#### **Transform66: Inside the Beltway**

- Result of a multi-year planning that started during the McDonnell Administration
- 2016 compromise reached with General Assembly
  - Convert I-66 to express lanes from 5:30a-9:30a EB and 3:00p-7:00p WB
  - Widening I-66 EB from the Dulles Connector Road to Ballston
     groundbreaking took place last week
  - Re-invest toll revenues in the corridor for improvements recommended by NVTC – \$24M allocated to-date
  - HOV-2 to HOV-3 when 66 Outside the Beltway opens in 2022

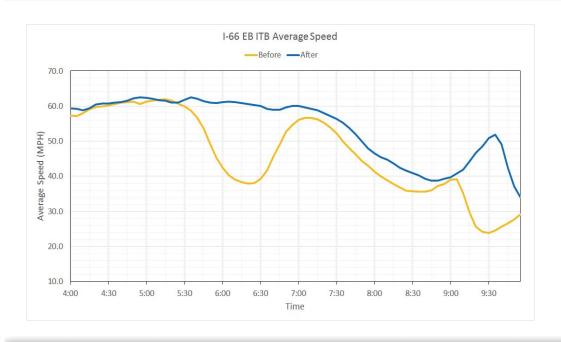
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#### **Transform66: 6-Month Performance Review**

- Morning peak period travel speeds
  - -1-66
  - Parallel arterials
- Evening peak period travel speeds
  - -1-66
  - Parallel arterials
- Toll rates and usage
- Morning shoulder period analysis
- Incidents



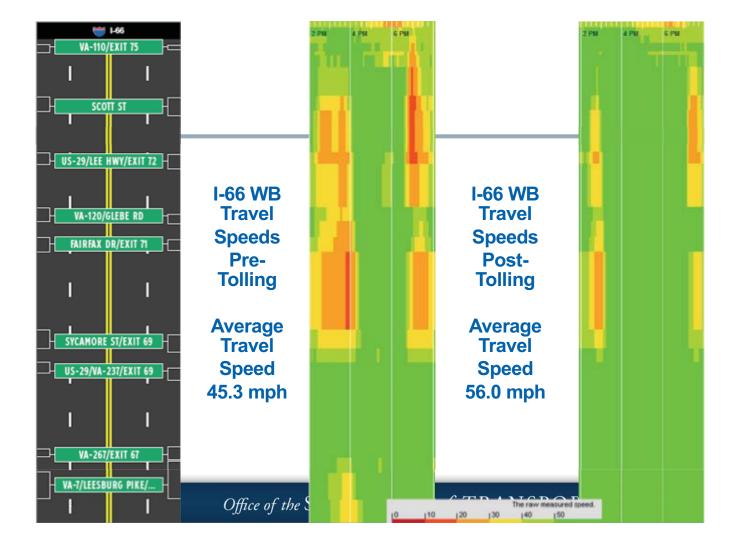
# I-66 Eastbound Average Travel Speeds Pre- and Post-Tolling 6 month comparison



Before 43.8 mph

After 52.6 mph

20.1% increase



# I-66 Westbound PM Average Travel Speeds Pre- and Post-Tolling 6 month comparison



Before 45.3 mph

After 56.0 mph

23.6% increase

### **Toll Rates and Usage**

- \$13.09 average price for round trips
  - \$8.49 average price for eastbound trips
  - \$4.60 average price for westbound trips
- 30,184 average daily vehicle trips
  - 13,688 average daily eastbound trips
  - 16,496 average daily westbound trips
- 43% of trips on average are HOV
  - 49.0% of eastbound trips on average are HOV
  - 37.9% of eastbound trips on average are HOV

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#### **Toll Rates and Usage**

- 0.28% of all toll payers paid more than \$40 during the first six months
- These toll rates are experienced during the height of rush hour between 8am and 9am
- HOV usage peaks between 8am and 9am, and appears to be increasing during this time as well

HOV Penetration	December 2017	May 2018
8:00 – 8:30a	49.3%	59.3%
8:30 – 9:00a	44.9%	54.1%

### **Toll Rates and Usage**

#### **Average Eastbound Toll Paid and HOV Usage**

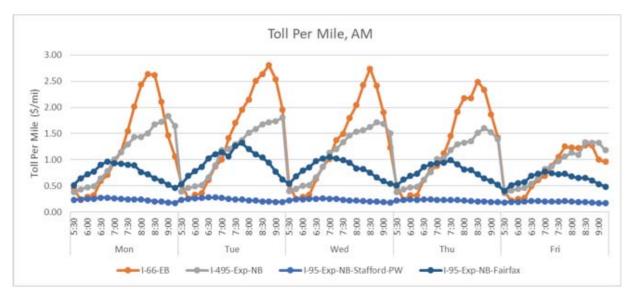
5:30- 6:00	6:00- 6:30		7:00- 7:30	7:30- 8:00		8:30- 9:00	9:00- 9:30
\$2.54	\$2.64	\$5.06	\$7.59	\$11.63	\$14.13	\$13.86	\$8.52
31.4%	34.7%	45.5%	56.5%	59.0%	56.8%	52.2%	38.1%

#### **Average Westbound Toll Paid and HOV Usage**

3:00- 3:30	3:30- 4:00	4:00- 4:30	4:30- 5:00	5:00- 5:30	5:30- 6:00	6:00- 6:30	6:30- 7:00
\$4.34	\$3.92	\$4.32	\$5.17	\$5.36	\$5.67	\$4.71	\$3.67
28.3%	31.2%	39.3%	43.3%	45.4%	45.1%	39.2%	30.3%

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#### Northern Virginia AM Express Lane Toll Rates per Mile



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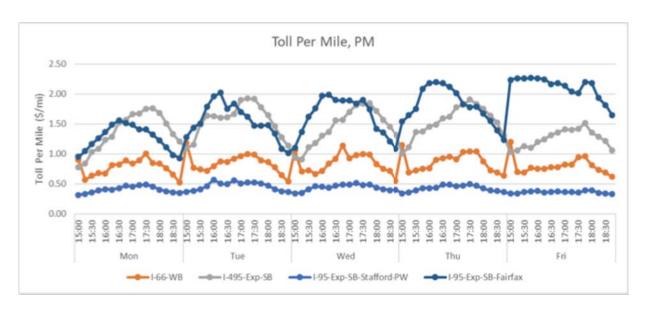
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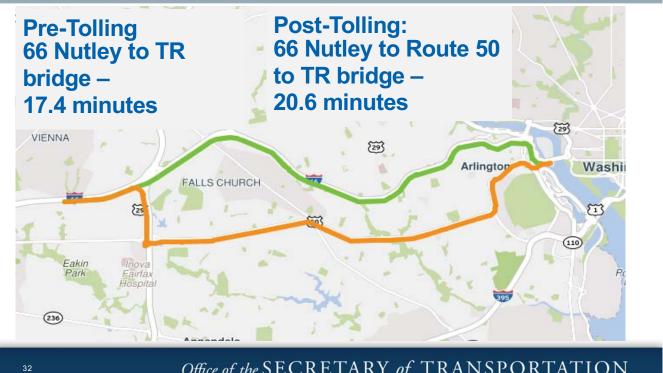
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### Month-to-Month Usage Statistics

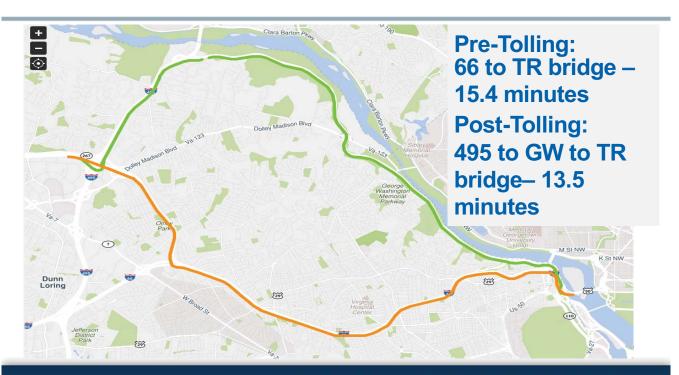
	January	February	March	April	May
EB AM Peak Traffic	12,961	13,958	13,656	14,832	15,340
WB PM Peak Traffic	15,364	16,656	16,447	17,398	18,130
Total Daily HOV Traffic	12,233	13,559	13,101	14,306	14,712

### AM Shoulder Period – 6:00am Travel **Times**



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### AM Shoulder Period – 6:00am Travel **Times**



## Incidents on I-66 Pre- and Post-Tolling 6 month comparison

	Eastb	ound	Westbound		
Time Period	Pre-Tolling	Post- Tolling	Pre-Tolling	Post- Tolling	
Crashes	248 218		164	132	
% Change	12.1% D	ecrease	15.0% D	ecrease	

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#### **Moving Forward**

- Will continue to monitor performance of Express Lanes and parallel routes
  - Seek to identify potential operational improvements
- Construction on new eastbound lane is underway and will be complete in 2020
- VDOT is testing modifications to tolling system to evaluate opportunities to move more people
- Will continue partnership with NVTC to re-invest toll revenues in the corridor