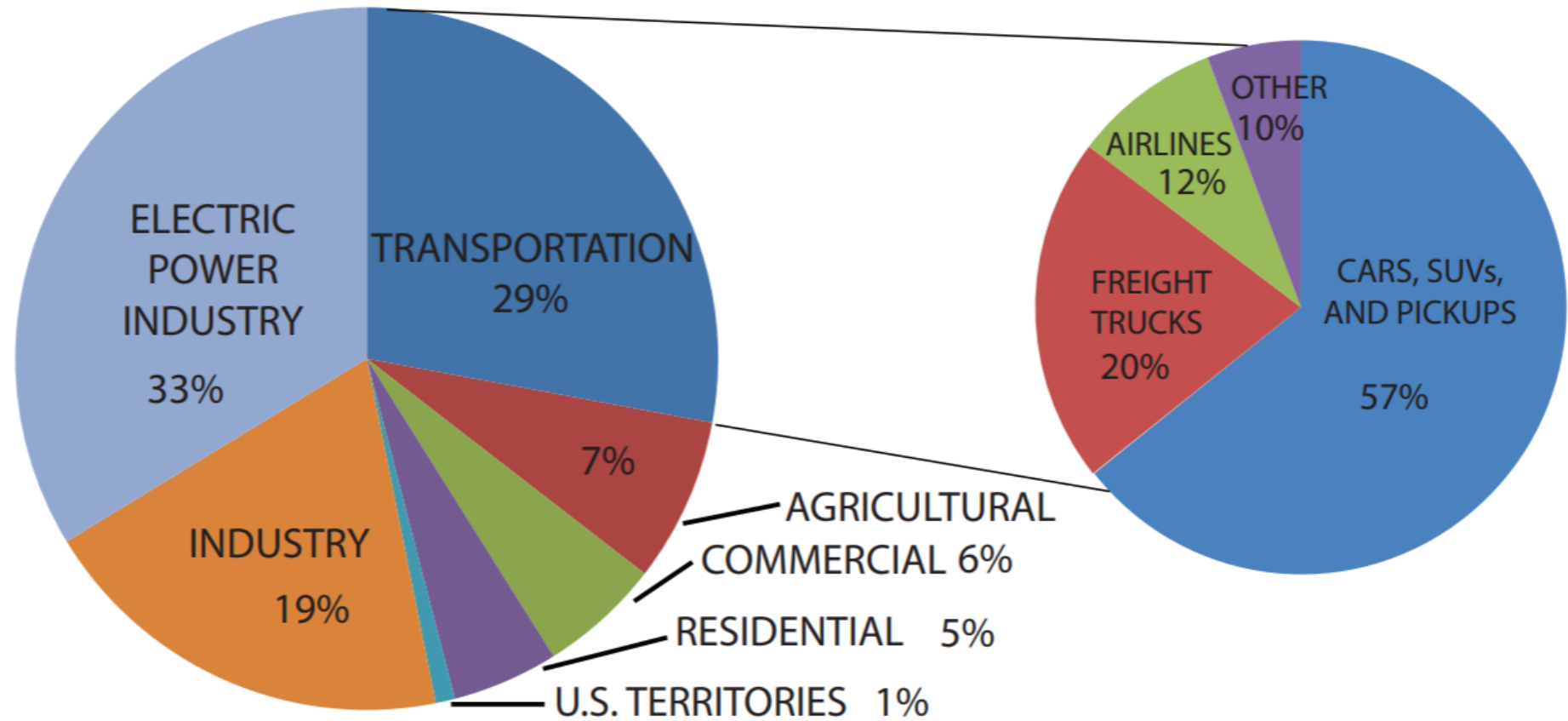


# **Transit and Sustainability**

# FIGURE 1

## Transportation Accounts For 29% of U.S. Greenhouse Gas Emissions.

Source:  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, *Inventory of Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Sinks: 1990-2007*, April 2009.



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<p><b>SCENARIO 3</b> <b>100% Renewable Energy and Zero Net Carbon by 2030</b></p>	<p><b>All Scenario 1 &amp; 2 Measures</b></p> <p><b>Efficiency (Demand)</b> HVAC Retrofits Plug Load Management Strategies Building Envelope Improvements</p> <p><b>Renewable Generation (Supply)</b> Behind-the-Meter Solar (Phase 2)</p> <div data-bbox="639 801 1368 1096"><p><b>Transportation</b> 100% Electric Buses Mid-Duty EV Procurement Heavy Duty CNG Procurement</p></div> <p><b>Policy</b> RECs and Carbon Offsets</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 55% carbon reduction with 25% self-generated renewable energy</li><li>• 45% RECs and carbon offsets</li><li>• \$95M investment over 13 years; IRR 17%</li><li>• Cost savings to city of \$78M by 2030</li><li>• Reduce total carbon emissions by 426,000 tons by 2030</li><li>• Societal co-benefits range from \$21M - \$162M by 2030</li></ul>
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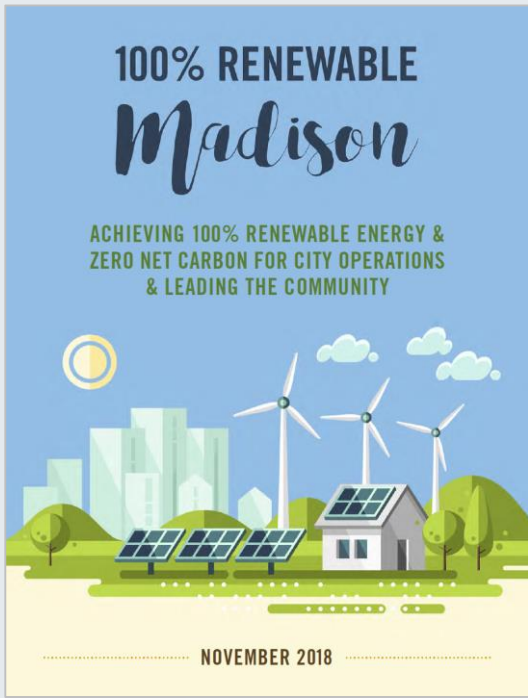
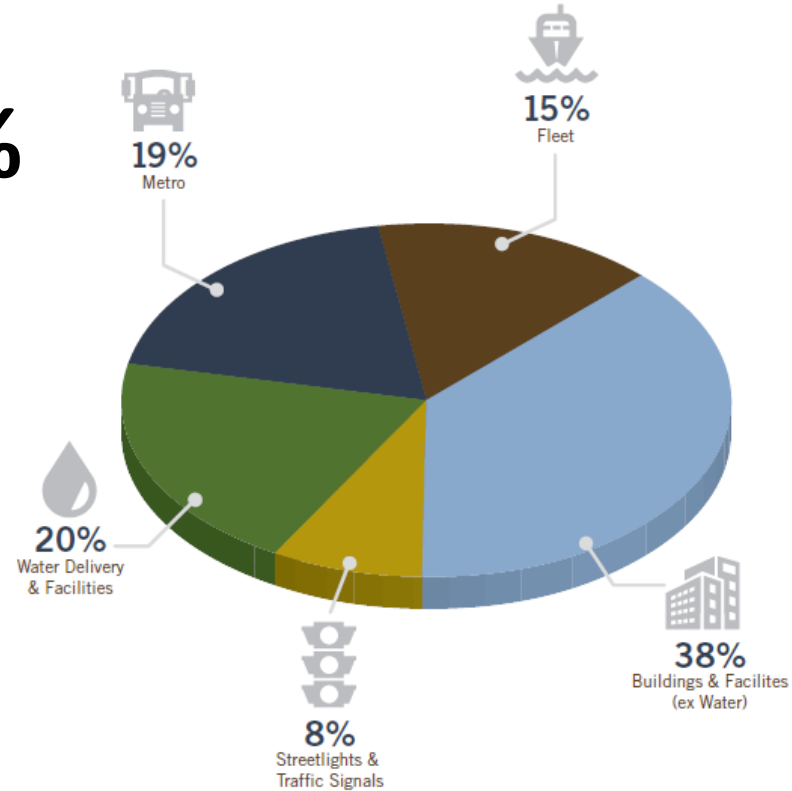


FIGURE A-2. BASELINE CARBON EMISSIONS FOR CITY OPERATIONS BY CATEGORY\*

Metro 19%



*\*\*Excludes landfill, city employee commute, and City-owned housing emissions. Source: HGA based on ICLEI*

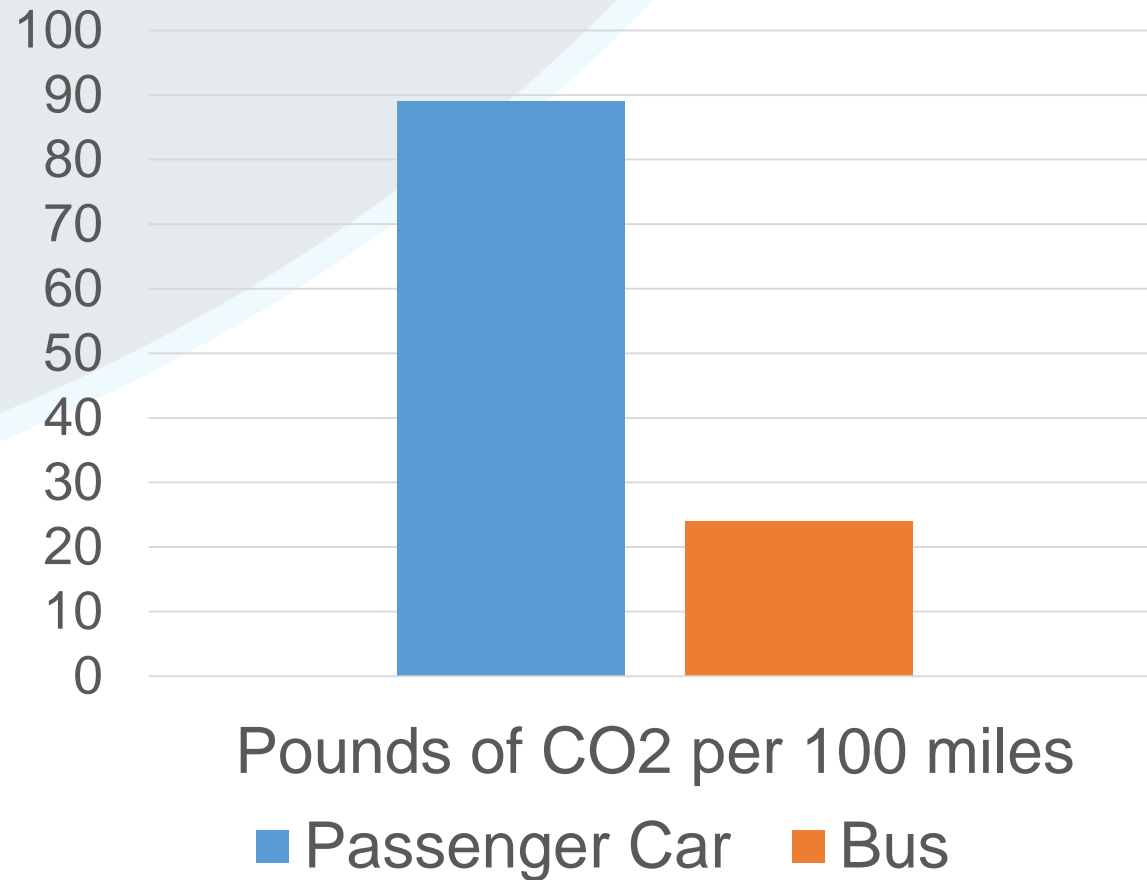
Figure A-3 illustrates baseline carbon emissions for municipal operations by fuel type in 2018, the baseline year for the report, including electricity (57%), diesel (29%), natural gas (9%) and gasoline (5%).

**FIGURE 2-14. FUEL MIX SCENARIO 3:  
100% RENEWABLE ENERGY AND ZERO NET CARBON BY 2030**

	Unit	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
CO <sub>2</sub> Emissions (Baseline)	ton	81,141	81,699	82,261	82,829	83,402	83,981	84,565	85,155	85,750	86,351	86,957	87,570	88,188
CO <sub>2</sub> Reduction (Demand)	ton	1,416	5,640	9,796	13,882	17,900	21,849	22,644	23,531	24,508	25,577	26,736	27,986	29,328
	%	2%	7%	12%	17%	21%	26%	27%	28%	29%	30%	31%	32%	33%
CO <sub>2</sub> Reduction (Supply)	ton	5,597	7,478	9,136	10,582	11,824	12,871	14,073	15,181	16,191	17,099	17,902	18,594	19,171
	%	7%	9%	11%	13%	14%	15%	17%	18%	19%	20%	21%	21%	22%
CO <sub>2</sub> Remaining	ton	74,128	68,581	63,329	58,365	53,679	49,261	47,848	46,443	45,051	43,675	42,319	40,989	39,689
	%	91%	84%	77%	70%	64%	59%	57%	55%	53%	51%	49%	47%	45%
RECs Electricity	ton	39,337	36,869	34,698	32,813	31,206	29,866	30,513	31,166	31,831	32,513	33,214	33,939	34,694
	%	48%	45%	42%	40%	37%	36%	36%	37%	37%	38%	38%	39%	39%
RECs Natural Gas	ton	6,774	6,310	5,847	5,384	4,922	4,461	4,533	4,607	4,681	4,756	4,832	4,908	4,985
	%	8%	8%	7%	7%	6%	5%	5%	5%	5%	6%	6%	6%	6%
RECs Gasoline	ton	5,145	4,675	4,204	3,734	3,263	2,792	2,395	1,997	1,600	1,202	804	407	0
	%	6%	6%	5%	5%	4%	3%	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	0%	0%
RECs Diesel	ton	22,872	20,726	18,580	16,434	14,288	12,142	10,407	8,673	6,939	5,204	3,470	1,735	0
	%	28%	25%	23%	20%	17%	14%	12%	10%	8%	6%	4%	2%	0%

Source: Navigant

# Metro reducing emissions from the private sector



10,000 new riders per  
workday reduces CO2  
emissions by 6,000 tons/year

40 pass/bus, 3 mile average trip, weekdays only

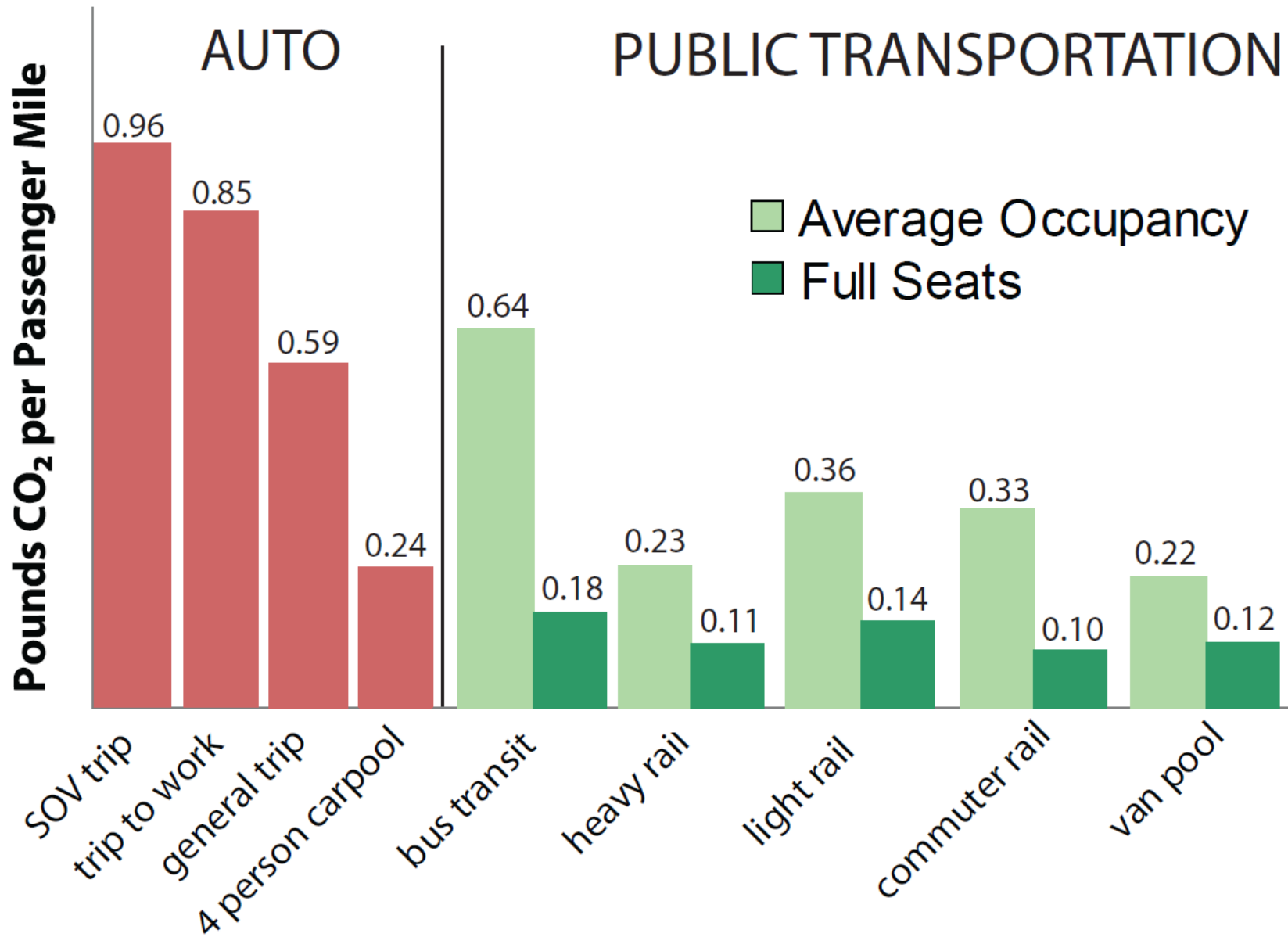
This reduction would  
represent 1/3 of Metro's  
emissions

Source: CGGC, based on mpg figures from (Barnitt, 2008) and CO<sub>2</sub> per gallon of fuel from (EPA, 2009).

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**FIGURE 3**  
**Estimated CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions per Passenger Mile for Average and Full Occupancy**

Sources:  
See Appendix II for data sources and methodology.

Notes: The average number of passengers for private auto trips is 1.14 for work trips and 1.63 for general trips.

## Average U.S. Single Occupany Vehicle: **0.964 pounds CO<sub>2</sub>/passenger mile**

### Heavy Rail Systems

State	Heavy Rail Common Name	Pounds CO <sub>2</sub> / passenger mile	% of total heavy rail passenger miles traveled in the U.S.	KWH/ seat mile (Efficiency of Vehicle)	Average % of seats full (Ridership)	Pounds CO <sub>2</sub> /MWH for eGRID subregion (carbon content)
NY	New York City Subway	<b>0.147</b>	59.3%	0.107	59%	815
DC	Washington Metro	<b>0.347</b>	9.7%	0.101	33%	1,139
CA	San Francisco BART	<b>0.085</b>	8.6%	0.069	32%	399*
IL	Chicago "L"	<b>0.573</b>	7.0%	0.133	36%	1,538
GA	Atlanta MARTA	<b>0.245</b>	3.5%	0.064	39%	1,490
MA	Boston "T"	<b>0.336</b>	3.3%	0.167	46%	928
PA	Philadelphia SEPTA	<b>0.374</b>	2.5%	0.151	46%	1,139
NJ	New Jersey PATH	<b>0.302</b>	2.1%	0.249	94%	1,139
CA	Los Angeles Metro	<b>0.282</b>	1.3%	0.248	64%	724
FL	Miami-Dade Transit	<b>0.656</b>	0.8%	0.137	28%	1,319
NJ	New Jersey PATCO	<b>0.519</b>	0.6%	0.128	28%	1,139
MD	Baltimore Metro	<b>0.919</b>	0.4%	0.137	17%	1,139
OH	Cleveland Rapid	<b>0.805</b>	0.3%	0.168	32%	1,538
NY	Staten Island Railway	<b>0.346</b>	0.3%	0.110	26%	815
National Average Weighted by Passenger Miles		<b>0.224</b>	<b>99.7%</b>	<b>0.109</b>	<b>47%</b>	

SOV Vehicle = 0.96 lbs/carbon/mile

Source: Calculated from Federal Transit Administration 2008 National Transit Database (NTD), U.S. Department of Energy carbon dioxide conversion factors, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency eGRID.



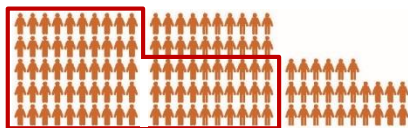
# Sustainable Infrastructure

Moving people, not just cars



Less required in  
public  
infrastructure  
investment

**126 People** move through  
this roadway during each  
light cycle. **80 in transit.**



**235 People** on a road with  
transit-only lanes move through this  
roadway during each light cycle. **204 in transit.**



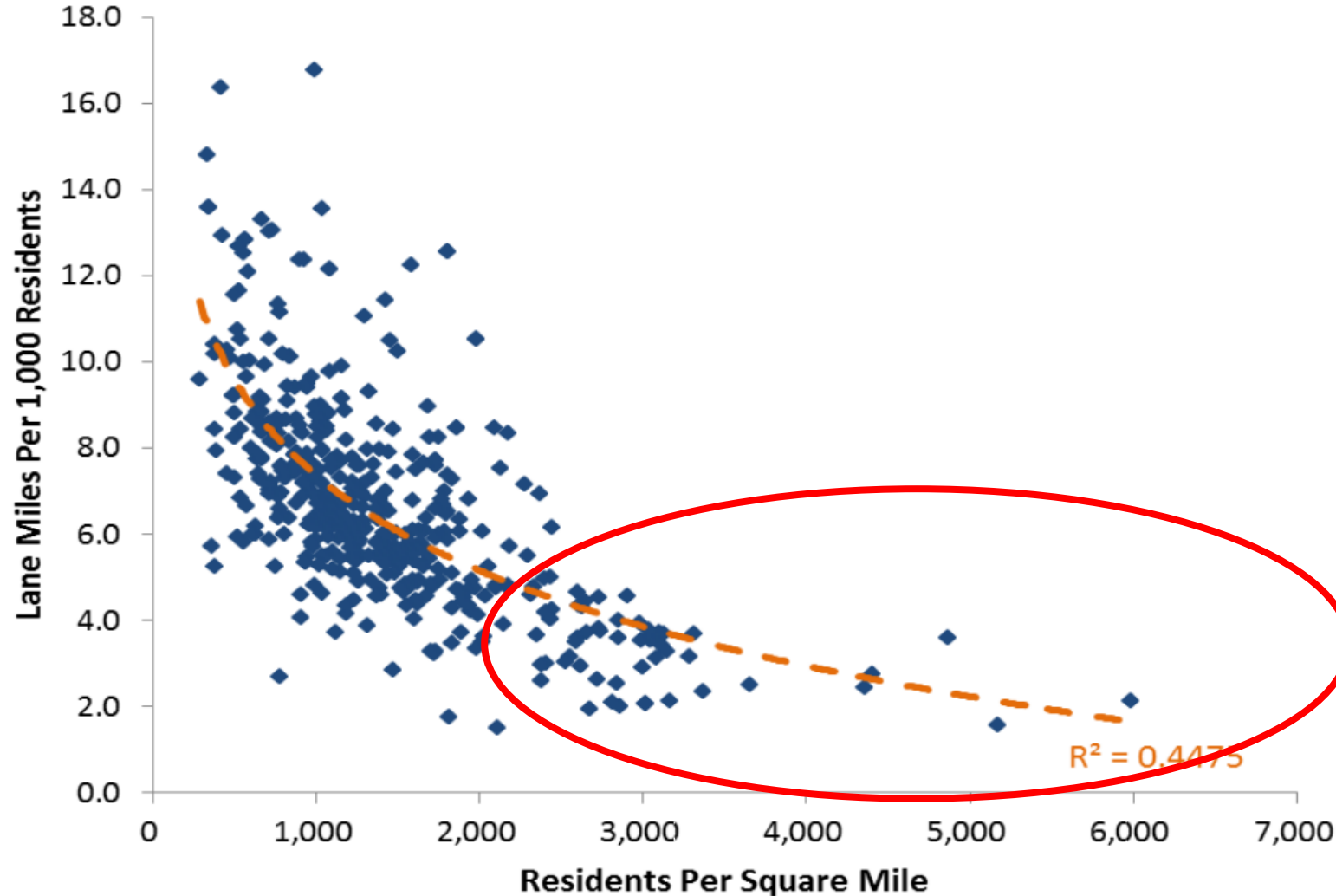
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# Sustainable Land Use

**Figure 7** Urban Density Versus Roadway Supply (FHWA 2012, Table HM72)



*Per capita roadway supply declines with density (Each dot represents a U.S. urban region.)*

**Transit helps:**

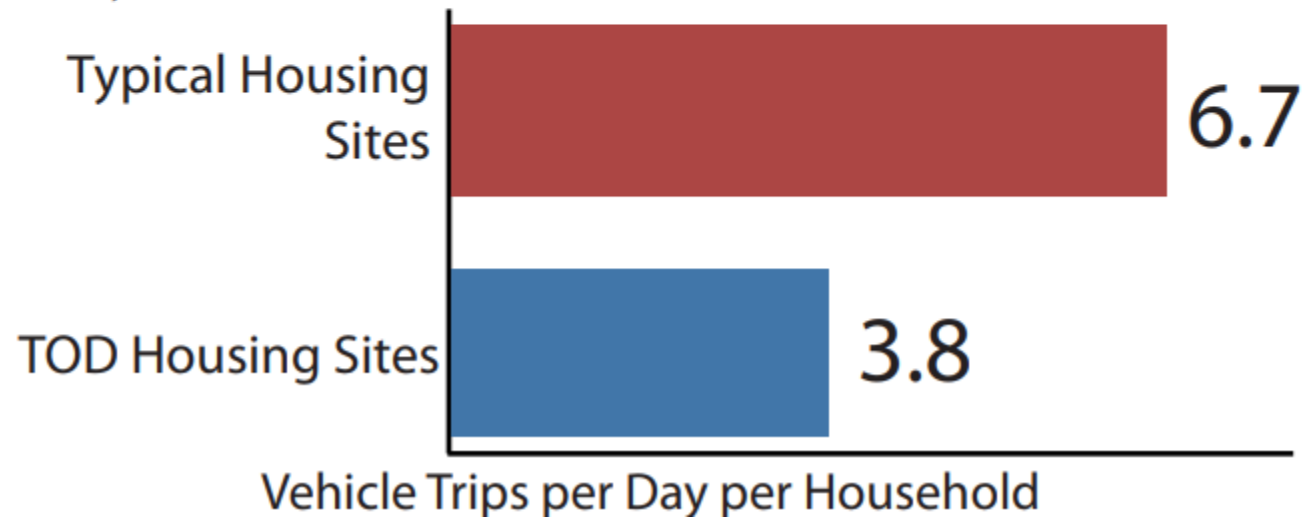
- Increase density which:
- Reduces land consumption

# Density and Trips

## FIGURE 5

### Vehicle Trips per Day of Transit Oriented Development (TOD) Housing Sites versus Typical Housing Sites

Source: *TCRP 128: Effects of TOD on Housing, Parking and Travel, 2008.*



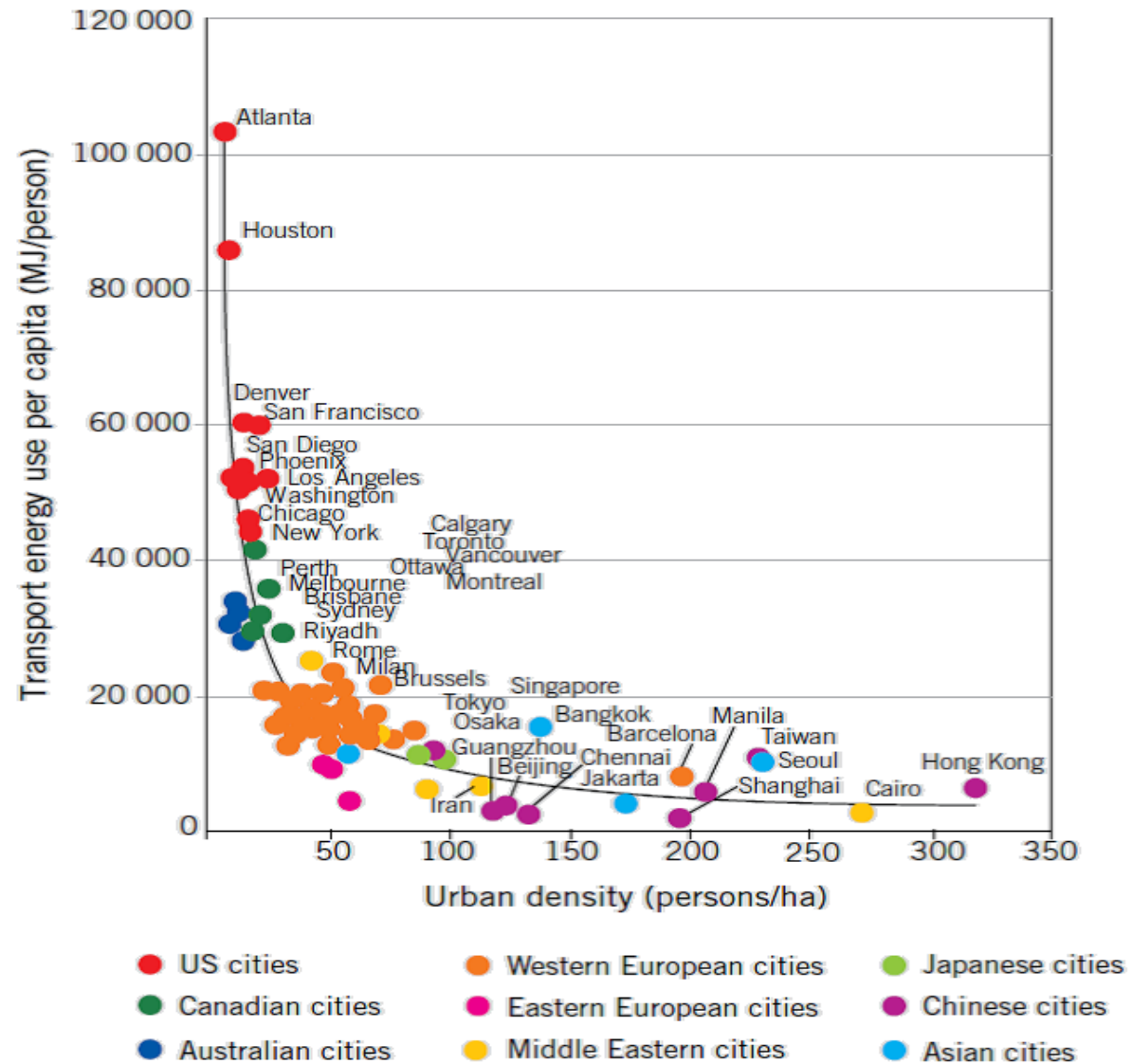
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# Density and Energy Use

Fig. 4. Urban density and transport-related energy consumption



Source: International Association of Public Transport Providers, 2005<sup>11</sup>

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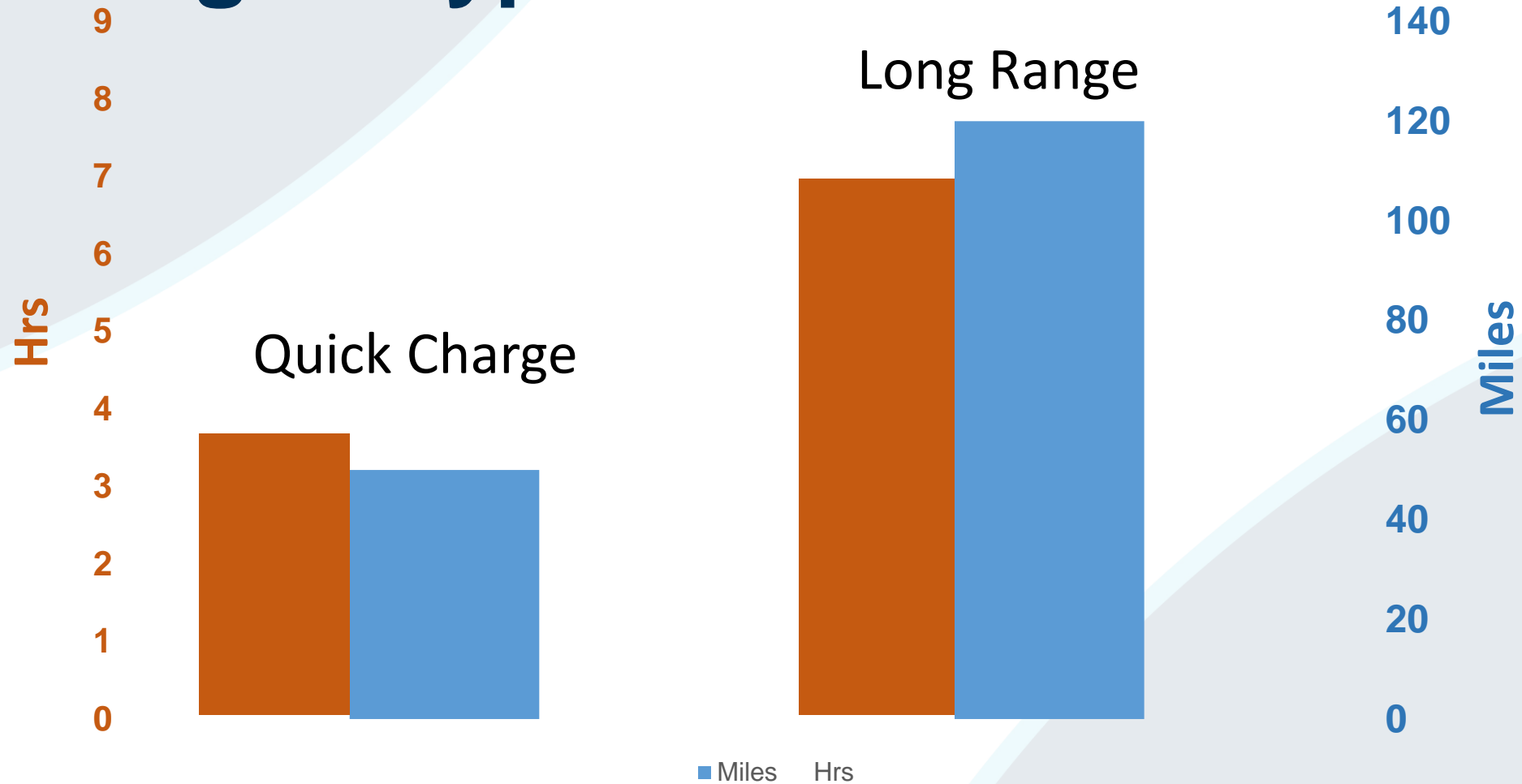
# Challenges



# Size



# Range – Types of Buses



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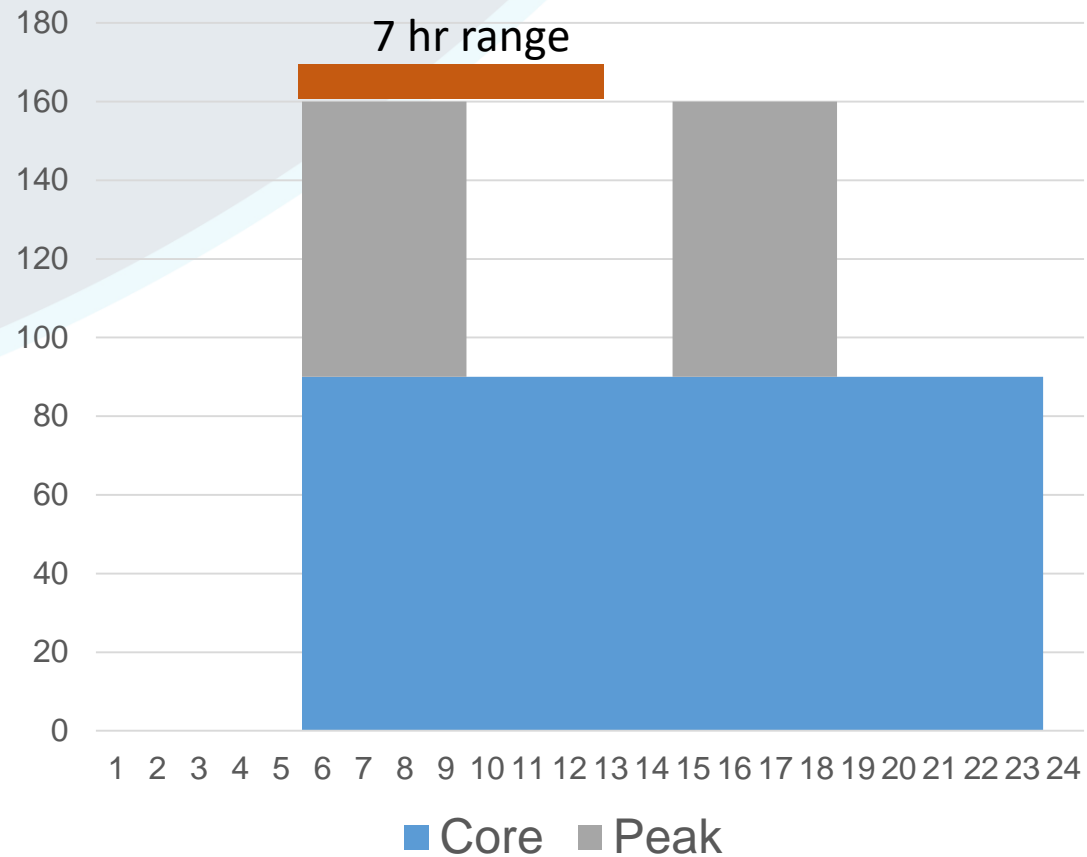


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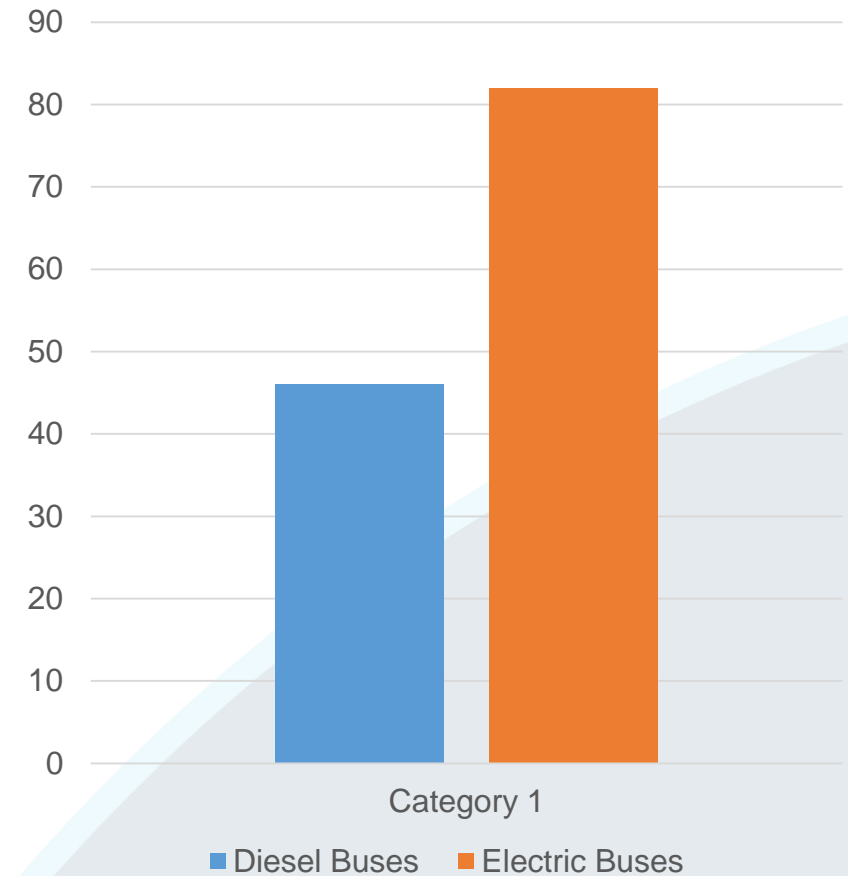


# Range

## Buses in Operation



## Moscow Routes 73, 76, 80

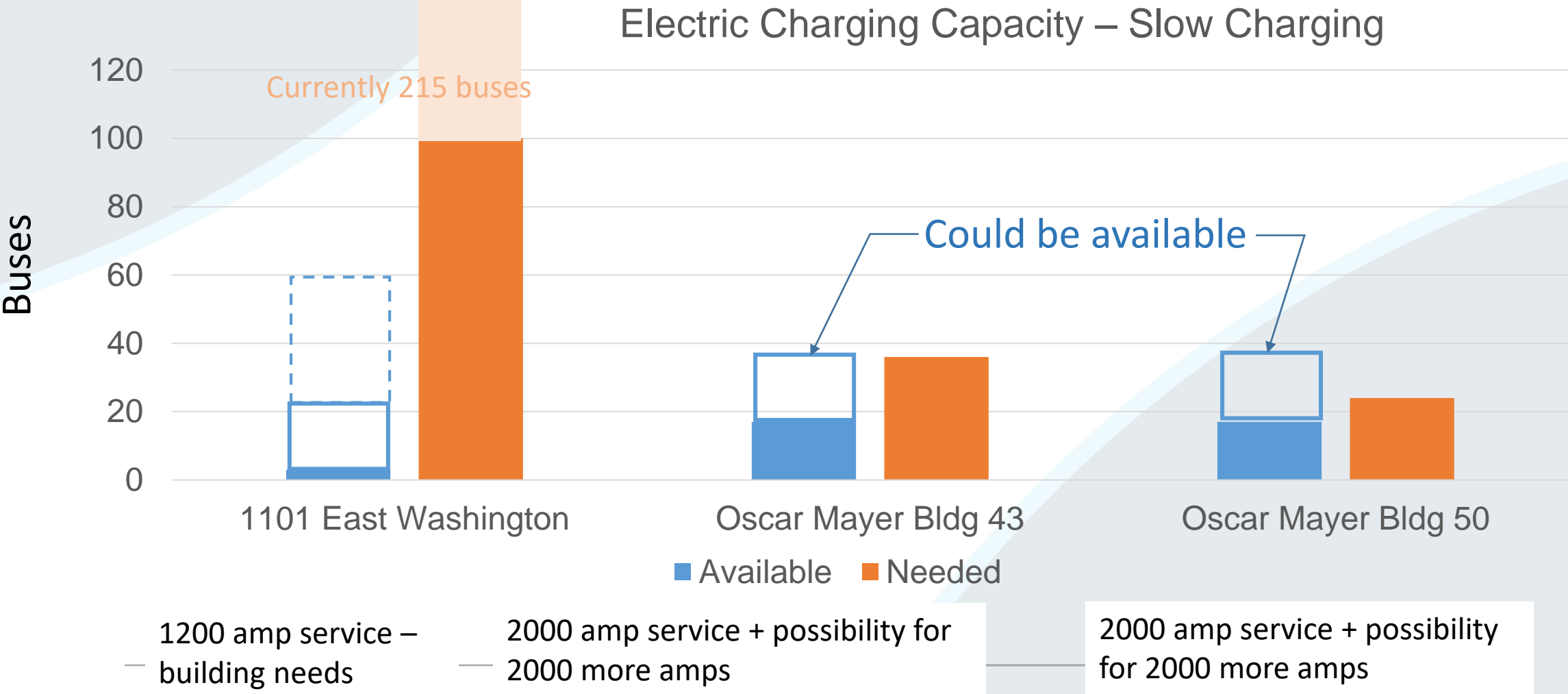


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# Charging Capacity



# Changing Charging Speed

$$\textit{Amps} \times \textit{Volts} = \textit{Watts}$$

Rapid chargers reduce the number of buses that can be charged at a time.

They hold promise on how Metro blocks routes

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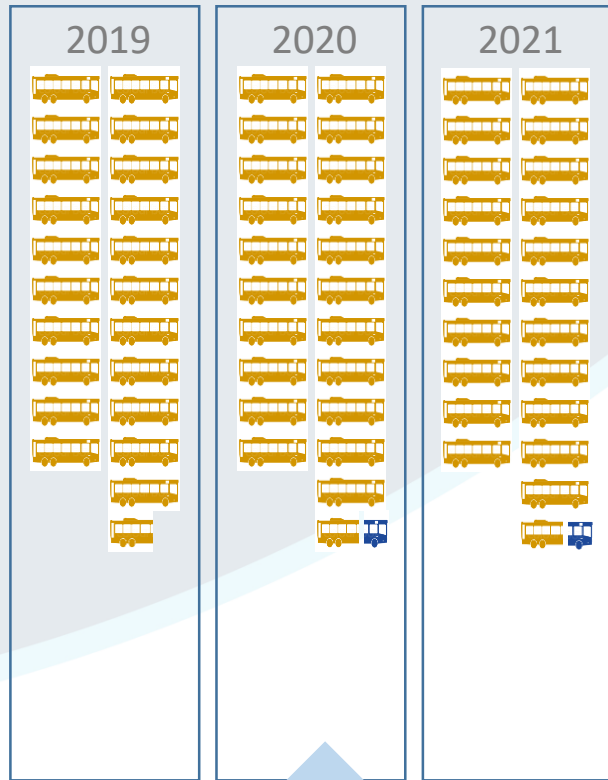


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# Replacement Cycle

# Bus Replacement Schedule



EW retrofitted  
to allow electric  
buses in  
building, with  
capacity to  
charge 3 buses

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= 10 electric buses ~\$0.7M/ea



= 10 diesel buses ~\$0.5M/ea



= 10 electric articulated buses ~\$1.2M/ea

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