

February 11, 2025

West Denver Connector

LUTI Update



Agenda

1) Denver Connector Goals

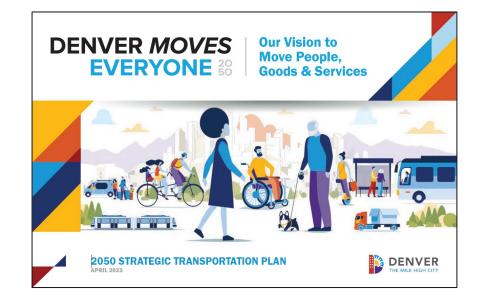
2) West Denver Service Area Utilization

3) Community Engagement, Marketing & Partnerships



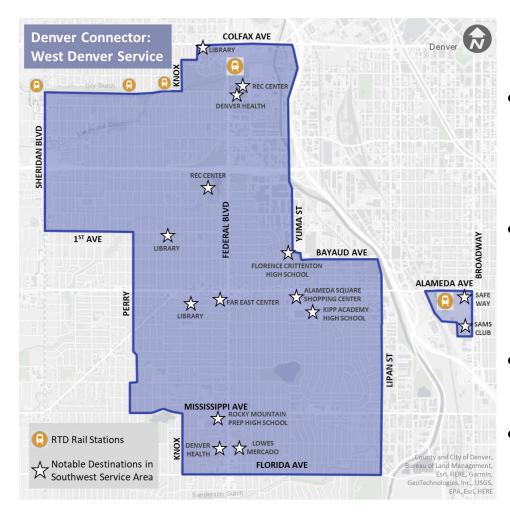
Denver Moves Everyone Goals

- Expand Affordable Travel for All Denverites
- Prioritize mode-shift via Walking, Biking, Shared Bikes / Scooters, and Transit
- Provide Comfortable, Safe, & Secure Travel for All
- Improve Air Quality by Reducing Transportation-Related Emissions





Recap of Work Done To Date



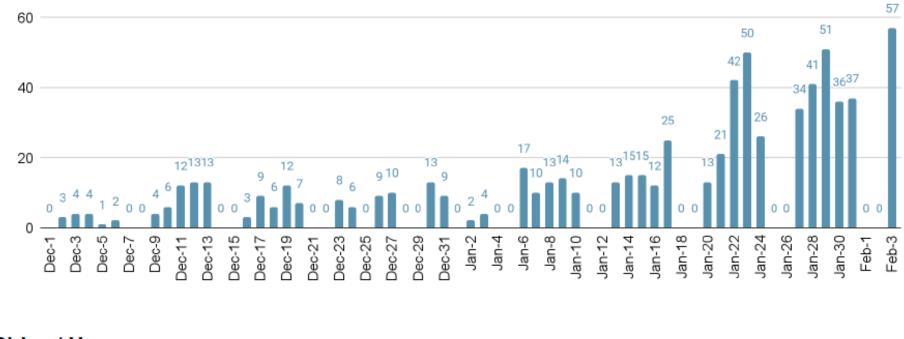
- Spring to Fall 2024 Convened Stakeholders to Learn Community Priorities and Preferences
- Oct 2024 New Contract for Denver Connector

Operations

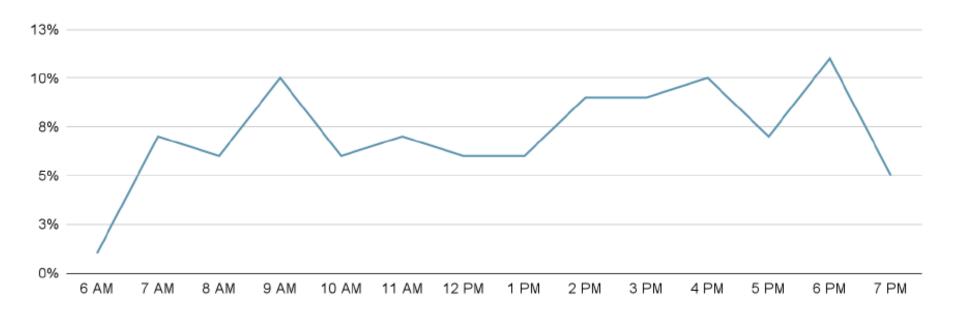
- Nov 2024 Soft Launch Last Week of Nov
- Dec 2024 Full Official Launch



Passengers



Rides / Hour

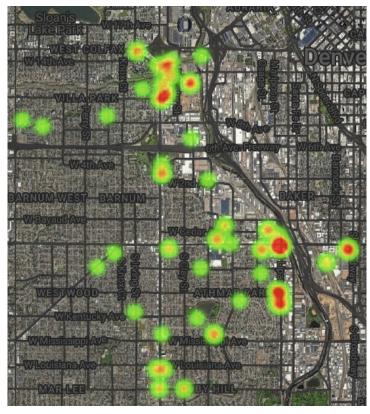


How Many People **Are We** Serving and at What **Times of Day?**

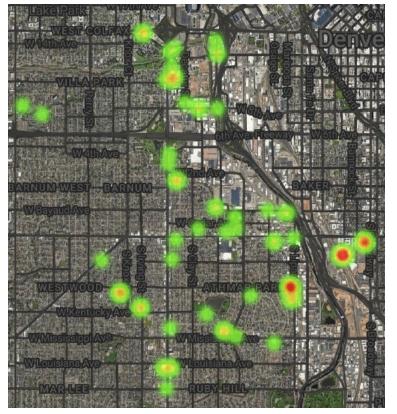


Where are People Using the Connector?

Pickups



Dropoffs



- Denver Human Services
- Alameda Station
- Federal/Decatur Station
- Safeway
- Warren Village Housing

- Ruby Hill Residences
- Lowes Mercado Grocery



How People

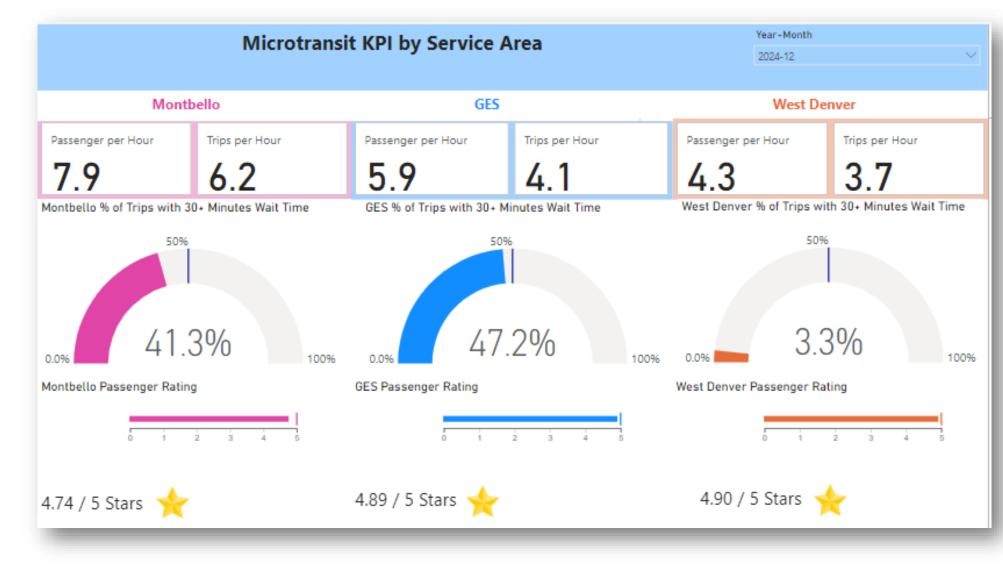
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West Denver Connector, In Their Own Words

heard about the ride program through his family
word of mouth
word of mouth
word of mouth
learned about program through school
found out about program from a sign in the park
heard of the program while working in Montbello
community worker
saw program signage on Federal blvd
rider learned about program through her doctor office
rider saw signed that was placed in nearby park
found out from Denver. health
word of mouth, through internet
heard from his aunt.
mom told him through community service
Familiar with connector from Montbello. Recently moved to west side
Referred by Denver human services 2929 w 10th
Learned about connector from family who lives in Montbello
Learned about connector from mom
Referred by friend
Saw connector van on the road
Referred by family member who works for City of Denver
Referred by school counselor
Referred by Athmar Park neighborhood association



- Monitoring -
- **How do People**
- **Experience the**
- Denver
- **Connector?**







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Marketing & Engagement Materials

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Free Neighborhood Ride Share Service



Servicio Gratuito de Transporte Compartido en el Vecindario

Search "Denver Connector" in your app store or call

Busca "Denver Connector" en su tienda de aplicaciones o llame

720-905-4438



COLLECTOR

Free, on-demand rides <u>Chuyến xe đò miễn phí theo yêu cầu</u>

Service Hours Giờ Dich Vu Giờ Dich Vu Giờ Nhật

Service Area Khu Vưc Dich Vu Portions of Villa Park, Sun Valley, Westwood, <u>Athmar</u> Park, Ruby Hill, and Valverde <u>Tùy vùng</u> ở Villa Park, Sun Valley, Westwood, <u>Athmar</u> Park, Ruby Hill, <u>và</u> Valverde

How to Ride Cách Yêu Cầu <u>Dich Vu</u>

Request rides using the Denver Connector app or call (720)905-4438 <u>Yêu cầu dich vu</u> qua ứng dung Denver Connector <u>hoặc goi</u> (720)905-4438



Download the app <u>Quét mã</u> QR để tải ứng dung





Marketing & Engagement Materials





Free, on-demand rides Viajes gratuitos y en demanda



Service Hours Horario de Verano

6am - 8pm, Monday - Friday, closed Saturdays and Sundays 6am - 8pm, Lunes - Viernes, cerrado sábados y domingos

Service Area Zona de Servicio

Portions of Villa Park, Sun Valley, Westwood, Athmar Park, Ruby Hill and Porciones de Villa Park, Sun Valley, Westwood, Athmar Park, Ruby Hill y \



Cancel Ride Connector Travis is heading your way

Request rides using the Denver Connector app or call (720) 905-4438 Solicite viajes usando la aplicación Denver Connector o llame al (720)







Local Media

Denver set to expand popular microtransit service to southwest neighborhoods

Beep beep! A free ride service is expanding to new parts of the city.



Denver free rideshare program expanded to more neighborhoods

The expansion took effect this month for some neighborhoods on the west side of the city.





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Sun Valley Outreach Partnerships

Spreading the word through 1,000 welcome packets in partnership with West Corridor TMA & DHA





Community Engagement

November 2024 – Valverde YEC

<u>December 2024</u> – Athmar RNO. In-Person Touchpoints with more than 25 Locations such as

Libraries, Rec Centers, Health Facilities and Grocery

<u>February 2025</u> – Westwood Community Center, Sun Valley Kitchen

<u>Ongoing 2025</u> – More events to come!

DOTI will continue working with Community Partners to spread the word about the Connector in West Denver





