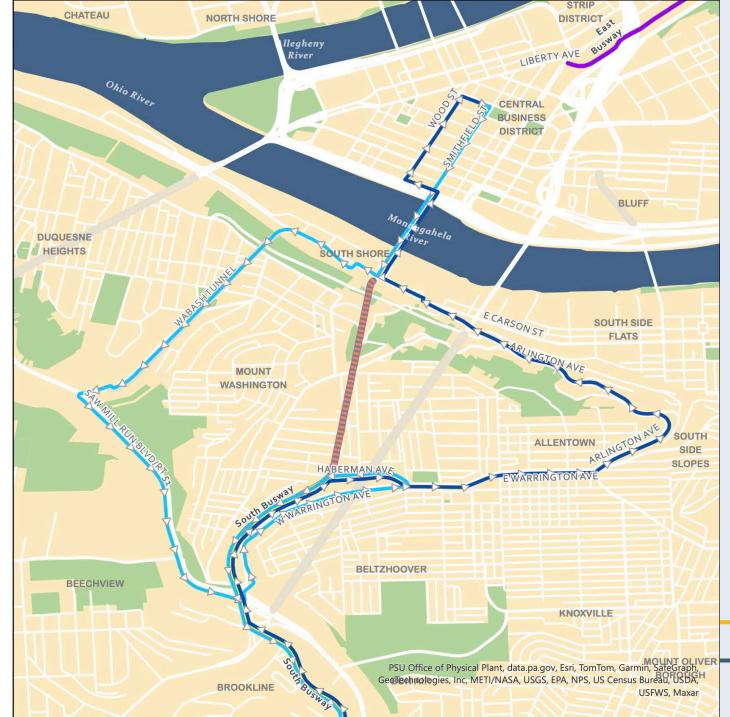
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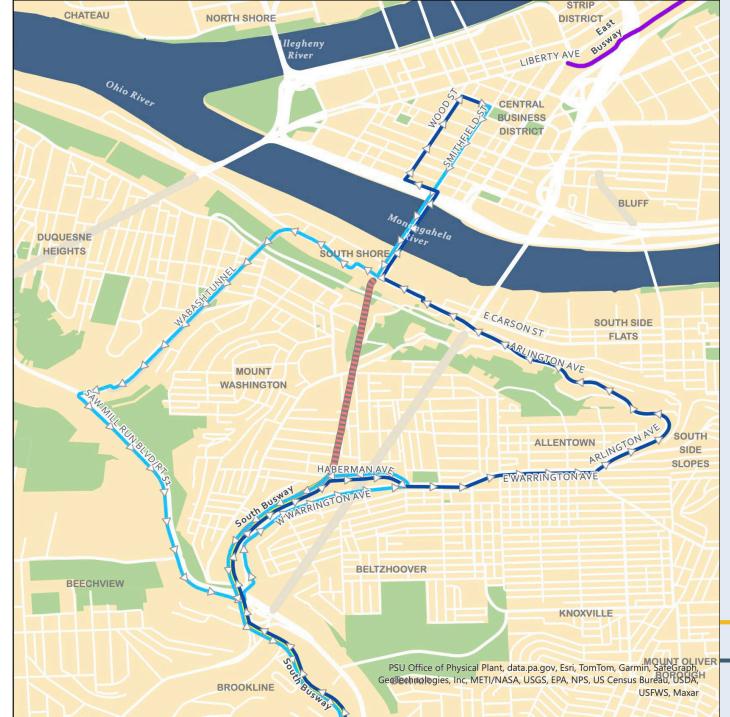




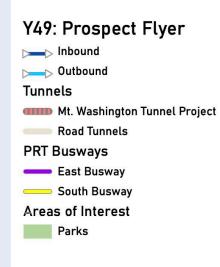




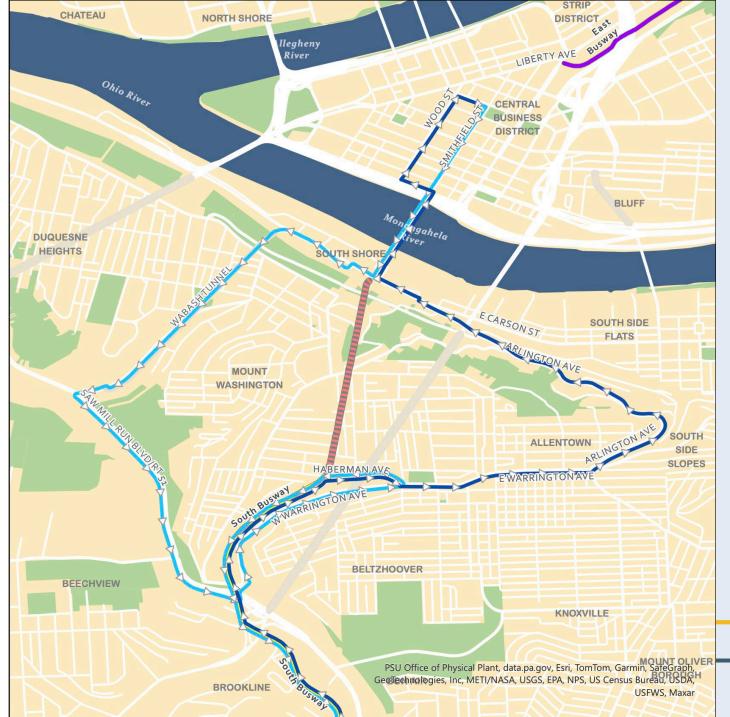




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