

# Track Improvement Project

**FALL 2024** 

#### Meeting Agenda

- Welcome / Official Call to Order
- Meeting Format
- Presentation
- Public Comments / Q&A
- Meeting Conclusion



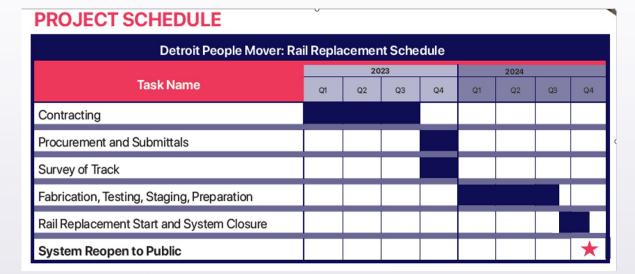
### **DPM Track Improvement Project**

- Part of routine, rail system preventive maintenance
- Nine curve areas will be replaced for the first time
- Full closure is most effective and efficient for required work



## Track Improvement Project (TIP)

- Final day of service operation will be Labor Day, Monday, September 2, 2024
- Construction will begin on Tuesday, September 3, 2024
- Project is scheduled approximately through November 22
- Third rail replacement in the People Mover's 37-year history



### DPM Track Improvement Project



- Rails cut and removed by crane
- New rail lifted into place and positioned
- Sections welded into place
- Measurement and testing of each new section

### DPM Track Improvement Project

- Extends the life of the system's infrastructure an additional 15-30 years
- Produces a smoother and quieter ride
- Additional maintenance and improvements include station, platform and track work across other parts of the system



### People & Mission

- People are key to moving people
- Partners, staff, riders, residents... everyone
- DPM will be a significant part of a great experience in Detroit, every day
- Elevating our brand and image helps connect

#### MISSION STATEMENT

The Detroit People Mover is downtown's automated transit system which provides accessible public transportation, plays a significant role in the attraction of conventions and tourism, and serves as an iconic, elevated steel ribbon tying together businesses, entertainment and the community while creating an experience that is safe, reliable and memorable.

















## Public Engagement

- DPM to host "R x R," a series of scheduled community activations beginning in September
- Stations will open temporarily for activities at street level
- Community check-ins and presentation of updates
- Schedule available on <u>www.thepeoplemover.com</u> and look for dates on our social media

# DPM Refresh x Restart at the Stations

Lions Tailgates
TRAINing Tuesdays
Taste of DPM
District 6 Coffee Hour
Painting at the Stations
DPM Ice Cream Social
...And More To Come!



#### The Future

- Vehicles, parts and equipment from Toronto will boost system capabilities
- Fleet replacement in 18 months
- Initiatives drive continued growth
  - Parking/Events
  - Culture/Arts
  - Education/Careers
  - Small Business
  - Joint Development
- Mid- and long-term planning
- Downtown partner community







#### **Public Comments Welcome!**

- The community has other opportunities to submit comments through August 31
- DTC is accepting comments:

By Mail: DTC, 500 Griswold, Suite 2900, Detroit, MI 48226

#### Online:

www.thepeoplemover.com/track-improvement-project/

#### **Public Hearings**

Tuesday 7/30
10:30a-12:00p
Virtual (AM)
Zoom Meeting
4:30 – 6:00p
In-person (PM)
Huntington Place
Room 313

## **Project Updates**

www.thepeoplemover.com/track-improvement-project/

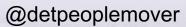
- 1. Construction Progress
- 2. Listing of Comments and Response to Questions
- 3. Station Events and Activities
- 4. Key Dates















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**Public Comments Welcomed**