

# First Avenue/Second Avenue Select Bus Service Community Advisory Committee Meeting #5

September 22, 2010



# Agenda

Implementation Update

SBS User's Guide

Bus Lane Rules and Enforcement

Outreach

Next Steps

# Overview



M15 Select Bus Service begins:  
**October 10, 2010**

Adds over 10 miles of new and improved bus facilities



Doubles the protected bike lanes  
in New York City

Bus and bike lanes already in use

# Implementation Update as of 9/10/10

## Resurfacing

Markings/Paint

Signs/Signals

Pedestrian Islands

Shelters/Fare Machines

Milling and paving  
on First and Second  
Avenues completed  
August 18

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	First Avenue	Second Avenue
<b>Markings</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Houston St to 125<sup>th</sup> St</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 125<sup>th</sup> St to 101<sup>st</sup> St</li> <li>• 69<sup>th</sup> St to 14<sup>th</sup> St</li> </ul>
<b>Bus lane Paint</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Houston St to 72<sup>nd</sup> St</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 125<sup>th</sup> St to 101<sup>st</sup> St</li> <li>• 23<sup>rd</sup> St to 14<sup>th</sup> St</li> </ul>
<b>Bike Lane Paint</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Houston St to 34<sup>th</sup> St</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 34<sup>th</sup> St to 17<sup>th</sup> St</li> <li>• 14<sup>th</sup> St to Houston St</li> </ul>

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Installation continuing in conjunction with bus lane markings

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## Left Turn Restrictions In Effect



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## Pedestrian Islands

Shelters/Fare Machines



	First Avenue	Second Avenue
<b>Islands Completed</b>	Houston to 10 <sup>th</sup> St	34 <sup>th</sup> St to 29 <sup>th</sup> St

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**Shelters/Fare Machines**



Shelters and fare machines  
installed at 6 locations

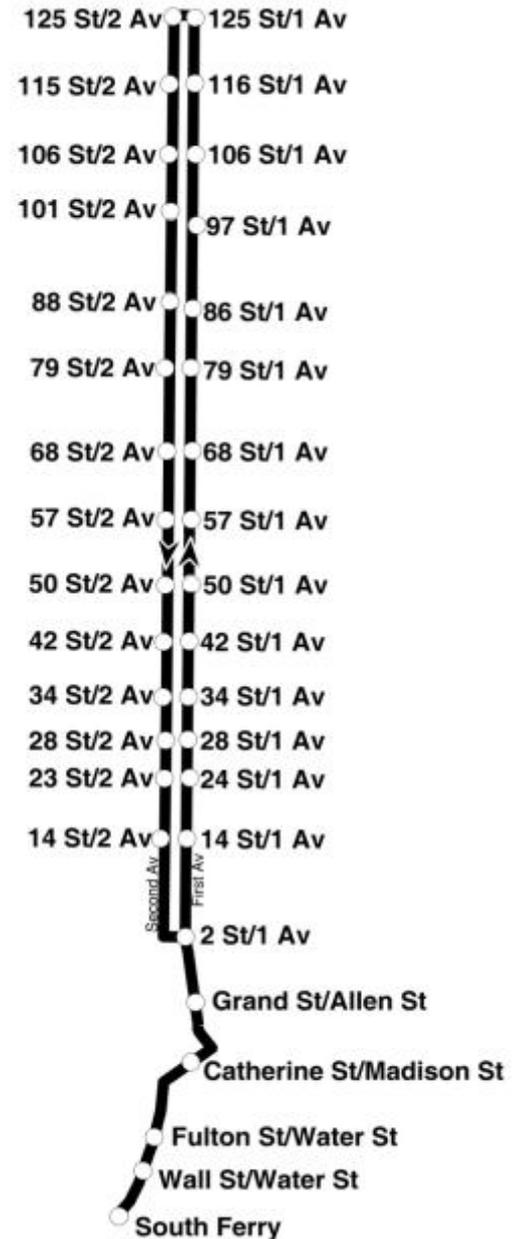
# How SBS Works

M15 SBS replaces M15 Limited

M15 Local unchanged

SBS fare = Local bus fare

Transfers permitted between  
SBS and Local



# How SBS Works

## Hours of service

M15 SBS Northbound	6 am to 11 pm
M15 SBS Southbound	5 am to 10 pm
M15 Local	24 hours

## Frequency of Service

	Peak	Off-peak
M15 SBS	4-5 minutes	7-8 minutes
M15 Local	5-8 minutes	7-9 minutes

# How SBS Works

## Paying your fare:

1. Pay at sidewalk Metrocard or coin machines before boarding the bus
2. Take your receipt
3. Enter through any of the three doors



# How SBS Works

## Paying your fare at the Metrocard machine:

1. Push the Start button
2. Insert your Metrocard
3. Take your receipt
4. Hold receipt for inspection

*All Metrocards accepted*



# How SBS Works

## Paying your fare at the coin machine:

1. Insert coin fare
2. Take your receipt
3. Hold receipt for inspection



# How SBS Works

Eagle Team fare inspectors



# How SBS Works

## Customer Ambassadors

NYCT/DOT staff at each station 16 hours a day during launch period to explain how to use SBS



# Bus Lane Rules

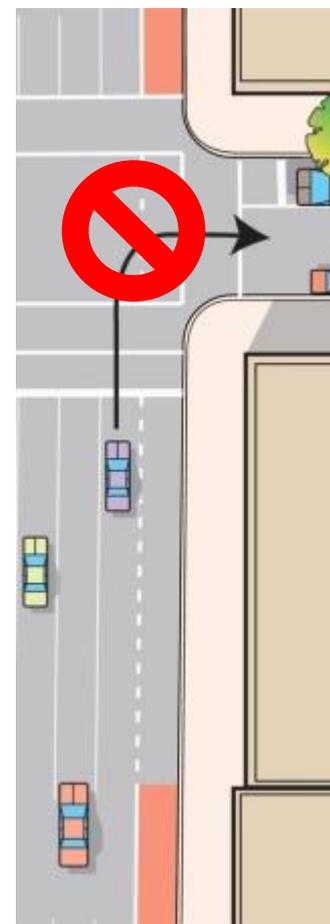
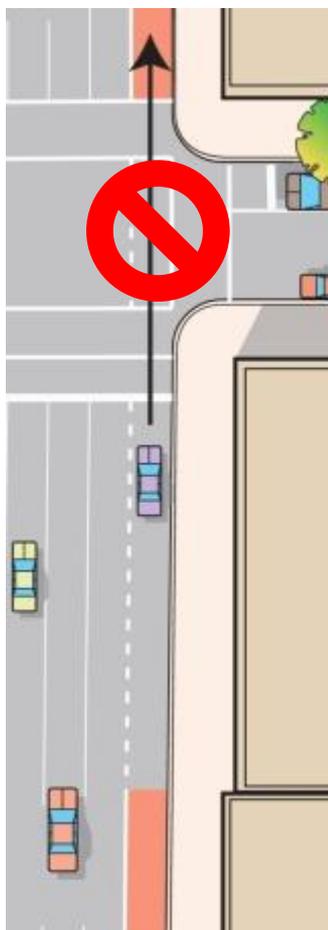
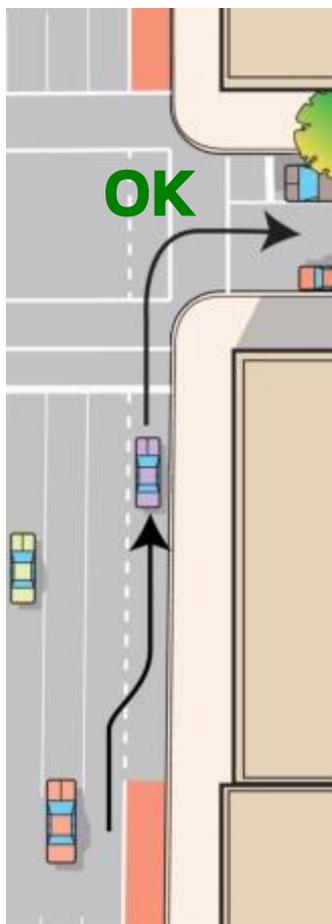
**When the bus lane is in effect, stay out of the lane except to:**

Turn right at the next corner

Quickly drop off or pick up passengers



# Bus Lane Rules



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## Where bus lane is offset:

Bus lane in effect at all times

Curb lane parking regulations remain unchanged



# Bus Lane Rules

## Where bus lane is at the curb:

Bus lane hours 7 am to 10 am, 2pm to 7pm  
Metered commercial loading 10 am to 2 pm  
Open parking overnight



# Bus Lane Enforcement

Video cameras (coming  
November 2010)

Increased police enforcement

Fines range from \$115 to \$150



# Public Outreach

Open Houses

September 27 & 28

Project Newsletter #2 and  
Bus Lane Brochure

Being distributed to every  
business and accessible  
residence in the corridor



# Next Steps

Outgoing outreach and education

Phase I project launch: October 10, 2010

Monitoring of transit service, traffic operations and safety

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