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Four Groups of Changes

- New Route 237: Northeast Feeder
- High Frequency Network
- Minor routing changes
- UT shuttle & school-related changes

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Impact on ADA MetroAccess Service

- Small change to ADA service area
- No impact on hours of service

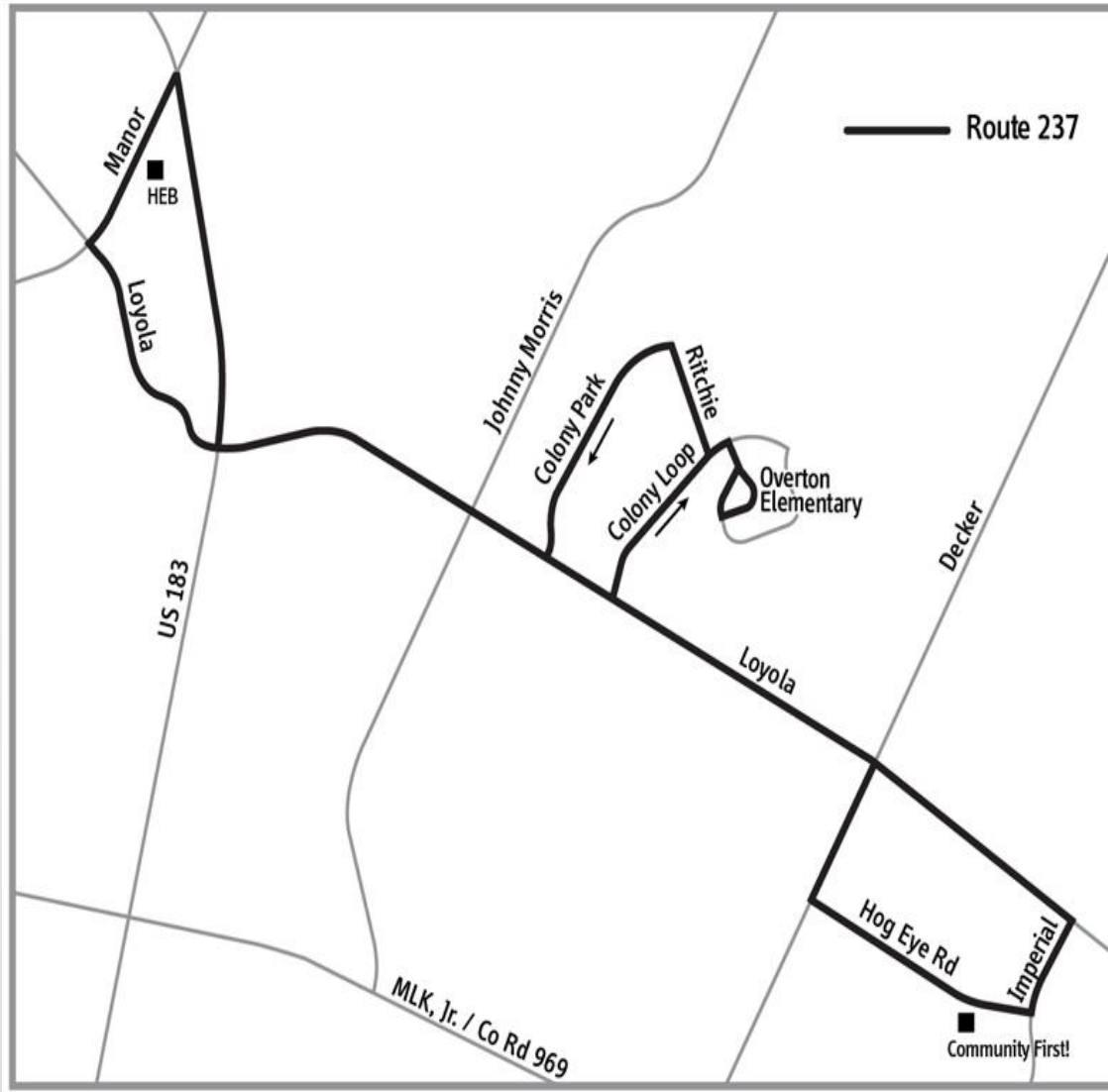
Title VI Impact

- 3 routes meet major change threshold
- No disparate impact (minority) or disproportionate burden (low-income) on affected populations

New Route 237: Northeast Feeder

- Serve neighborhoods along Loyola Lane in northeast Austin/Travis County
- Operate between Springdale Shopping center and new Mobile Loaves & Fishes *Community First!* Village
- Major transfer point at Springdale H-E-B
 - Route 20: Manor/Riverside
 - Route 37: Colony Park/Windsor Park
 - Route 323: Anderson

New Route 237: Northeast Feeder



- **Service Span:**
6:30 AM to 6:30 PM
- **Days of Operation:**
Monday to Sunday
- **Service Frequency:**
Every 60 minutes

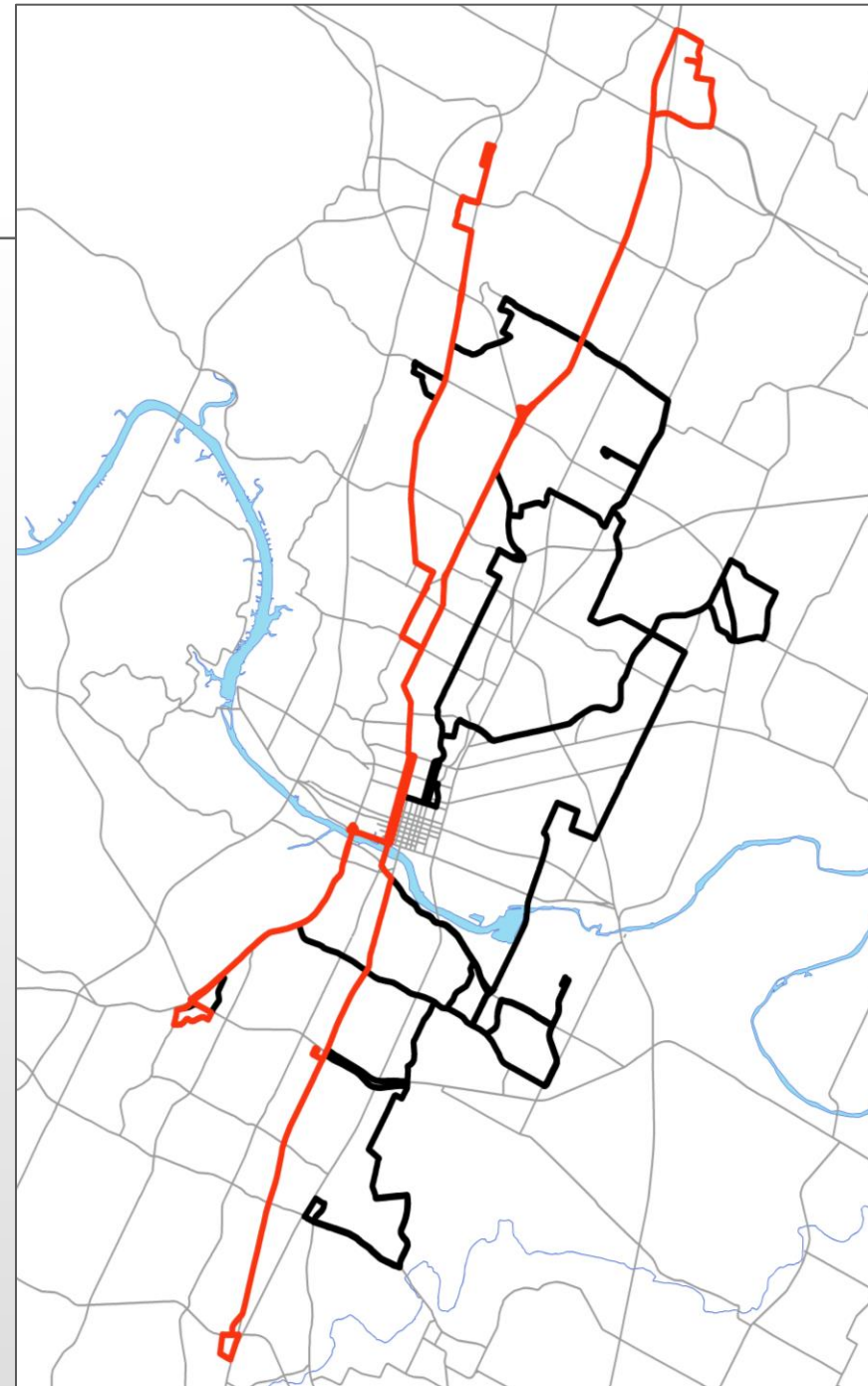
High Frequency Network

- **Background**

- Together with MetroRapid, top-10 highest ridership routes carry approximately 60% of total system ridership
- Increased frequency a top priority expressed by Public and Capital Metro staff
 - All-day frequent service allows passengers to depend on transit for non-traditional uses
 - Commuting to work makes up only 16% of all person trips
- Based on *ServicePlan 2020* recommendations

High Frequency Network

- **Phase 1**
 - Provide all-day frequent service on Weekdays and Saturdays for five local routes
 - Route 7: Duval/Dove Springs
 - Route 20: Manor/Riverside
 - Route 300: Govalle
 - Route 325: Ohlen
 - Route 331: Oltorf



High Frequency Network

Route	Weekday Frequency		Saturday Frequency	
	Daytime (7 AM - 7 PM)	Evenings (7 PM - 10 PM)	Daytime (10 AM - 7 PM)	Evenings (7 PM - 10 PM)
7	15 min.	20 min.	20 min.	30 min.
20	20 min.	20 min.	20 min.	30 min.
300	15 min.	20 min.	20 min.	30 min.
325	15 min.	20 min.	20 min.	30 min.
331	15 min.	20 min.	20 min.	30 min.

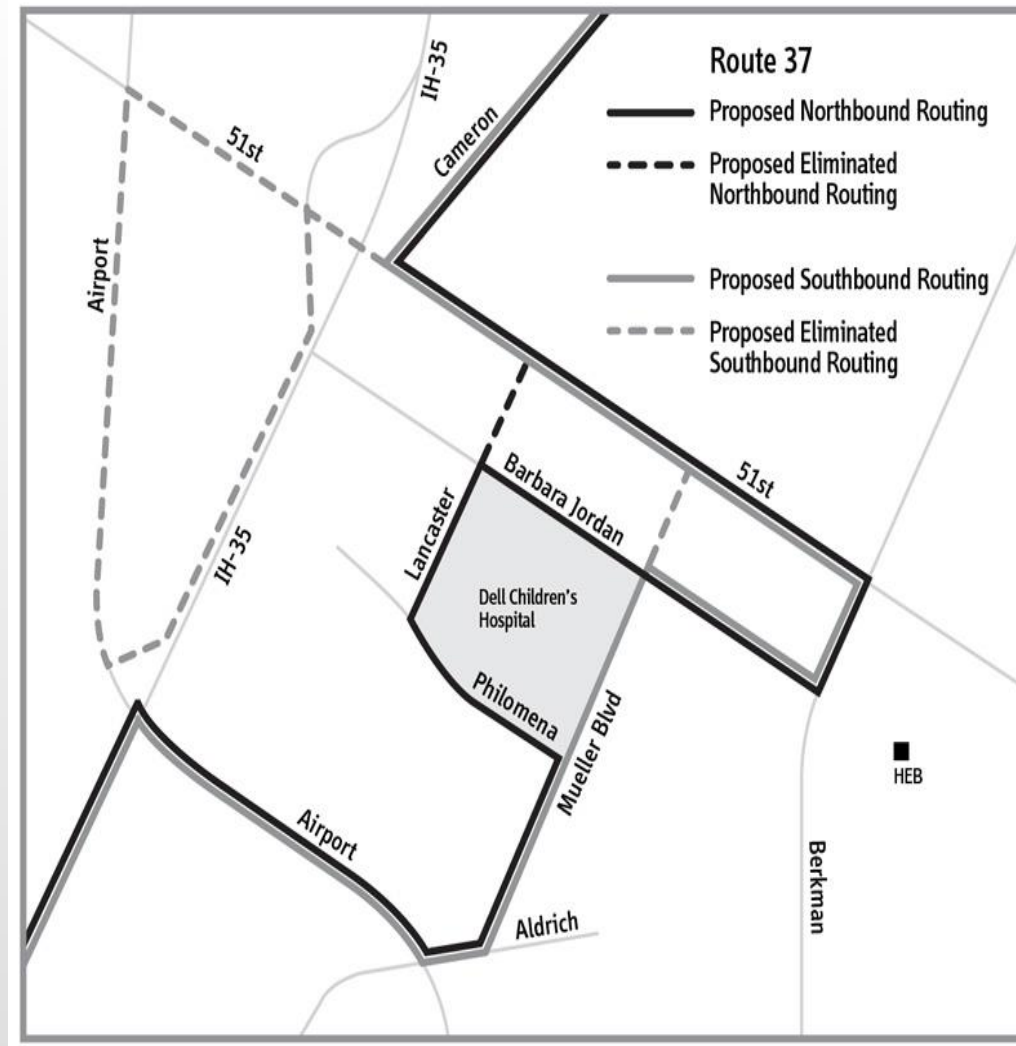
Minor Routing Changes

- **Impacted Routes**

- Route 37: Colony Park/Windsor Park
- Route 243: Wells Branch
- Route 271: Del Valle Feeder

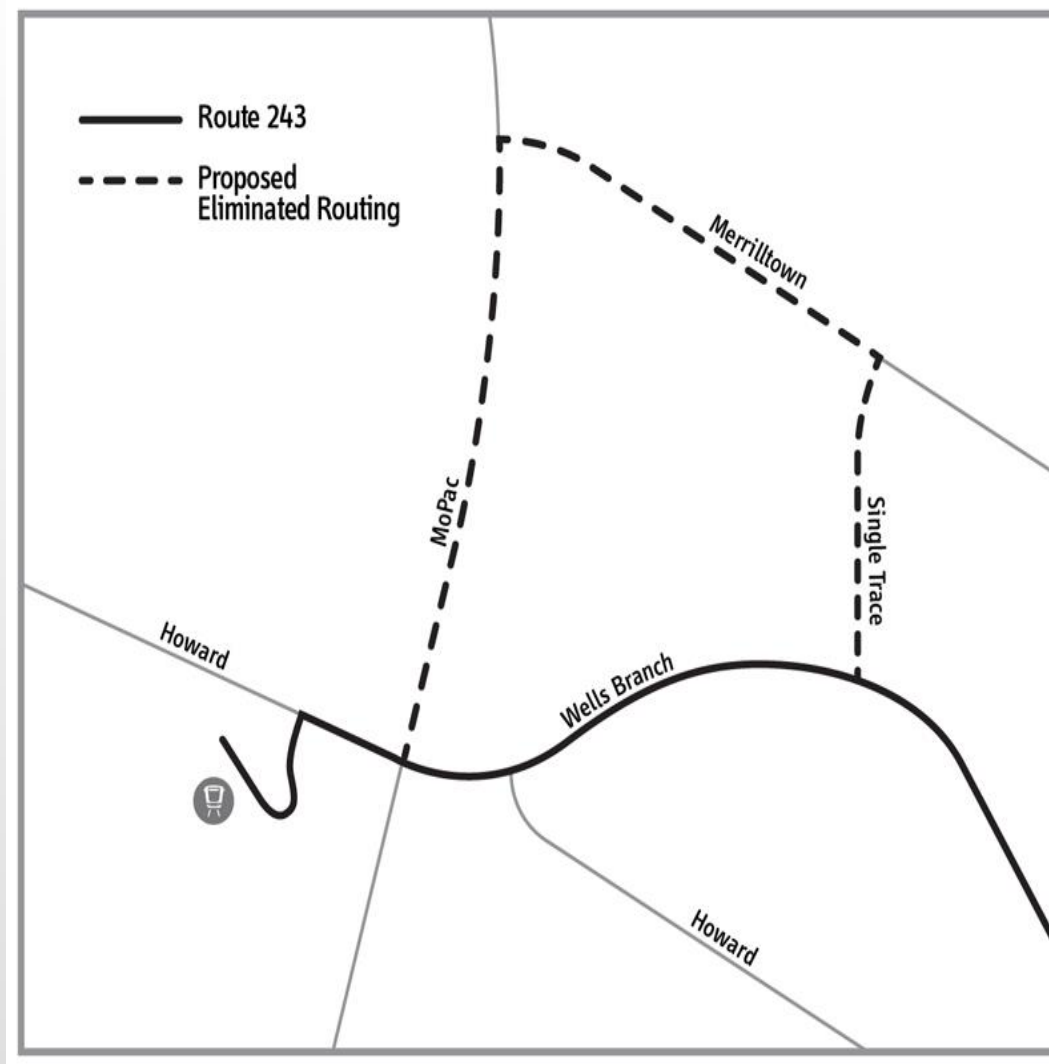
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- **Route 37: Colony Park**
 - Realign route to serve Mueller H-E-B at 51st and Berkman
 - Southbound midday trips will no longer serve Day Labor facility on IH-35 Frontage Road
 - Facility still served by Routes 10 & 320



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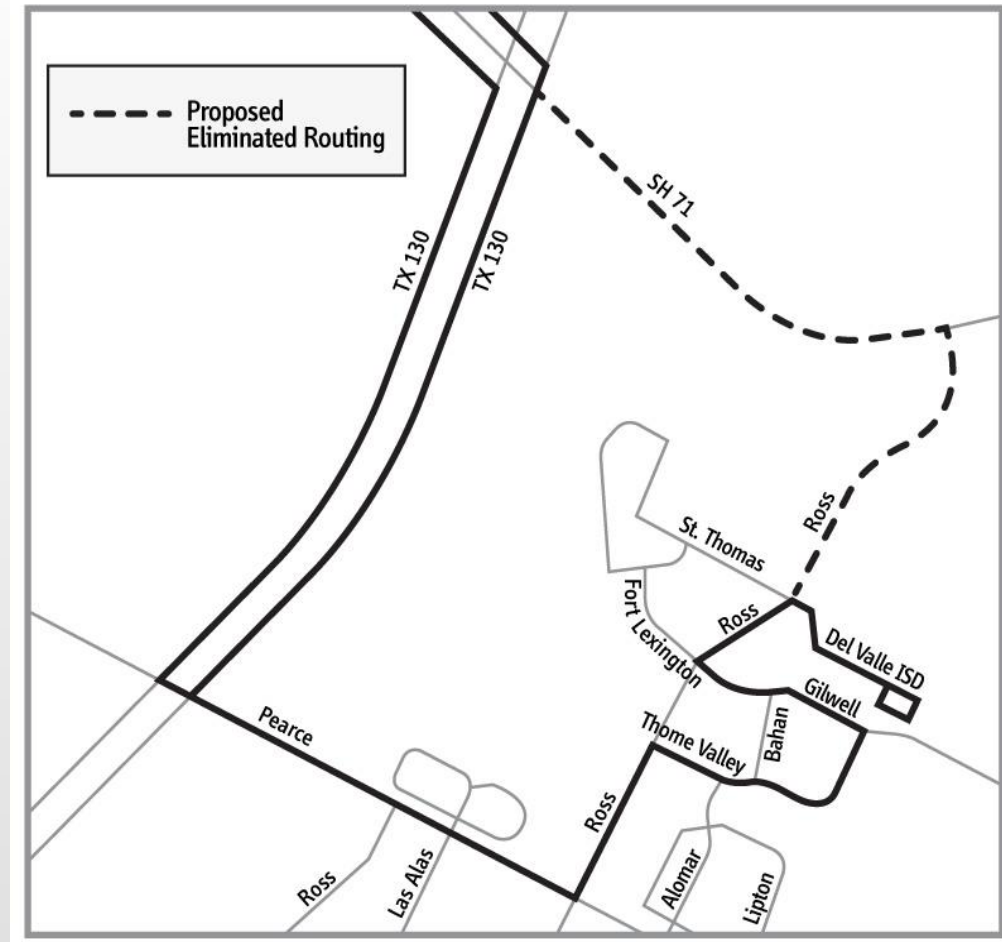
- **Route 243: Wells Branch**
 - Remove the Merrilltown loop due to low ridership
 - Loop is currently made on only 6 weekday trips
 - Loop serves only one stop



Minor Routing Changes

- **Route 271: Del Valle Feeder**

- Realign route to more directly serve Del Valle residents
- Southeast portion of route to operate on Highway 130, Pearce Lane, Ross Road, and two neighborhood streets
- Route to maintain service to existing stops near Del Valle ISD



UT Shuttle & School Related Changes

Service	Concept	Service Levels	MetroAccess
410 E-Bus/West Campus	Suspend for summer	Thursday, Friday, Saturday	No impact
411 E-Bus/Riverside	Suspend for summer	Thursday, Friday, Saturday	No impact
412 E-Bus/Main Campus	Suspend for summer	Thursday, Friday, Saturday	No impact
Mainline Routes (4, 5, 7, 20, 300, 325, 331, 333)	Select trips suspended for summer	Weekday	No impact
All UT Shuttles	Service transitions to summer service levels	Weekday, Sunday	No impact

Public Outreach Timeline

