Recap from June 2, 2015 Presentation

Access to Newtonville



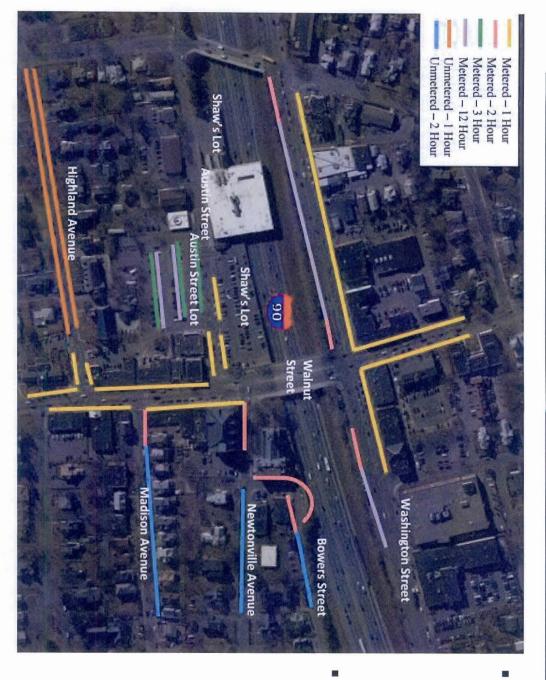
- 558 Nas
- Highland Ave. Austin St Crafts St. NEWTONVILLE Cabot R

- Over 40 rush hour transit rides to and from downtown every day
- 26 trains
- (15 minutes to Back Bay, 20 minutes to South Station)
- 15 buses
- Walkscore of 78 ("Most errands can be accomplished on foot")
- Within a 5 minute walk (1/4 mile):
- Commuter Rail
- 10 restaurants, 4 coffee houses
- 2 food markets
- 12 shops, banks, pharmacies

Mill St

Edman

Current Parking Demand at Austin Street



- Overall study area peak parking demand is on Saturday at lunch: **78% full** (2014 Study)
- 105 out of 127 (83%) spaces in Austin Street Lot are occupied on Saturday at lunch
- Demand was 98 spaces before Star Market /Shaw's Lot was restricted
- Austin Street lot is free on Saturday

Overall Traffic Impacts

- AM peak
- 32 new cars
- 6 new transit riders
- 2 new walkers

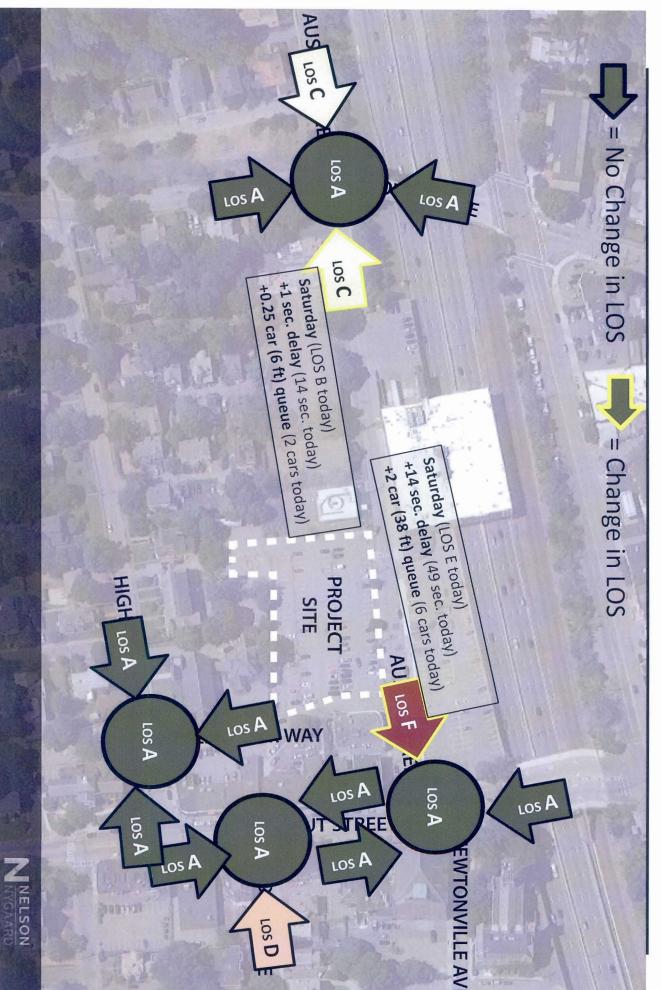
- PM peak
- 46 new cars
- 8 new transit riders
- 2 new walkers

- Saturday peak
- 42 new cars
- 8 new transit riders
- 2 new walkers

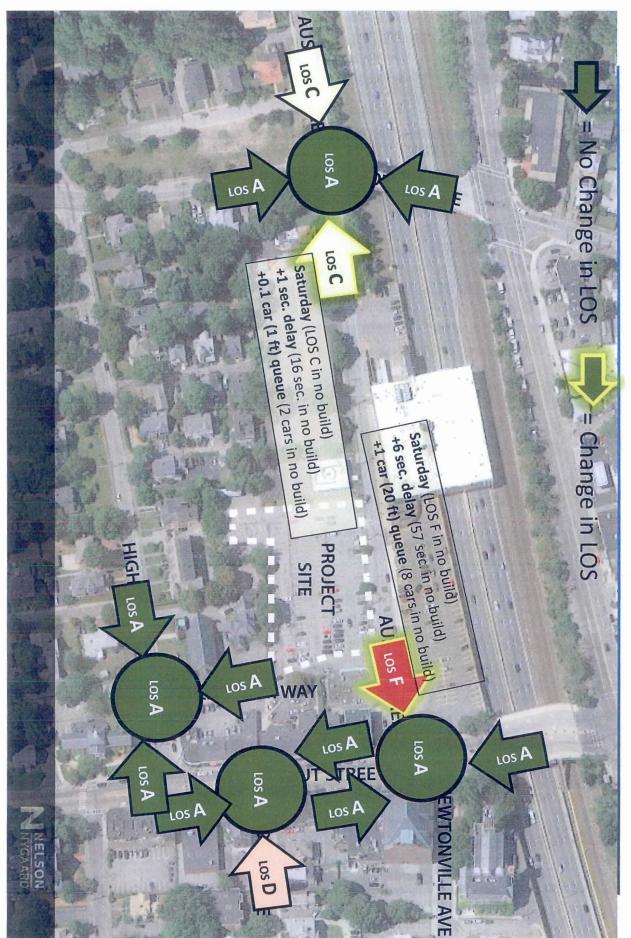


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Intersection Impacts

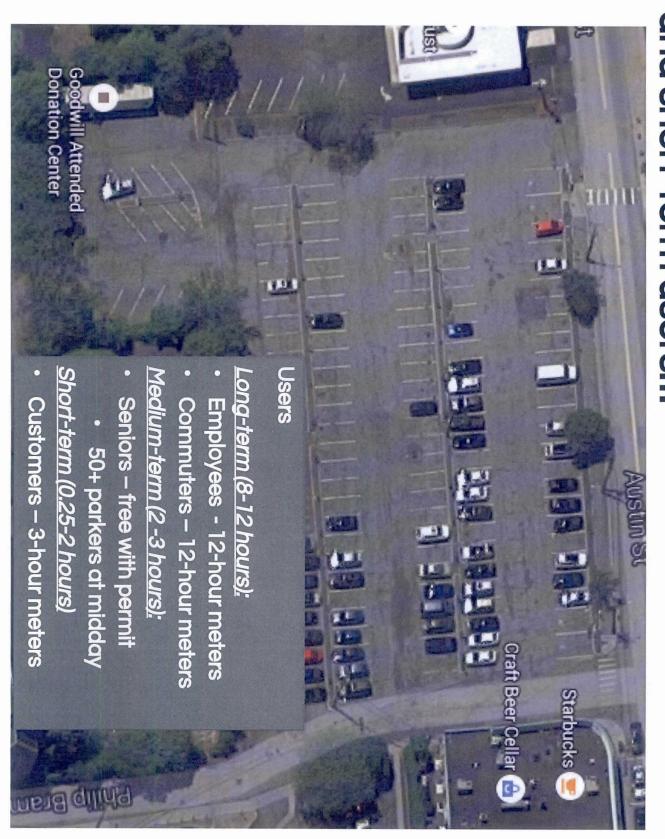


Intersection Impacts in 2022

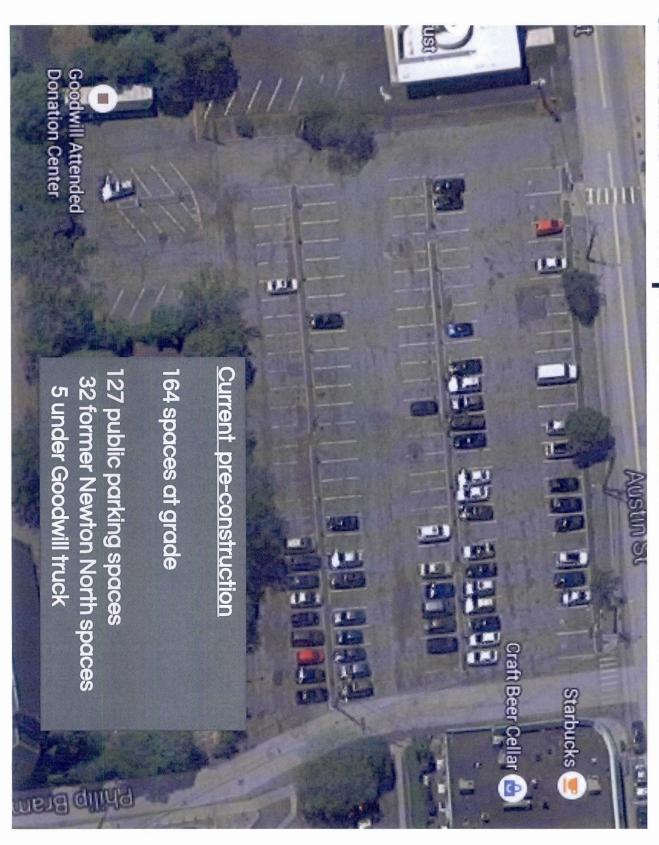


New Shared Parking Analysis

Austin Street parking demand is from long-, mediumand short-term users...



Current supply is 164 spaces of which just 127 were available to the public until June 2015...



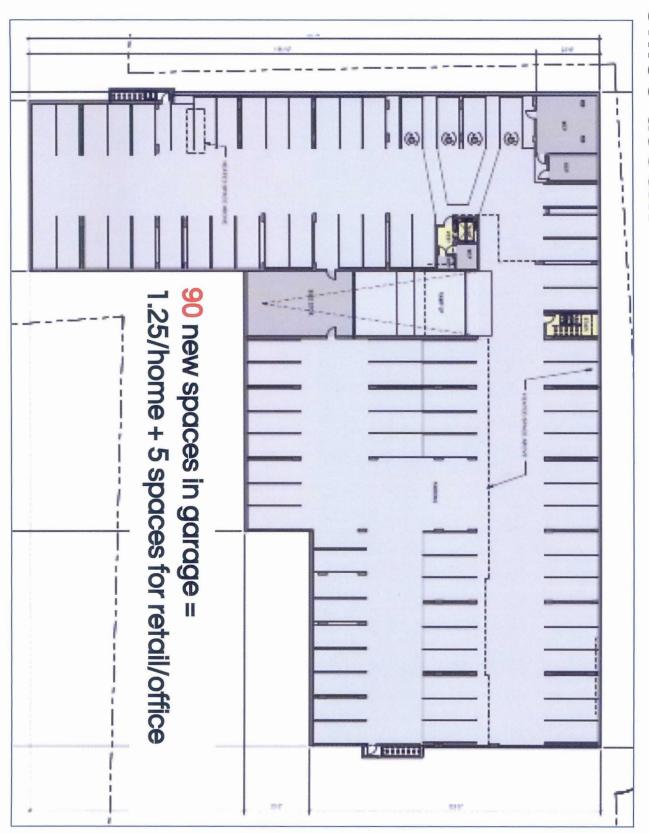
Proposed parking supply increases to 217 spaces after construction at grade and in garage...



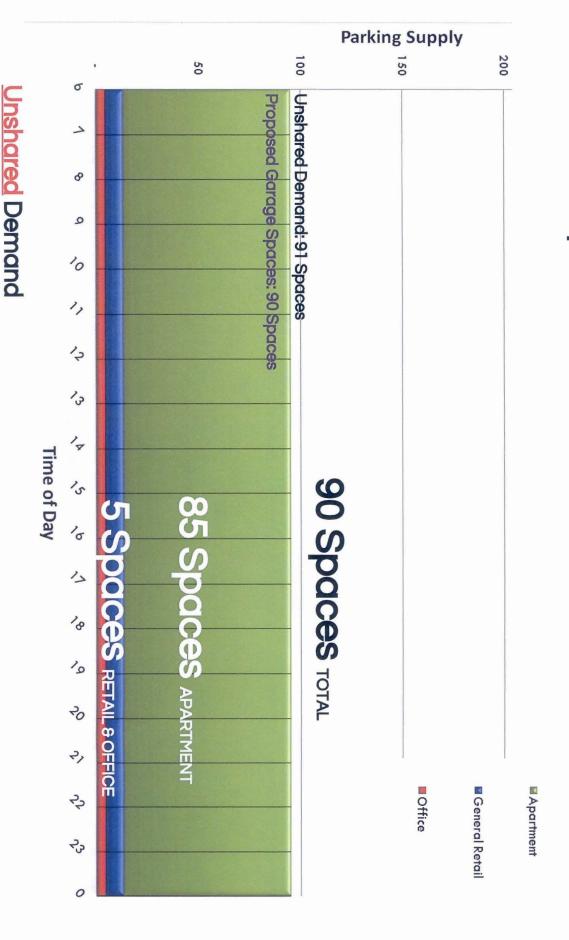
Continue to have 127 municipal spaces at grade – about 50% open and 50% covered...



90 new garage spaces for new residential, retail and office uses...

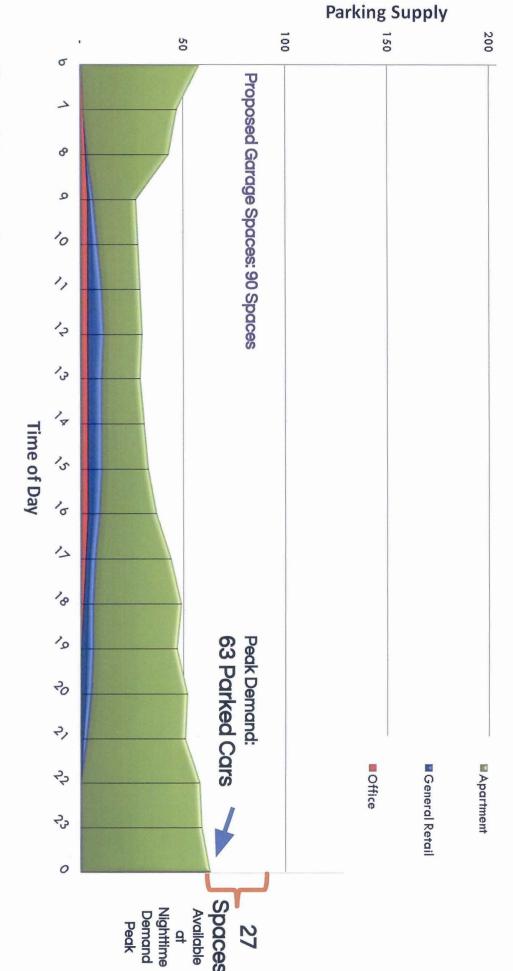


not the best predictor ... predicted ITE *unshared* new demand of 91 spaces... Proposed garage parking of 90 spaces is in line with



Source: Institute of Transportation Engineers

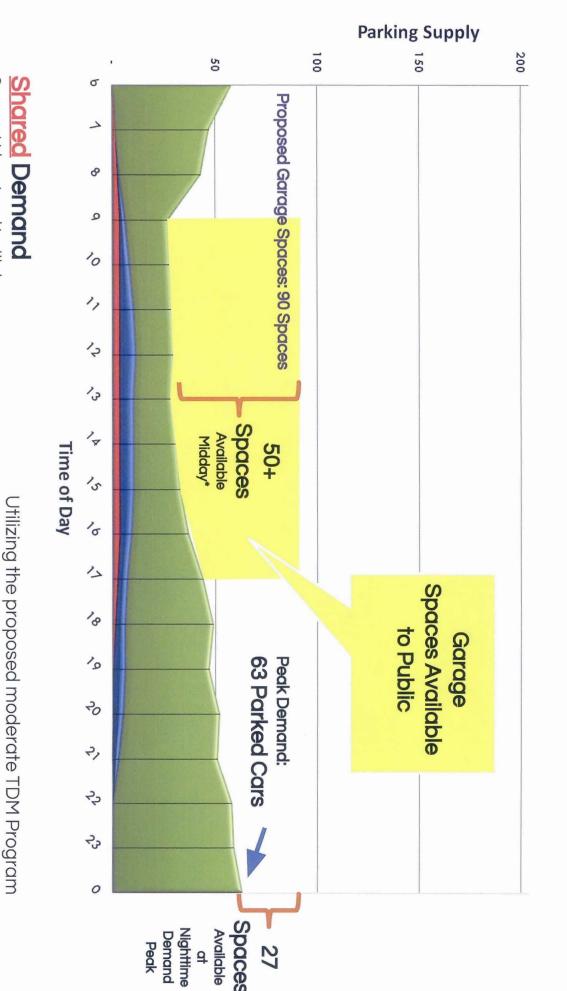
model predicts night demand peak of less than 70 cars... However, ULI's more sophisticated shared demand



Shared Demand
Source: Urban Land Institute

Utilizing the proposed moderate TDM Program and Adjusted for Internal Capture

daytime peak hours for public use at City's rates... And over 50 garage spaces can be made available during



Source: Urban Land Institute

and Adjusted for Internal Capture

during daytime peak hours... Over 177 Public Parking Spaces will be available



Current pre-construction

164 spaces at grade

127 public parking spaces 32 former Newton North 5 under Goodwill truck

...increasing daytime supply by more than 50 spaces -40% increase over pre-construction public parking

Summary

- Very walkable location with good transit options
- New development will add less than one new car a minute to surrounding streets during the peak hours
- Publicly available municipal parking remains 127 spaces
- spaces or 40% New garage will increase peak hour parking availability by 50

