



DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC WORKS
(DTPW)

BETTER BUS NETWORK UPDATE

Countdown to Launch - November 13

**Citizens' Independent Transportation Trust
(CITT)
October 5, 2023**

Metrobus routes

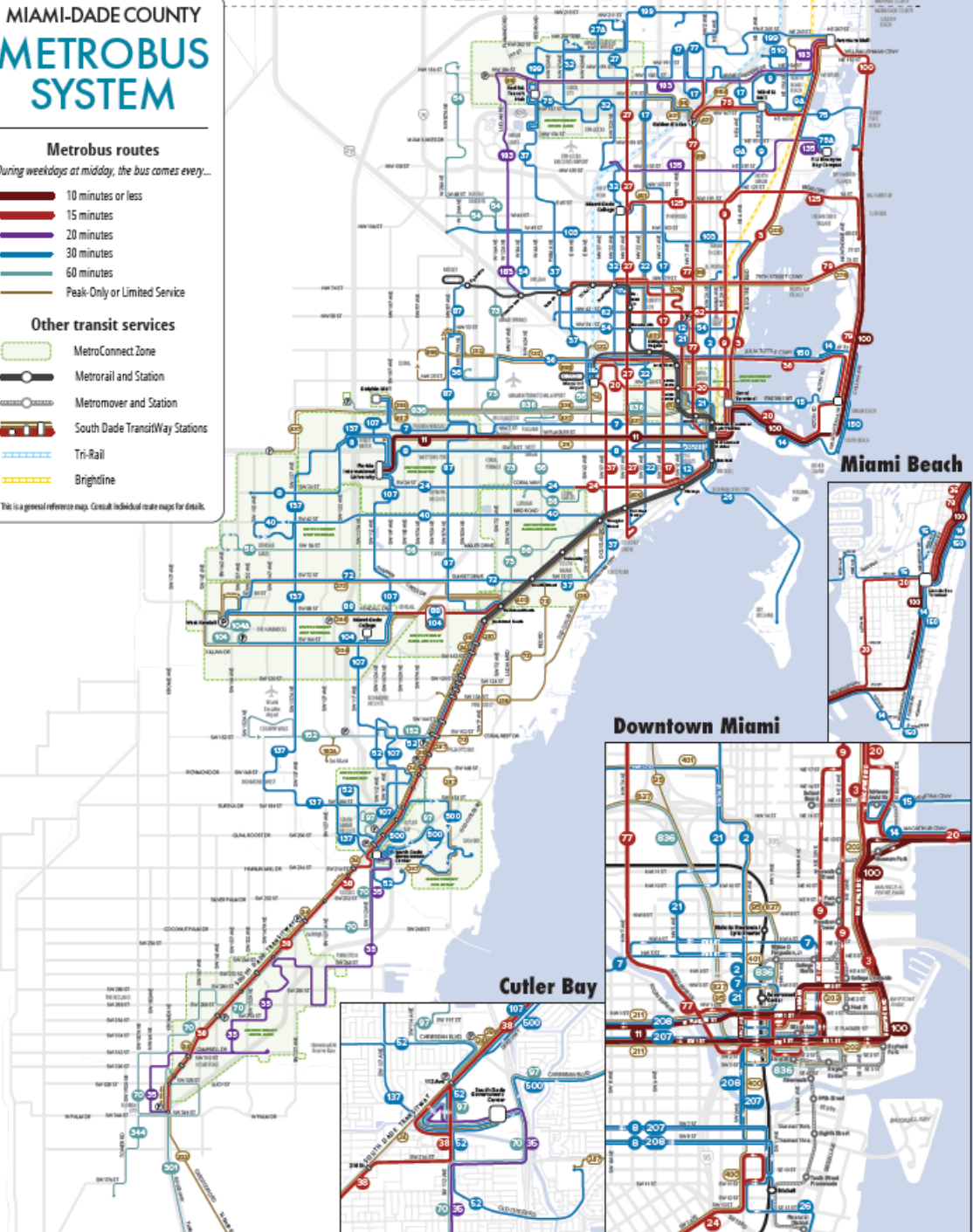
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- Tri-Rail
- Brightline

This is a general reference map. Consult individual route maps for details.



BETTER BUS NETWORK

- Community-led full network redesign started in 2019
- No major changes since start of Metrorail in 1986
- Re-imagined bus network
 - Increased access to frequent bus routes
 - Improved off-peak service
 - Faster journeys

Metrobus routes

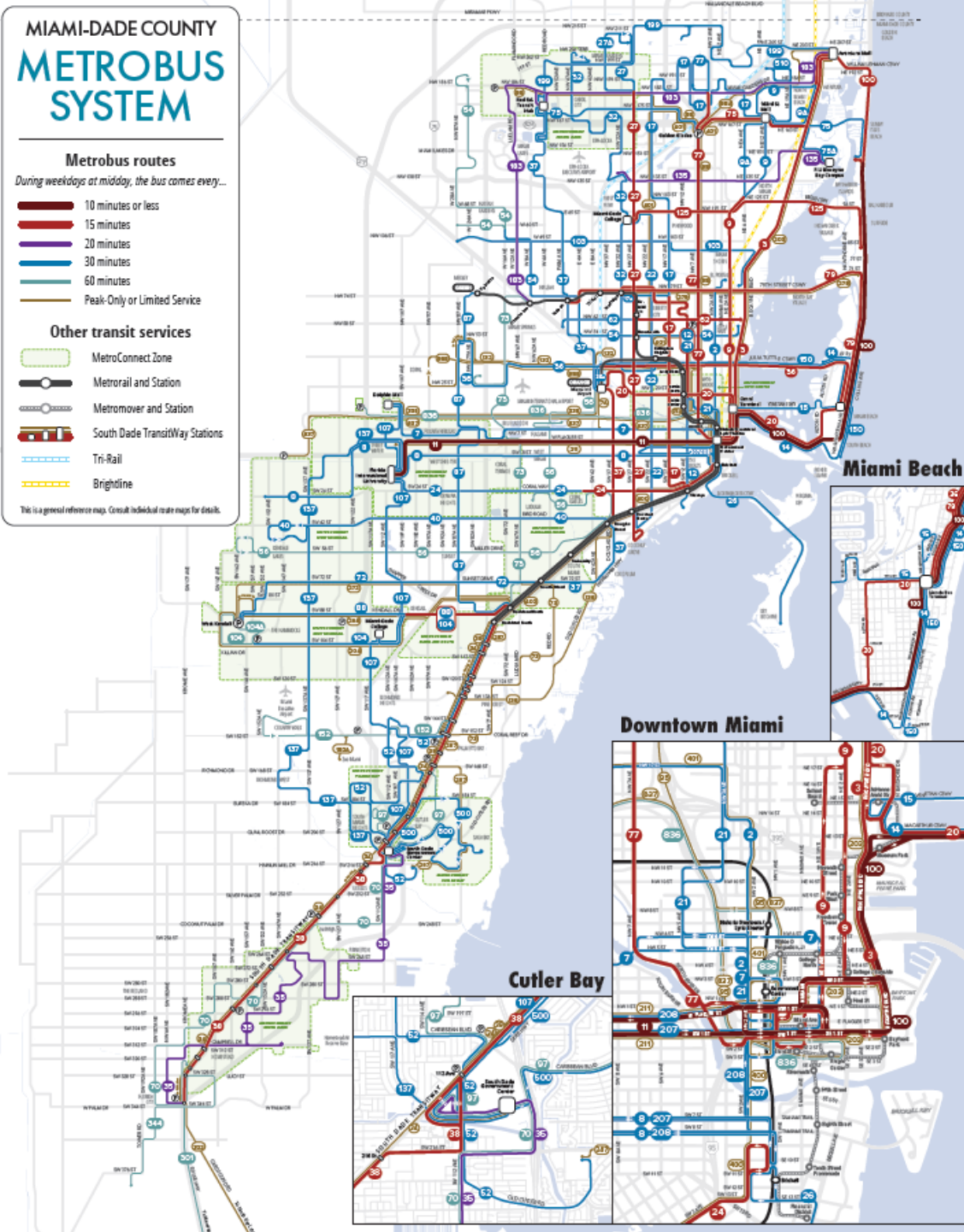
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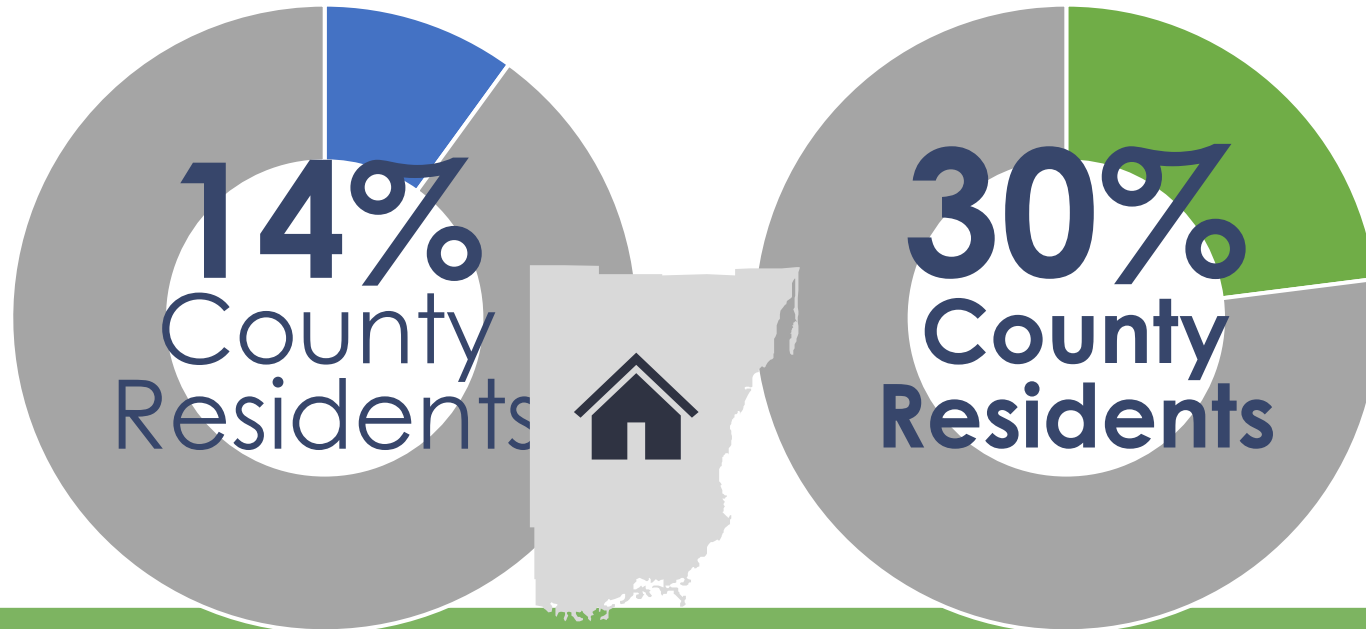


BETTER BUS NETWORK

- All-day high frequency service in dense minority and low-income areas
- Large increases on weekends
- Routes consolidated to reduce duplication, simplify, and improve service
- Bus stop consolidation to help speed up service
- Frequent service that runs later into the evening
- More accessibility to key locations throughout the County



WHO HAS ACCESS TO HIGH FREQUENT SERVICE?



Existing

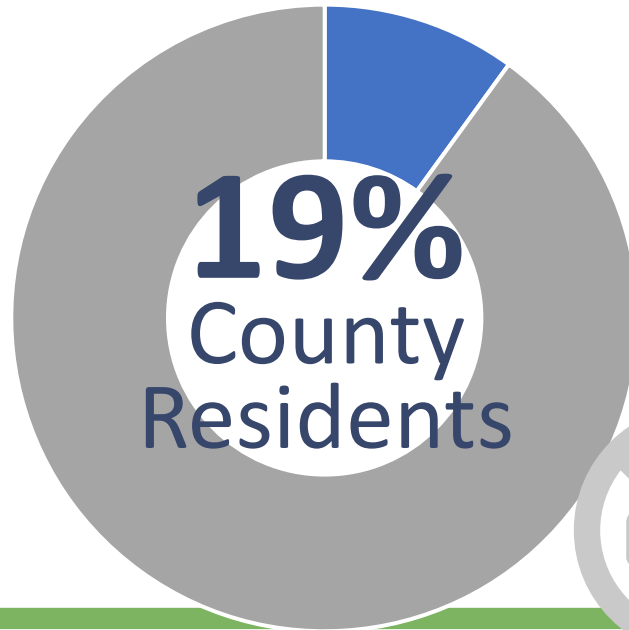


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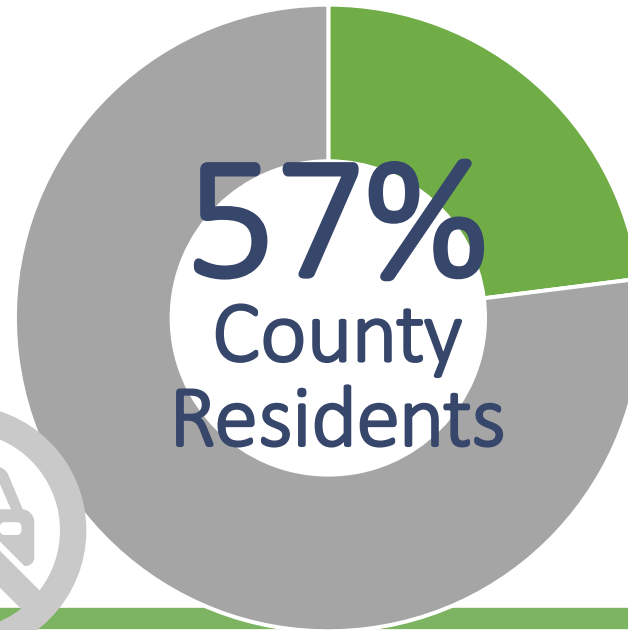
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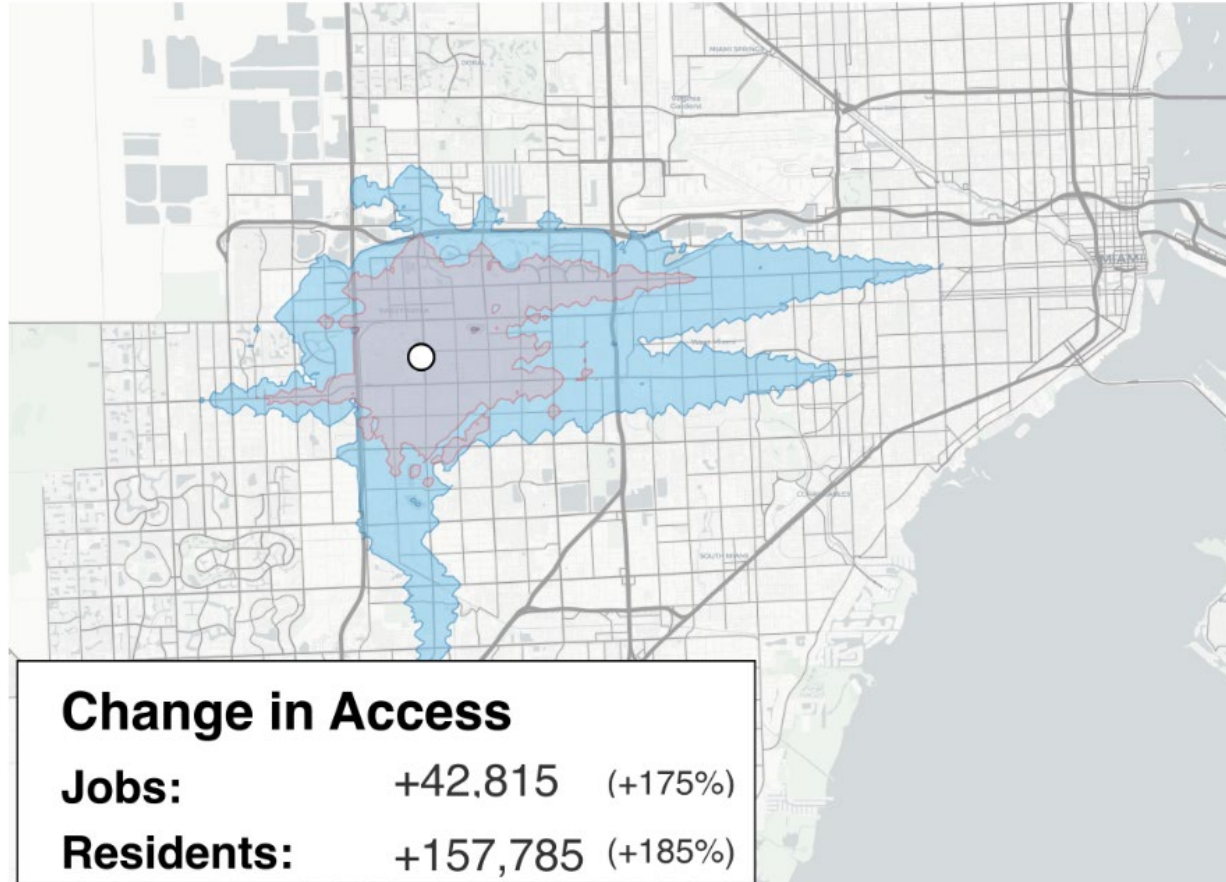
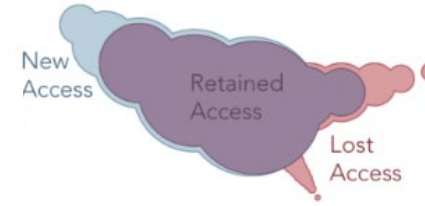


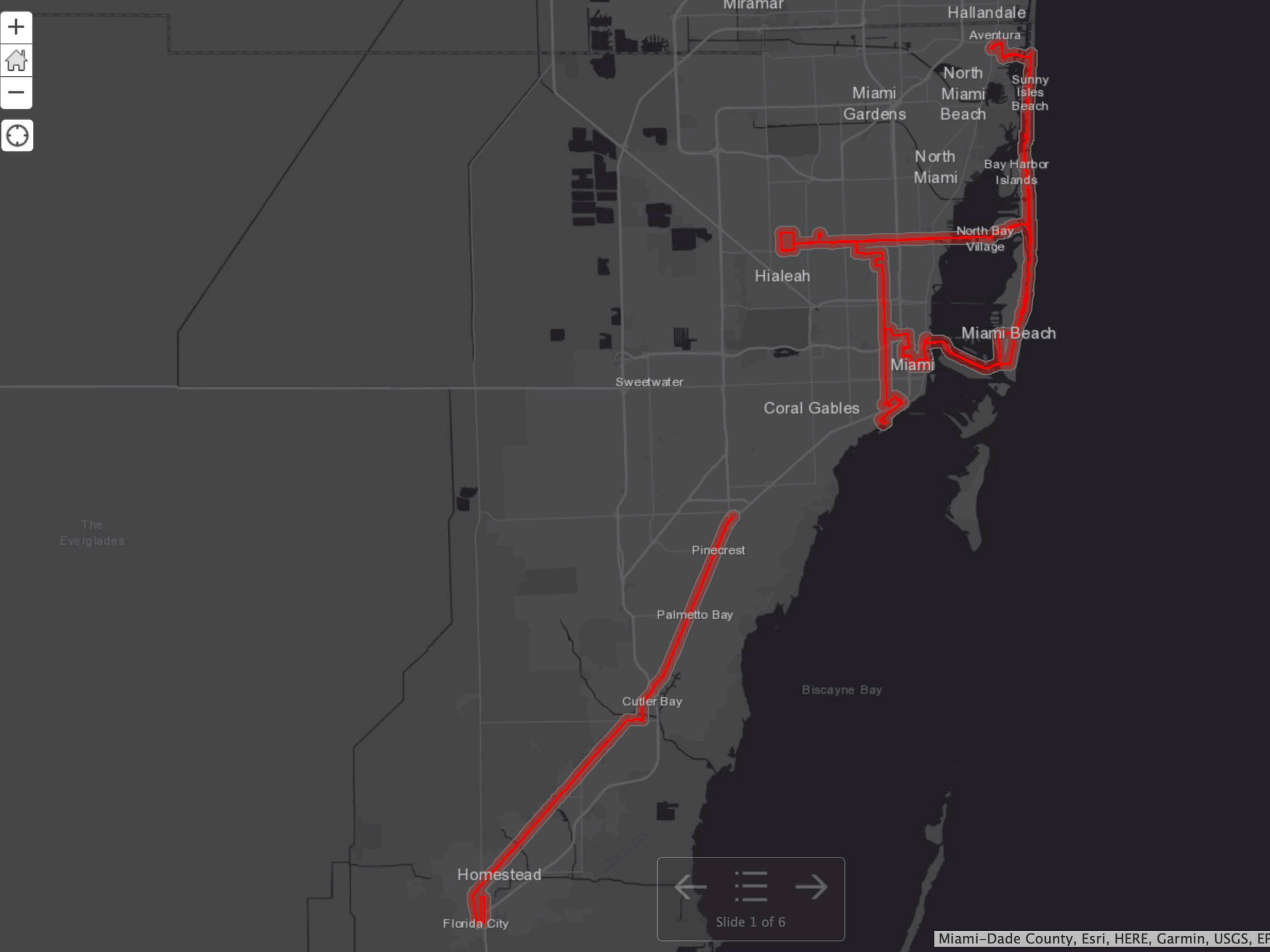
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Better Bus Network

How far can I travel from
Florida International Uni
in 45 minutes...

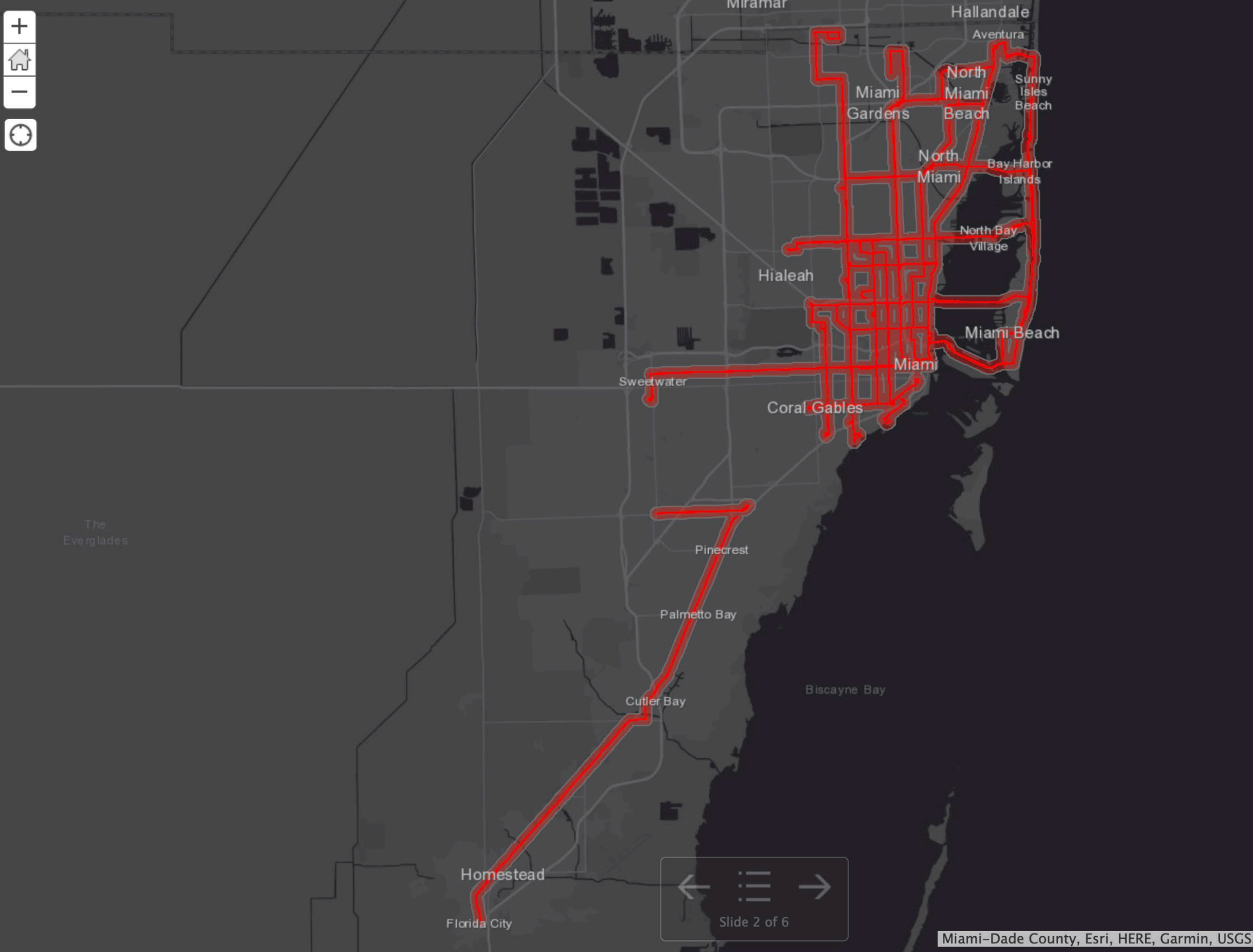




EXISTING FREQUENT CORRIDORS WITH A 0.25 MILE BUFFER

5 Routes





BBN FREQUENT CORRIDORS WITH A 0.25 MILE BUFFER

19 Routes





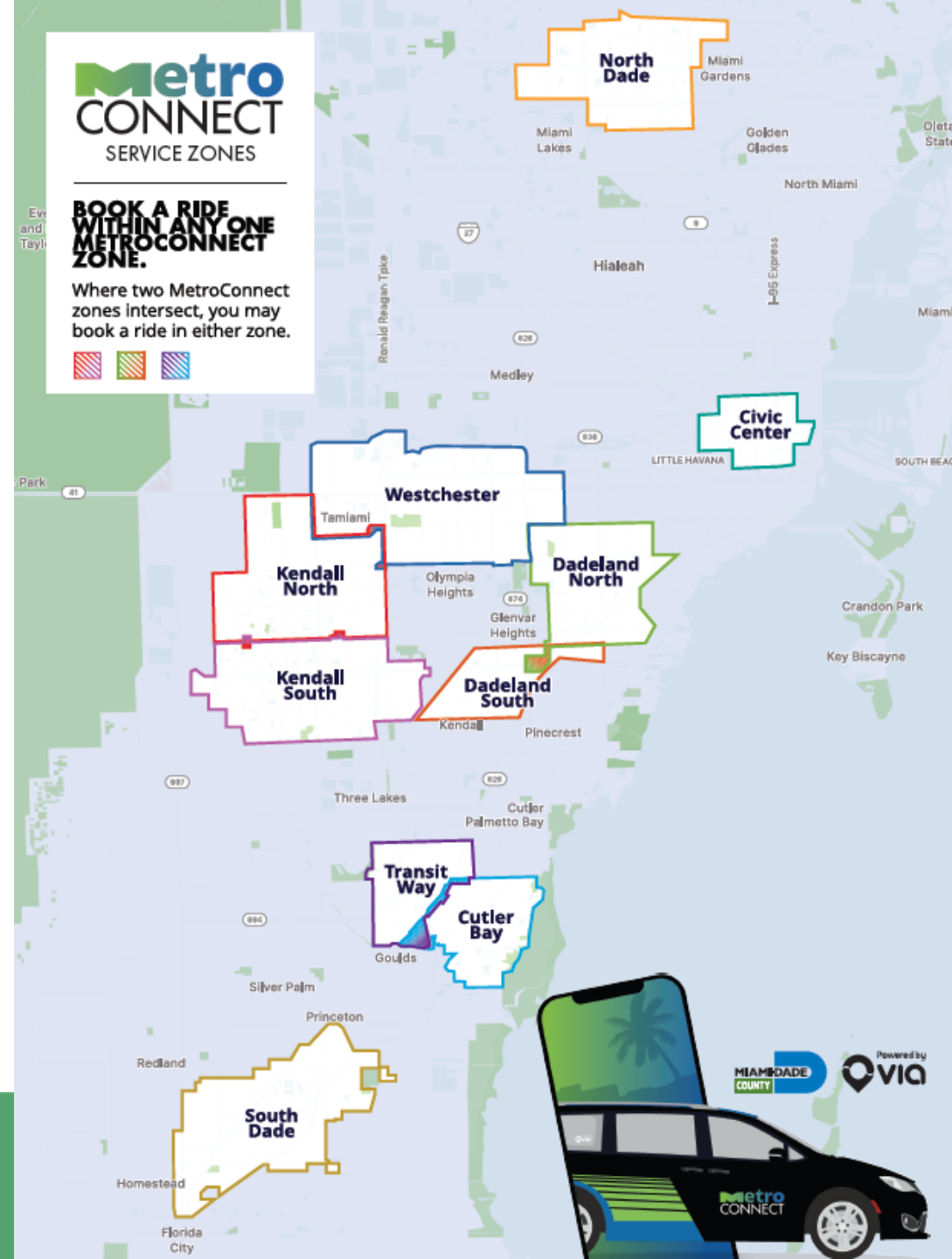
PHASED IMPLEMENTATION

- Phase I – July 24, 2023
 - Three high frequent corridors:
 1. Key Biscayne
 2. 62nd St
 3. Transitway
- Phase I.1 – October 2, 2023
- Phase II – November 13, 2023
 - Full network

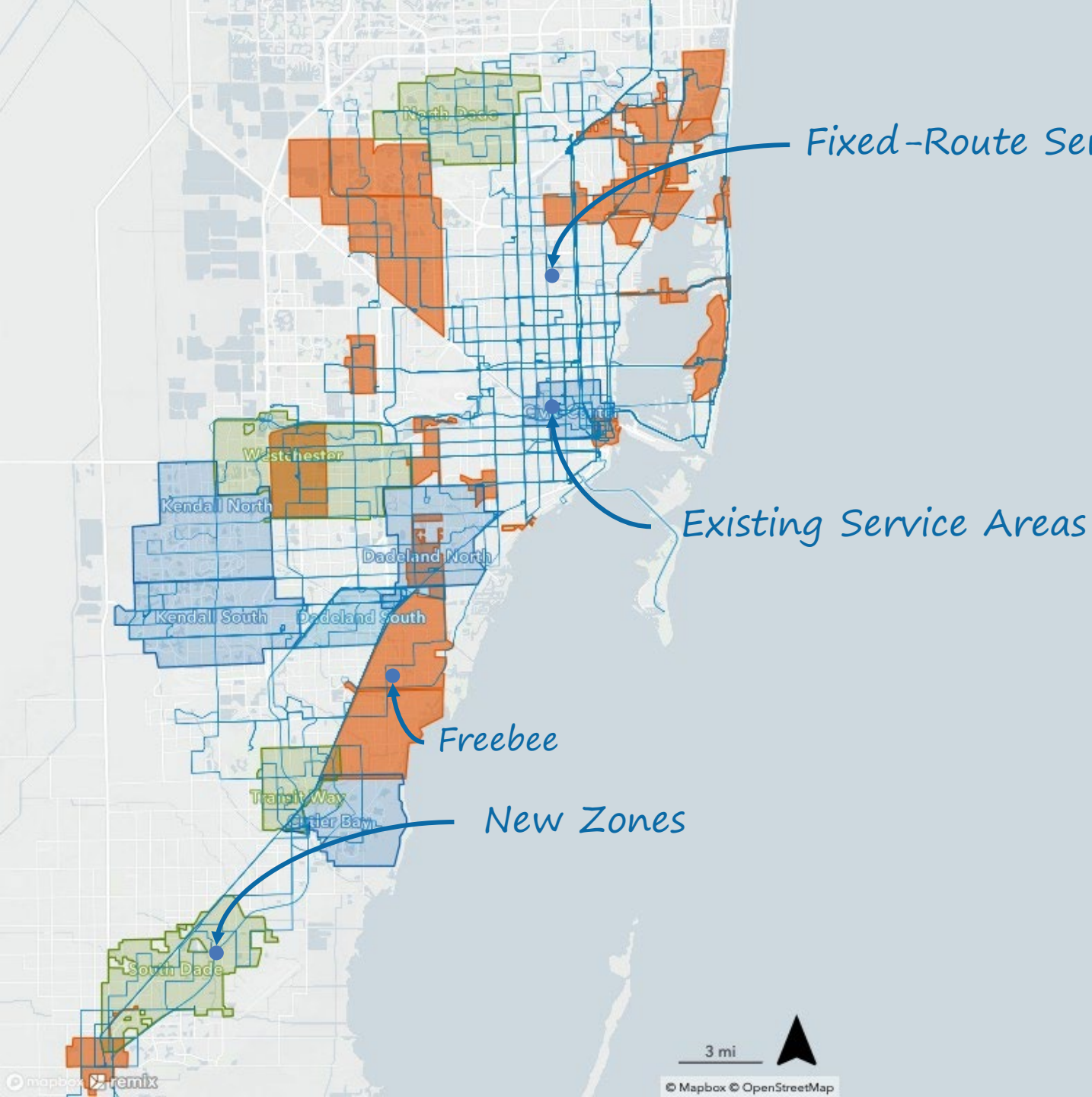


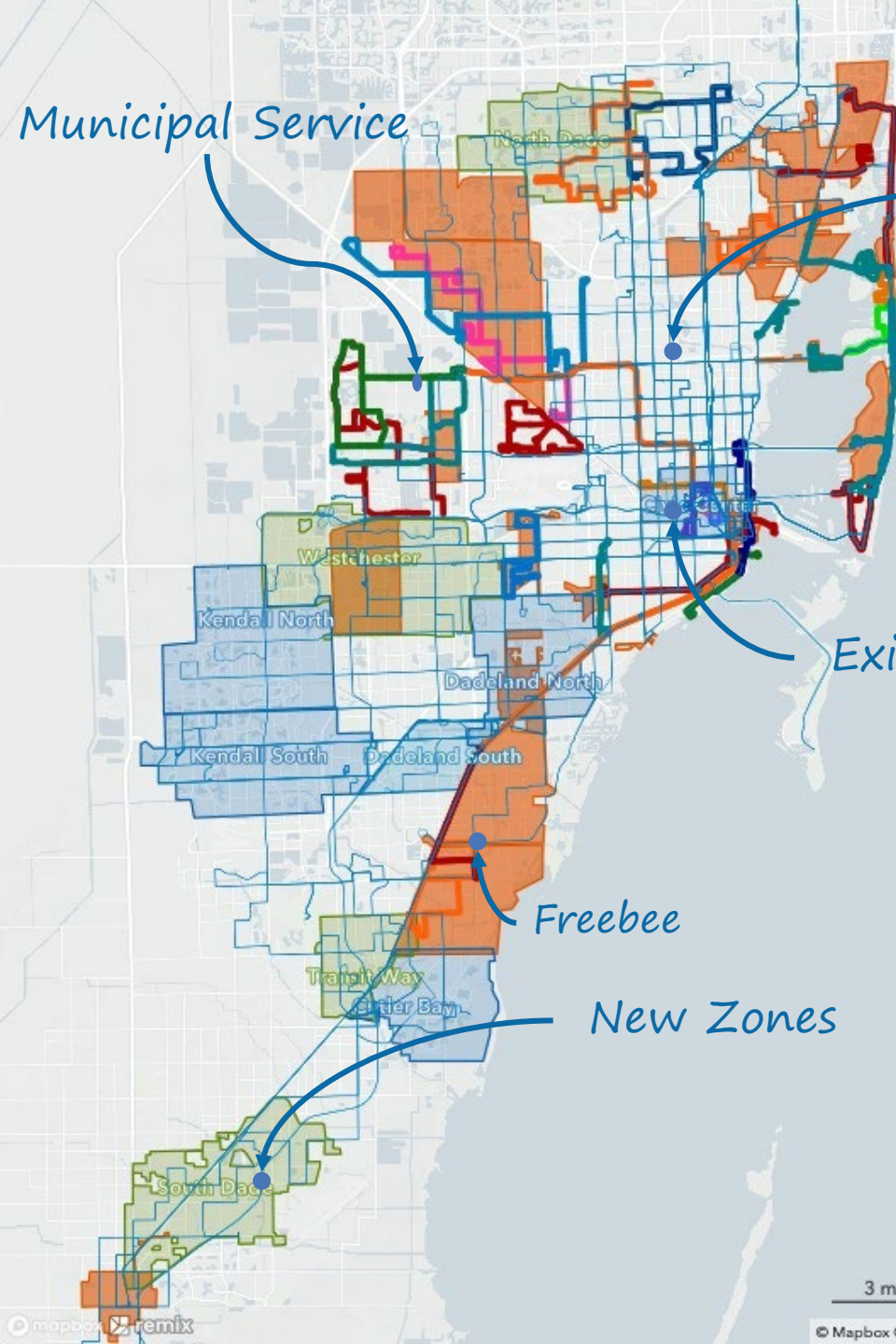
Metro CONNECT

- Formally Go Connect 4 Zones
- Expanding to 10 Zones
- Average Wait Time set to 20mins
 - Sept was 15 mins
- Now all Rides are FREE
- New Zones launched this week



COUNTYWIDE TRANSIT SYSTEM





Fixed-Route Service

Municipal Service

Existing Service Areas

Freebee

New Zones

COUNTYWIDE TRANSIT SYSTEM



OUTREACH AND EDUCATION

- Website with all tools
 - Find your current route
 - New map
 - Route book
 - MetroConnect
 - Trip Planner
- Online Trip Planner existing vs. BBN
- Bus operator Training at all divisions

Plan your trip on the Better Bus Network

Share:

On Nov. 13, the Better Bus network shifts into gear! Use this tool to see and compare your commute before and after this historic change goes into effect.

How Could Your Trip Change?

Click on the map or use the search boxes below to choose start and end locations.

Brickell Mover Station

Lincoln Rd. Farmer's Mark...

Leave At

05:00 PM Weekday

Clear

Options with the Better Bus Network

- 05:06 pm - 05:50 pm (50 min)
Metromover Inner Loop ▶ Route 100
Show Detail
- 05:11 pm - 05:57 pm (57 min)
Metromover Inner Loop ▶ Route 100
- 05:01 pm - 06:03 pm (1 hr 3 min)
Metromover Inner Loop ▶ Route 20

Options with the Existing Bus Network

- 05:01 pm - 05:52 pm (52 min)
Metromover Inner Loop ▶ Route 119
Show Detail
- 05:11 pm - 06:04 pm (1 hr 4 min)
Metromover Inner Loop ▶ Route 119
- 05:06 pm - 06:09 pm (1 hr 9 min)
Metromover Inner Loop ▶ Route 113

Show trips from...

- Both Networks
- Better Bus Network
- Existing Bus Network




OUTREACH AND EDUCATION

- Rider Alerts
- At-Stop Communications
- 7,000 bus stops


BETTER BUS SHIFTS INTO GEAR! **SERVICE CHANGE** **CAMBIOS EN EL SERVICIO | CHANJMAN SEVIS**

Before November 13, these routes stop here:
Antes del 13 de noviembre estas rutas pararán aquí:
Anvan 13 novanm wout sa yo rete isit la:



Starting November 13, NO Metrobus routes stop here.
A partir del 13 de noviembre, NINGUNA ruta de Metrobus para aquí.
Apré 13 novanm, PA gen wout Metrobus ki rete isit la.

Alternative Services:
Servicios Alternativos:
Sèvis Altènatif:


 Metrobus Routes: 9, 9A
at
NE 1 AV & NE 14 ST (Stop ID 6843)

Trolley: City of Miami

metro CONNECT Civic Center Zone

BUS STOP ID: 7899
for next bus arrival times, Text ID to GO MDT (46638)

SCAN FOR MORE INFORMATION
ESCANEAR PARA MÁS INFORMACIÓN
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OUTREACH AND EDUCATION

- Partnering with the Transit Alliance
 - Grass roots communication plan
 - Multi-lingual materials and at-stop ambassadors
 - Public workshops
 - Stakeholder engagement
 - Post-launch surveys

TransitAlliance

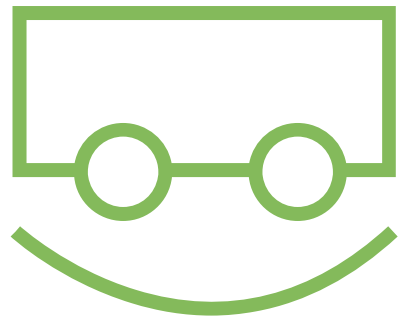




OUTREACH AND EDUCATION



- Media Toolkit
 - FAQs
 - Social Media Content
- Directing passengers to:
 - www.miamidade.gov/betterbus
 - 311
 - Virtual Office Hours
Tuesday/Thursday Lunchtimes



**THANK
YOU!**



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