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**CATS to Hold Public Workshops for  
LYNX Red Line Study Update**

**Charlotte, N.C.** - Charlotte Area Transit System (CATS) is taking a fresh look at rapid transit opportunities in the North Corridor. CATS is conducting the LYNX Red Line study and needs public input on transit goals, constraints, and opportunities in the corridor. Workshops will be held along the corridor beginning October 17. During the workshops CATS will engage residents in the North Corridor to better understand the most effective rapid transit modes and alignment that best meets the current land-use and transit values of each community.

The LYNX Red Line study is the next step in confirming the rapid transit vision for communities in the study area. The study area stretches approximately 25 miles from Uptown Charlotte and includes the Towns of Huntersville, Cornelius, Davidson and Mooresville.

At the conclusion of the study in December 2018, CATS will present the following three pieces to the MTC for adoption into the 2030 Plan: a LYNX Red Line rail alignment, a LYNX West Corridor rail alignment and a System integration plan for the various current and proposed rail lines through Center-City Charlotte.

Information and activities at each workshop will be the same.

**\*Tuesday, October 17**

Cornelius Town Hall  
21445 Catawba Avenue, Cornelius NC  
6:00 - 7:30 p.m.

**\*Thursday, October 19**

Camp North End  
1776 Statesville Road, Charlotte NC  
6:00 - 7:30 p.m.

**\*Tuesday, October 24**

Lee. S. Dukes Water Treatment Plant  
7980 Babe Stillwell Road, Huntersville NC 28078  
6:00 - 7:30 p.m.

**\*Thursday, November 9**

Charles Mack Citizen Center  
215 N. Main Street  
Mooresville, NC 28115  
6:00 - 7:30 p.m.

**Wednesday, November 15**

CharMeck Library  
310 North Tryon Street, Charlotte NC  
11:30a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

**Thursday, November 16**

Mecklenburg County Bar Association  
2850 Zebulon Avenue, Charlotte NC  
6:00 -7:30 p.m.

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The November 15 and 16 meetings will include information on both North and West study areas. For more information about the LYNX Red Line Update visit [ridetransit.org](http://ridetransit.org).

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