



# “Connecting People + Places”: Surrey Public Transportation Plan

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# Go Big With Rapid Transit!

## Why is Transportation Important?

Goal: Get high quality, affordable public transportation (BRT) into Surrey that connects all neighbourhoods of Surrey together and offers a connection to the skytrain.

1. Provide high quality public transportation to increase choice ridership.
  2. Partner with Translink to implement BRT or Bus Rapid Transit.
  3. Increase clear and ambitious goals, engage in research and public engagement, and report back to the public.
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# BRT: Transportation for the People

# Equity Considerations

- Poor transit was the **number 1 issue** during public consultation
- **88% of the public** agreed that transit should be as convenient as driving
- Approximately **12% of Surrey residents** do not have unhindered access to a car
- Approximately **6% of Surrey households do not have a car**
- Approximately **35% of Surrey households only have one car**
- Demographic trends suggest approximately **1/3 of the population will not have access to a car as a driver by 2031**



<https://economictimes.indiatimes.com/news/politics-and-nation/smog-hit-delhi-should-consider-car-planning-supreme-court/articleshow/72079932.cms>



# Recommendations

1. Integrate Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) into Surrey
2. Increase choice ridership through high quality public transportation
3. Strengthen Translink Partnerships to implement BRT
4. Ameliorate goals and research to enable clear and ambitious goals to be set



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