

Rapid Transit Corridor Studies

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rapid transit : higher speed, congestion-proof network of Bus Rapid Transit (BRT), Light Rail Transit (LRT) and Express Service along key corridors.

BUS RAPID TRANSIT



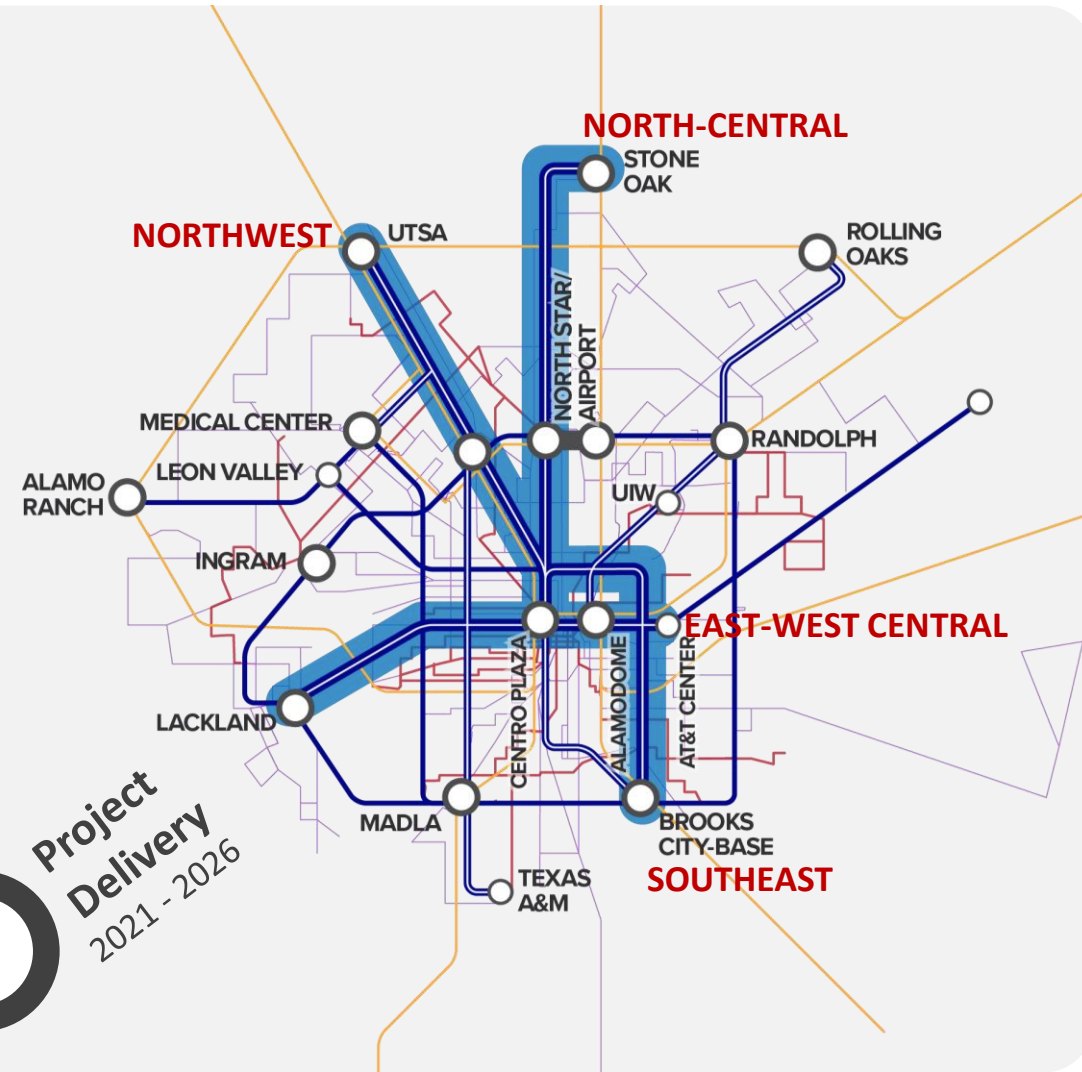
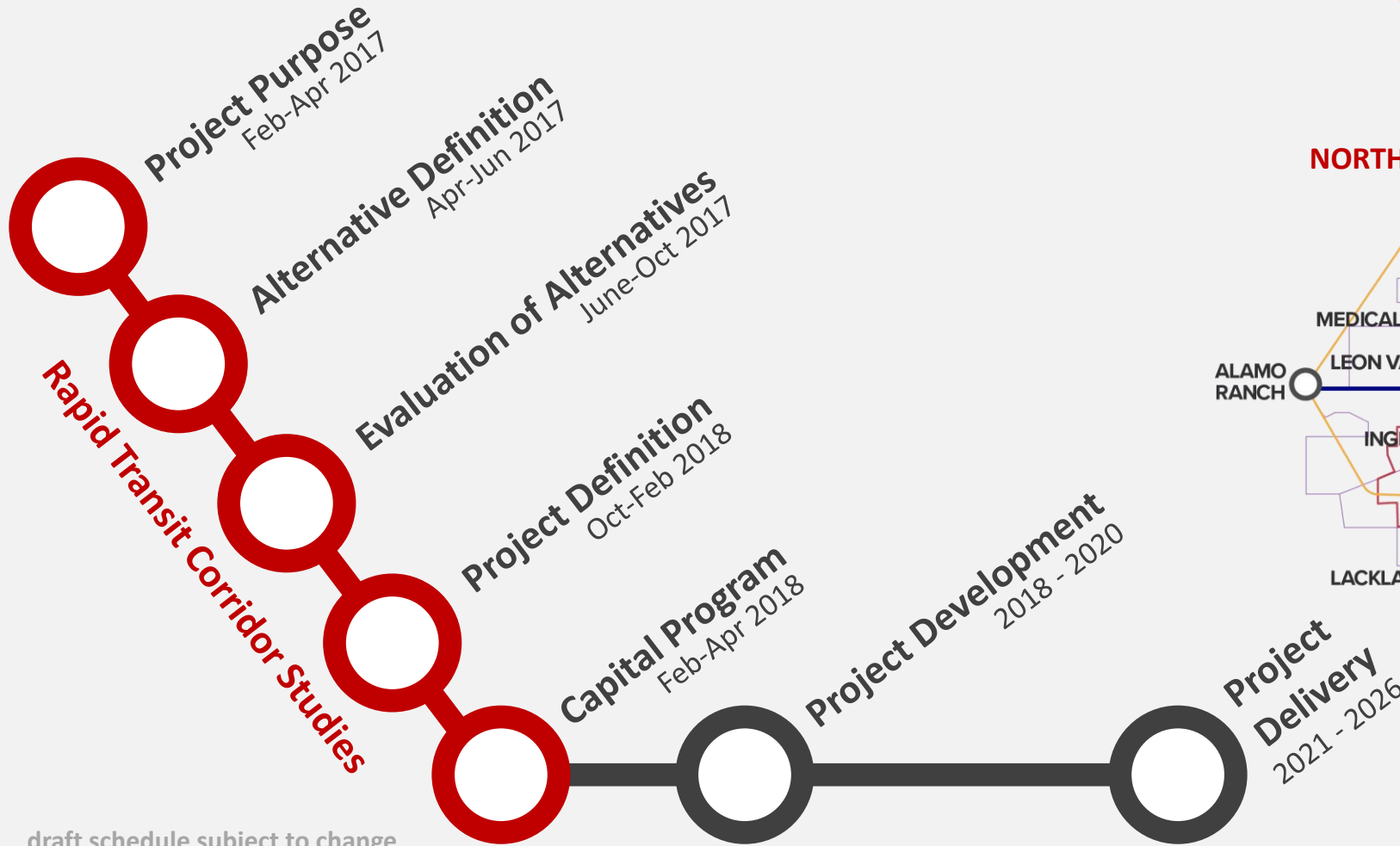
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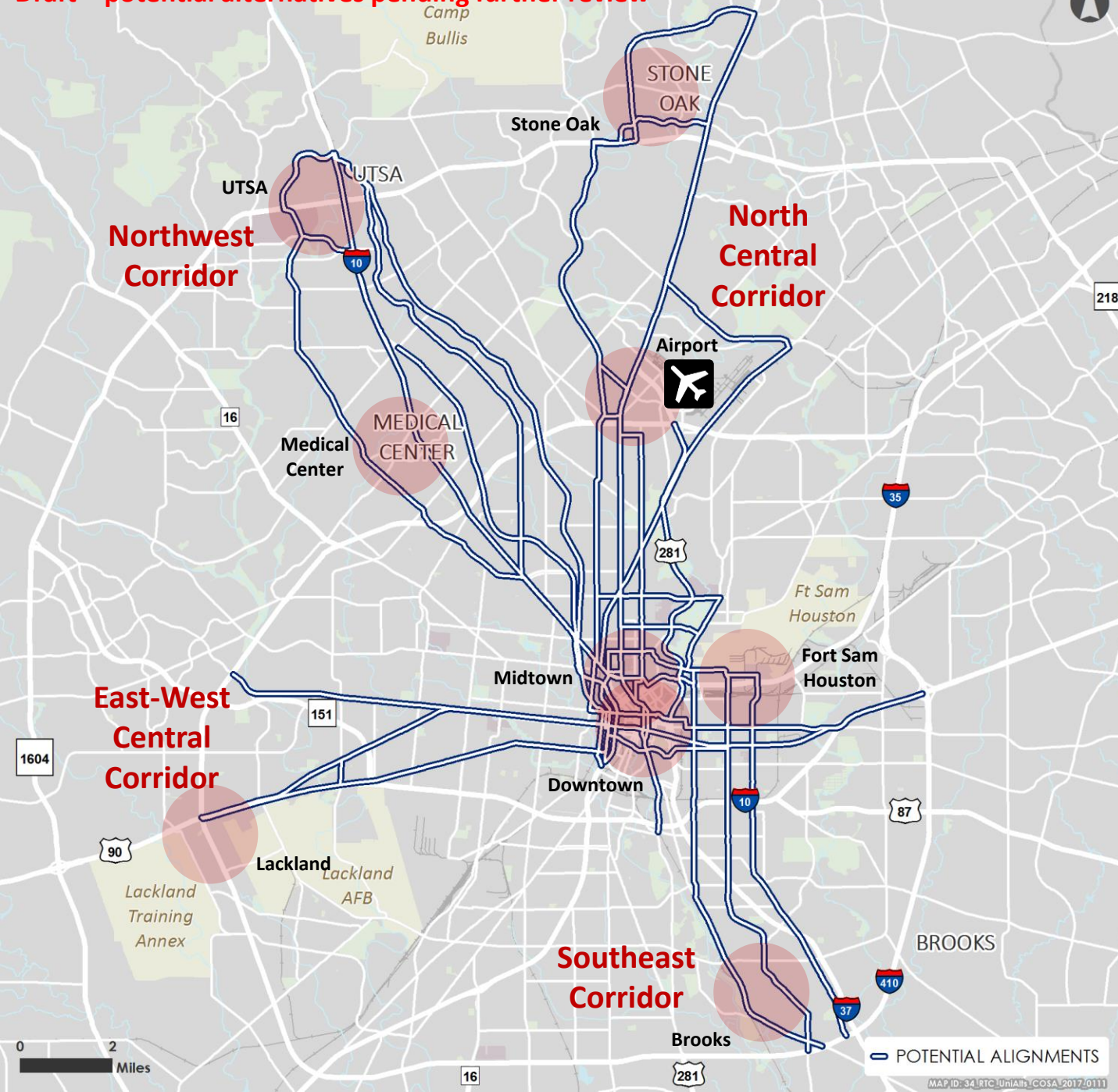
LIGHT RAIL TRANSIT



Phoenix, AZ

Scope & Schedule



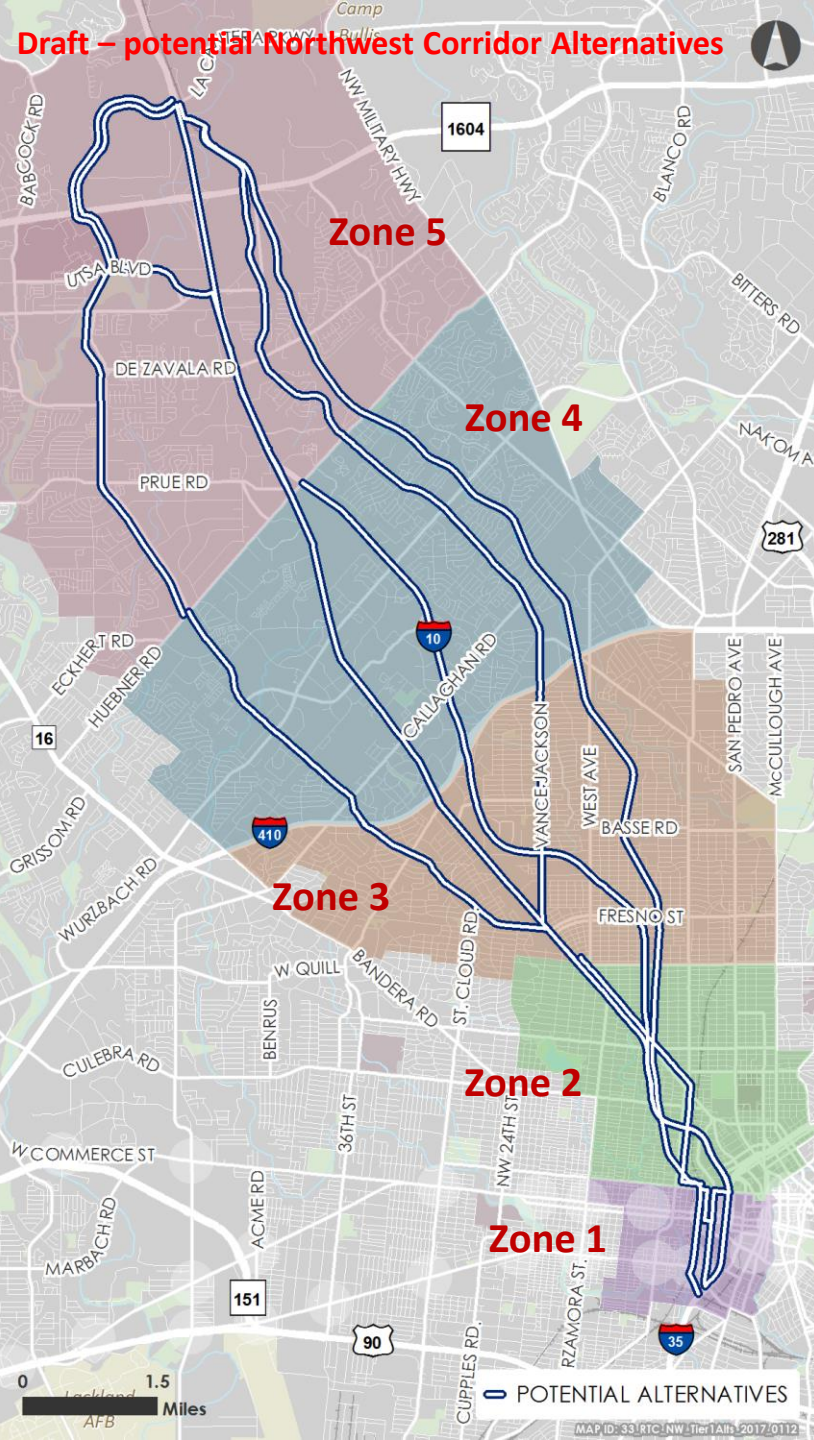


Project Purpose

Establish...

- Framework for Purpose & Need in each Corridor
 - *Need* includes the problems that need to be addressed within the corridor
 - *Purpose* entails potential solutions to the needs in the corridor
- Goals and Objectives for addressing the Purpose and Need
- Evaluation metrics and approach to Alternatives Analysis
- A Public Engagement Strategy

These items to be discussed with public and stakeholders in March-April 2017



Alternative Definition

- Determine possible station locations for each alternative
- Apply evaluation metrics to possible alternative alignments in each corridor Zone to understand relationship of stations/routes to travel and real-estate markets as well as demographic profiles and physical challenges
- Modify alternatives in a way that is consistent with initial evaluation findings and define potential project alignments
- Provide a more thorough evaluation of potential project alignments including project feasibility, and effectiveness in meeting the Purpose & Need
- Define potential projects consistent with preferred project alignments, including mode definition
- Begin Project Development

Potential Project Alignments to be discussed with public and stakeholders in June 2017

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