

Bus Network Redesign

A better bus network: new connections, more service, more frequency.

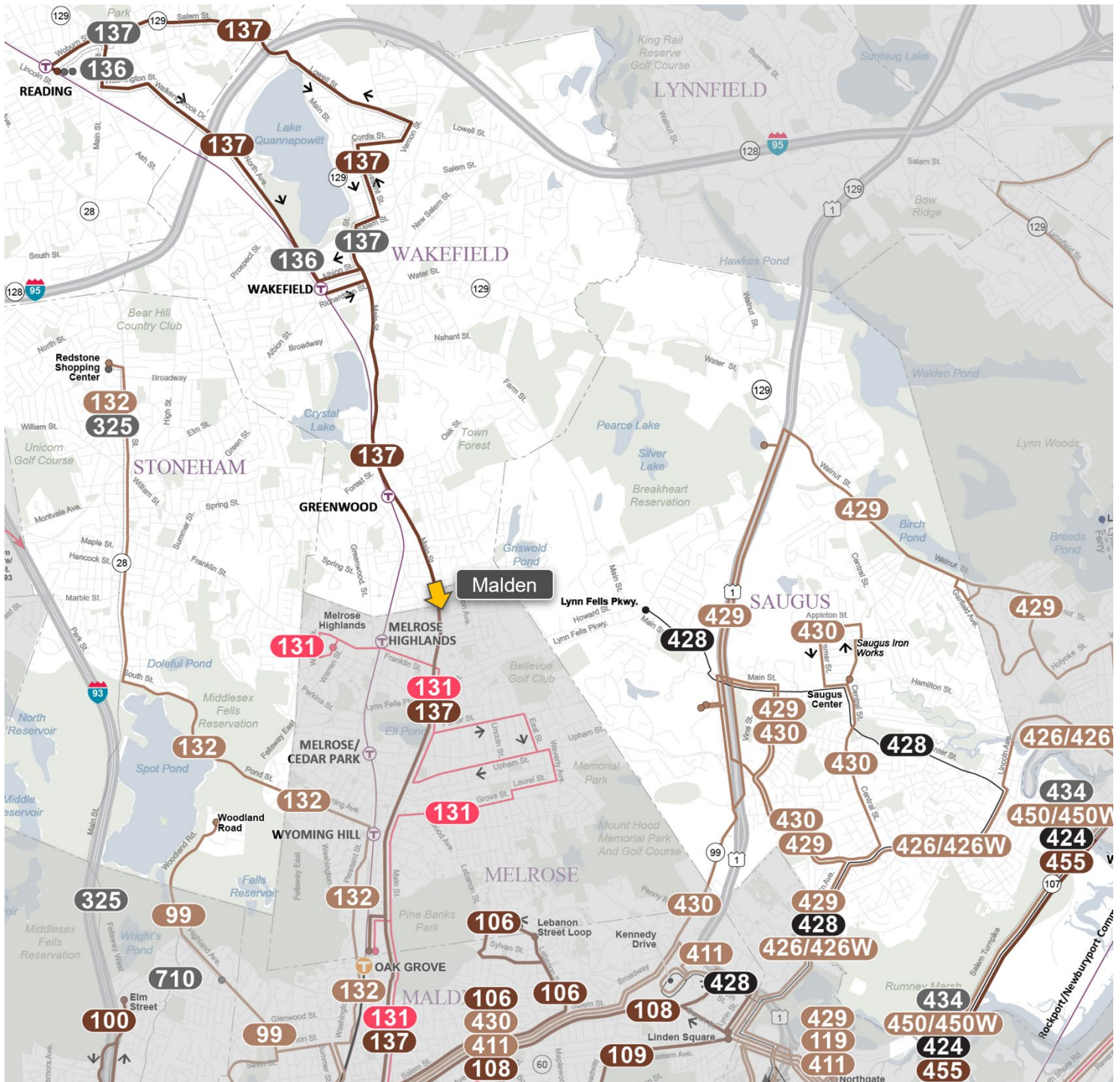
See what this means in **Reading**, **Saugus**,
Stoneham, and **Wakefield**.



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Transportation Authority**

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The network, today



Service

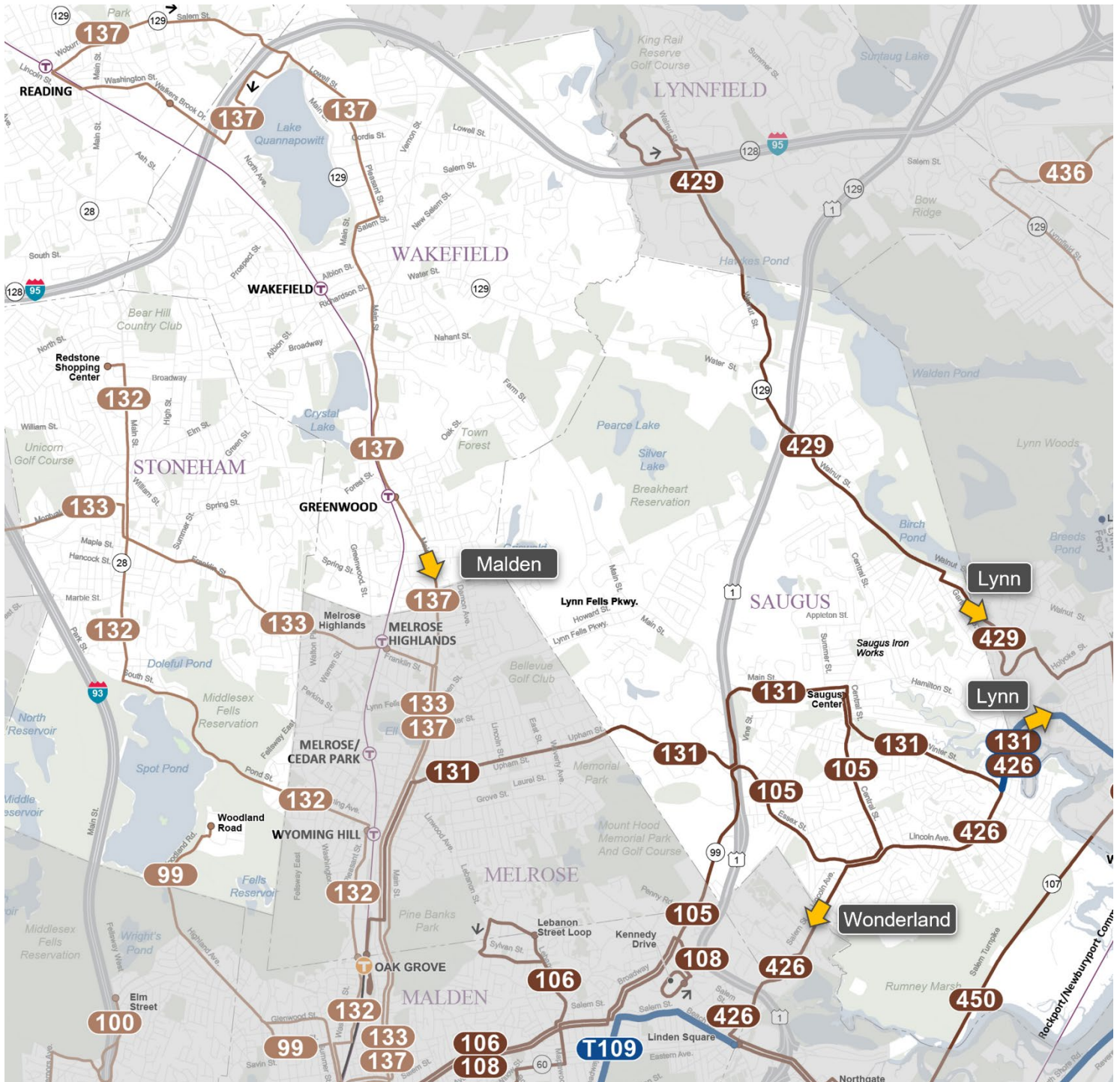
- 000 **Key Bus Routes**
Every 15 min or better midday and weekdays
- 000 **Every 30 min or better**
Midday and weekdays
- 000 **Every 60 min or better**
Service at least every 60 min midday on weekdays
- 000 **Less Than Hourly**
Service less than once every 60 min midday on weekdays

- 000 **Peak-Only**
- 000 **Suspended due to COVID-19**
- 000 **Non-MBTA Route**
- 000 **Silver Line**




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Our proposal

All details and full-sized maps are available at:
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Service

-  **Every 15 min or better**
5:00 am to 1:00 am, 7 days a week. In some cases this service is provided by two overlapping routes.
-  **Every 30 min or better**
6:00 am to 10:00 pm, 7 days a week. Some routes run more frequently at peak. Some routes have service as early as 5:00 am and as late as 1:00 pm.
-  **Every 60 min or better**
6:00 am to 7:00 pm 7 days a week. Some routes run more frequently at peak. Some routes run as late as 10:00 pm.

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How your trip would change in Reading, Saugus, Stoneham, and Wakefield

New Connections

If you're going to...	Your new route is...	What's new
Saugus, Square One Mall, Malden	105 Saugus - Malden	Route 105 improves with more evening service and frequency; extends to Saugus and replaces part of 428, 429, 430; does not serve Main St - Sullivan portion
Lynn, Saugus, Square One Mall, Malden	131 Melrose - Saugus - Lynn	Route 131 improves to medium frequency with more midday, evening, and weekend service; extends to Saugus and Lynn and replaces part of 428, 429
Anderson/Woburn, Woburn, Stoneham, Melrose, Malden	133 Anderson - Woburn - Stoneham - Melrose - Malden	New Route 133 serves Anderson/Woburn, Montvale Ave, new east-west connection in Stoneham, and Melrose, and replaces parts of 131, 134, 354

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Current Routes

If you currently ride...	Your new route is...	What's new
99 (Woodland Rd - Malden)	99 Stoneham - Malden - Wellington	Route 99 extends to Wellington via Highland Ave, Middlesex Ave to replace part of 108
99 (Malden - Wellington)	106 Lebanon Loop - Wellington	Route 106 extends to Gateway Center and replaces part of 99
99 (Savin St, Malden Family Health)	99 Melrose - Malden - Wellington or T101 - Medford - Sullivan - Kendall	Travel up to 1/3 mi to Route 99 or new high-frequency T101
132	132 Stoneham - Malden	Route 132 same route and new Sunday service
136	137 Reading - Wakefield - Malden	Route 136 combination with 137 (currently in effect) continues; see Route 137 for other route changes
137 (Reading - Walkers Brook Dr & south of Wakefield Sq)	137 Reading - Wakefield - Malden	Route 137 outbound extends to Quannapowitt Dr; provides 2-way service on Pleasant St & Lowell St in Wakefield and does not serve Cordis St/Vernon St; maintains loop with former Route 136
137 (North Ave - Wakefield Sq)	137 Reading - Wakefield - Malden	Travel to Route 137; some stops over 1/2 mi from service
424 (Western Ave - Wonderland)	450 Salem - Lynn - Wonderland	Route 450 operates all service to Wonderland; frequency improves on all days
424 (Eastern Ave)	450 Salem - Lynn - Wonderland or 455 Salem - Swampscott - Wonderland	Travel up to 1/2 mi to Western Ave or Essex St
426 (Lynn - Wonderland)	426 Lynn - Saugus - Wonderland	All service serves Wonderland and does not serve Boston; serve Northgate Shopping Center to replace Route 411; more direct route via Revere St near Wonderland
426 (American Legion Hwy, VFW Pkwy)	T110, T116, Blue Line	Travel 1/4 mi to all-day high frequency service on T110, T116, Blue Line
426 (Revere - Boston)	Blue Line, Commuter Rail connections	Use Blue Line to 426, or Commuter Rail
428 (Route 1 - Saugus Center - Lincoln Ave @ Winter St)	131 Melrose - Saugus - Lynn	Route 131 improves to medium frequency with more midday, evening, and weekend service; extends to Saugus and Lynn and replaces part of 428, 429
428 (Saugus Center, Cliftondale Sq)	105 Saugus - Malden	Route 105 improves with more evening service and frequency; extends to Saugus and replaces part of 428, 429, 430; does not serve Main St - Sullivan portion
428 (Cliftondale Sq - Linden Sq)	426 Lynn - Saugus - Wonderland	Route 426 operates consistently to Wonderland and does not serve Boston express; replaces part of 411, 428, 429; frequency improves all days

Routes with a “T” designation in front of the route number would have service every 15 minutes or better 7 days a week 5:00 AM to 1:00 AM.

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428 (Oaklandvale - Route 1)	No service within 1/2 mi	Route 105 and 131 provide all-day seven day service from Square One Mall
429 (North Saugus - Lynn)	429 Lynnfield - Lynn	Route 429 extends to Market Street Lynnfield from North Saugus; shortens to not serve Saugus Plaza - Northgate; earlier morning and later evening service on Sundays
429 (Saugus Plaza)	105, 131, or 429	Travel up to 1/3 mi to Route 105, 131, or 429
429 (Square One Mall)	105 Saugus - Malden or 131 - Melrose - Saugus - Lynn	Routes 105 and 131 connect Square One Mall to Orange Line and/or Central Sq Lynn and replace 429
429 (Essex St)	105 Saugus - Malden	Route 105 improves with more evening service and frequency; extends to Saugus and replaces part of 428, 429, 430; does not serve Main St - Sullivan portion
429 (Clifftondale Sq - Linden Sq)	426 Lynn - Saugus - Wonderland	Route 426 operates consistently to Wonderland and does not serve Boston express; replaces part of 411, 428, 429; frequency improves all days
430 (Saugus Center - Salem & Lebanon St, Malden Station)	105 Saugus - Malden	Route 105 extends to Saugus and replaces part of 430; new Sunday service to Saugus Center and earlier morning, later evening service on Saturdays
430 (Saugus Iron Works loop, Vine St)	105 Saugus - Malden or 131 - Melrose - Saugus - Lynn	Travel to Route 105; most stops are up to 1/2 mi from service, except for Appleton St stops
430 (Salem & Lebanon St - Malden)	106 Lebanon Loop - Wellington	Route 106 extends to Gateway Center and replaces 97 and parts of 105, 430; Sunday frequency improves
434 (Peabody Sq - Washington St)	435 Salem Depot - Peabody - Lynn	Current service operation; some stops over 1/2 mi away on Lynnfield St in South Peabody
434 (South Peabody - Lynn)	436 Liberty Tree Mall - Lynnfield - Lynn	Current service operation; some stops over 1/2 mi away on Lynnfield St in South Peabody
450 (Salem - Wonderland)	450 Salem - Lynn - Wonderland	All service to Wonderland; frequency improves on all days and replaces part of 455; shortens to not serve Revere-Haymarket segment
450 (McClellan Highway)	T104, 119 or 120	Travel up to 1/2 mi to Route T104, 119 or 120
450 (Boston)	Blue Line, Commuter Rail connections	Use Blue Line to 450, or Commuter Rail
455 (Salem - Lynn, Wonderland)	455 Salem - Swampscott - Wonderland	Route 455 shortens to not serve Shetland Park, extends via Lynnway to Wonderland instead of via Salem Turnpike; Sunday frequency improves
455 (Lynn - Wonderland via Western Ave)	450 Salem - Lynn - Wonderland	Route 450 frequency improves on all days and replaces part of 455, 456

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What this means for you

More weekend service.

Proposed

160%

% increase in Sunday service
(revenue vehicle miles)

New **Sunday** service on **Route 132**.

New **Sunday** service to **Saugus Center, Central Street, Essex Street, Winter Street, and Walnut Street** in **Saugus**.

Better access to major destinations.

Proposed

6K

More residents with faster,
frequent service to
Malden Center

New east-west service in **Stoneham** connecting to **Malden, Orange Line, Woburn, and Anderson/Woburn Station**.

New service to **Market Street Lynnfield**.

Better east-west service between **Lynn, Saugus, Melrose, and Malden**.

Simpler service.

Today

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routes with consistent
service 7 days a week

Proposed

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More routes that run the same service all day, every day. Fewer exceptions, variations, and complication.



But we can't do this without you.

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