

5 Fulton Rapid Project

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We're actively working to create a safer, more reliable and more comfortable experience.

»Muni Forward brings together the long list of projects underway to achieve this vision, such as new vehicles and route impovements for smoother service, like on the 5R.





EXISTING CONDITIONS

- Narrow streets – Transit collisions
- Transit reliability
 - Frequent stopping
 - Crowded buses
- Pedestrian safety







5L PILOT IMPLEMENTATION

Limited-stop service introduced October 2013

- Key outcomes of pilot
 - 9% travel time reduction
 - Ridership increased by 17% on weekdays
 - Transit collision incidents reduced by almost 40% on the segment that received the road diet.
- Legislated as permanent route March 2014

"Loving the changes to the 5-Fulton and addition of 5L. Busses are less crowded, moving faster." ~ Jason L.



ORIGINAL PROPOSAL



OUTREACH

- 2 community meetings
- 2 public hearings
- 28 neighborhood groups engaged
- 2,000 flyers distributed
- Nearly 200 surveys completed
- Project website, email alerts
- What we heard:
- Safety concerns related to traffic signals
 - Speeding vehicles
- Signals disrupt community character



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COMMUNITY MEETING FOR 5 FULTON

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JOIN US AT AN OPEN HOUSE TO LEARN ABOUT PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS TO THE 5 FULTON CORRIDOR!

Muni is working on multiple fronts to make getting around San Francisco safer, faster and more reliable for our customers. As part of this effort, we're creating a Rapid Network that will improve the frequency and reliability on lines and routes that carry 80% of customers, including the 5 Fulton. Several changes are proposed on McAllister Street between Central Avenue and Jones Street. These changes will build on those already implemented as part of the 5L Fulton Limited pilot project. Proposed changes include:

Thursday, July 17, 2014 6:00 n.m. - 7:30 n.m.

African American Art and Culture Complex 762 Fulton Street (at Webster) San Francisco, CA 94102

· Replacing all-way STOP-controlled intersections at nine intersections

· Modifying transit stop locations

· Adding pedestrian bulbs or refuge islands on Fulton at Ashbury, Clayton, and Cole Your feedback is important to refining these proposals. Staff will be on hand at the oper house to answer questions and discuss these changes. There will be no presentation.

If you are unable to attend, or would like to provide comments online, please take our online

survey at http://munifwd.info/5survey.

Learn more at www.muniforward.com

REVISED PROPOSAL



Segment Location



TODAY'S LEGISLATION

Transit reliability

- Establish one transit bulb
- Establish two traffic circles
- Consolidate stops
- Optimize stop locations

Pedestrian safety

- Establish two pedestrian bulbs
- Establish one pedestrian refuge island

"I think SFMTA has taken note of many of the comments and concerns expressed by my neighbors and I... Thank you for taking community feedback seriously and making reasonable compromises" ~ Aimee S.



TRAFFIC CIRCLE DESIGN



BENEFITS

Narrow streets

• 40% reduction in transit related crashes

Transit reliability

• Up to 20% reduction in transit travel time and improvement in transit reliability

Pedestrian safety

Improved pedestrian environment

QUESTIONS