

# DCTA

# 2010 and Beyond

## **Capital Construction**

- A-train
- Bus Operations and Maintenance Facility
- Passenger Amenities
- Downtown Denton Transit Center

## **Bus to Rail Connectivity**

- Phased Implementation of Rail Service
- University High Capacity Transit Corridor
- Vanpools

## **Identifying Future Service Areas**

- Service Plan Update
- New Member Policy
- Future Rail Corridors

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# A-train Update: Construction Activity

- Right of Way Clearing
- Closure of Hike/Bike Trail
- Temporary Road/Lane Closures
- Grade Crossing Improvements
- Sound Wall Construction
- Drainage Improvements
- Utility Relocation
- Replacing Rail and Ties
- Station Construction



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# A-train Update: Vehicle Procurement



- Open with interim vehicle (RDCs) for 18 months
- Future vehicle – Stadler DMU
  - FRA Waiver/Compliance
  - Interior Amenities
- FRA Alternative Compliance/Crash Energy Management

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# Bus to Rail Connectivity



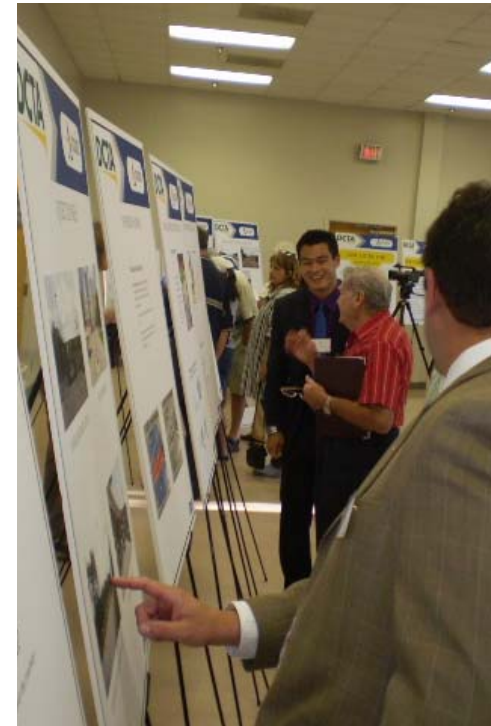
- Interim Commuter Express Service
- Recent adjustments to Connect – 26% growth
- Launched NCTC Shuttle
- Planning University High-Capacity Transit Corridor

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# Service Plan Update

- Review of Existing System
- Analysis of Mobility Needs and Future Transit Opportunities
- Development of Five-Year Service Priorities and Implementation Plan (2015)
- Development of Long-Range Planning Priorities (2035)

Completion: March 2011



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# New Member Policy

- Tiered membership structure
- Comparable, perpetual funding sources
- Capital component contingent upon project status in Service Plan
- Full membership required prior to project implementation



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