









# **East Link Connections Project**

## **Replaced Route 271**

#### **Neighborhoods Served:**

 University District, Medina, Bellevue Transit Center, Bellevue College, Eastgate, Issaguah

### **Summary of Proposed Changes:**

- Replaced by new Route 270 between Bellevue Transit Center and University district
- Replaced by new Routes 202 and 203 between Bellevue Transit Center and Issaquah
- Replaced by re-oriented ST Express Route 554 providing frequent connection from Issaquah to downtown Bellevue via Bellevue Way SE
- Replaced by revised Route 240 between Eastgate and downtown Bellevue

### Why is this change being proposed?

- Increase speed and reliability
- Provide more local neighborhood connections between Bellevue and Issaquah, and within Issaquah
- Provide new connections to Link 2 Line

#### How often the bus would come:

	Weekday			Saturday		Sunday	
	Peak	Midday	Night	Daytime	Night	Daytime	Night
Current	8	15	30	30-60	60	30-60	60
Proposed	No service	No	No	No service	No	No service	No
		service	service		service		service

#### **Hours of Service**

	Weekday	Saturday	Sunday
Current	5:30 a.m. 11:00 p.m.	6:30 a.m 10:20	7:30 a.m 10:20
		p.m.	p.m.
Proposed	No service	No service	No service

## How does this respond to feedback Metro received in Phase 1?

More and easier transfer opportunities

• Increased speed and reliability