



November 25, 2020

Kevin Desmond, Chief Executive Officer
TransLink
400-287 Nelson's Court
New Westminster, BC V3L 0E7

Dear Mr. Desmond,

Re: Scott Road RapidBus R6 Project

I am writing to express Delta Council's overall support for RapidBus service along the Scott Road corridor. As one of the busiest corridors south of the Fraser, RapidBus service on Scott Road provides a significant opportunity for improved transit service within Surrey and Delta.

Further to discussions at the Mayors' Council meetings, I understand that project planning for R6 line is currently underway and TransLink is seeking transit priority measures along this corridor to achieve a 20% reduction in bus travel times. I appreciate the project team's review of transit priority improvements along the corridor that could be implemented prior to the launch of the RapidBus R6 Project. Enhancing transit while minimizing impacts on the current capacity along Scott Road is a key consideration. These include maintaining two general purpose travel lanes in each direction at least until such time we can identify and obtain additional rights-of way along this corridor through development for transit purposes.

We appreciate the efforts that have been taken to progress the Scott Road RapidBus R6 Project and look forward to continuing to work with TransLink on this important initiative.

Yours truly,

George V. Harvie
Mayor

cc: Mayor Doug McCallum, City of Surrey
Delta Council
Sean McGill, City Manager
Steven Lan, Director of Engineering