



CEDAR RAPIDS FIXED ROUTE TRANSIT STUDY

PUBLIC MEETING SEPTEMBER 22, 2009

UPSTAIRS (3^{RD} FLOOR) BALLROOM 2

Cedar Rapids Open House



Study Purpose

The goal of the study is to identify potential changes to the current Cedar Rapids fixed route transit system that will improve service to the community and increase ridership.

Open House Agenda

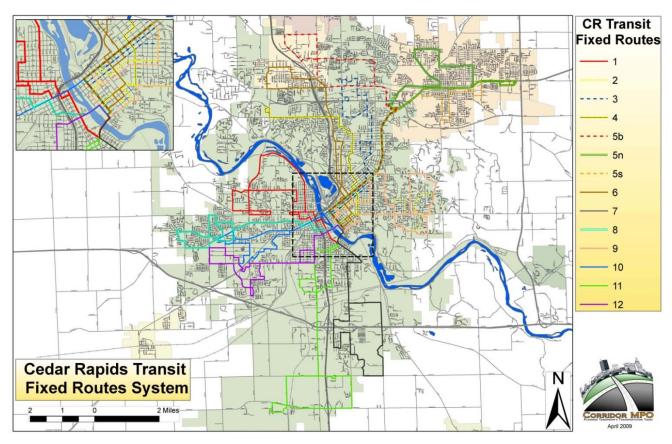
- 1. Introductions
- 2. Study Background
- 3. Transit System Overview
- 4. Initial Observations
- 5. Input on Additional Needs Discussion

Project Schedule

Task	Date	Public Process
1. Review Current System	Aug - Sept	Open House
Contact Stakeholders		- Sept 22 -
2. Propose Routing Options	Sept - Oct	Open House
Review with Public		- TBD -
3. Finalize Plans	Oct - Nov	Open House
Review with Public		- TBD -

Community Survey Findings *Number of Respondents in []

- 75% of respondents supported the addition of a downtown circulator bus service [578]
- **48%** of respondents believe that providing a transportation choice for the community is a the most important reason to provide transit service [332]
- 41% of respondents would consider using transit if service was substantially expanded [770]
- 32% of respondents would consider using transit if a fast commuter service to downtown was offered [770]



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Fixed Route Transit System Overview

Number of Routes: 12 (Route 5 has 3 overlapping routes – 5B, 5N, 5S)

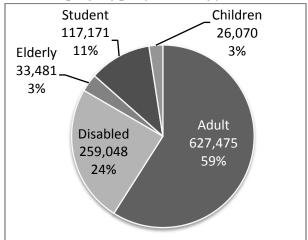
Number of Vehicles in Operation: 39

Number of Annual Passengers (FY 09): 1,156,974

Revenue Miles (FY 09): 901,665

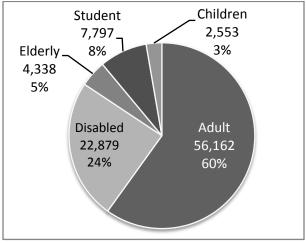
Frequency of Service		
Number of Routes	Route Frequency (Base Interval)	
9	60 min	
2	70 min	
1	90 min	

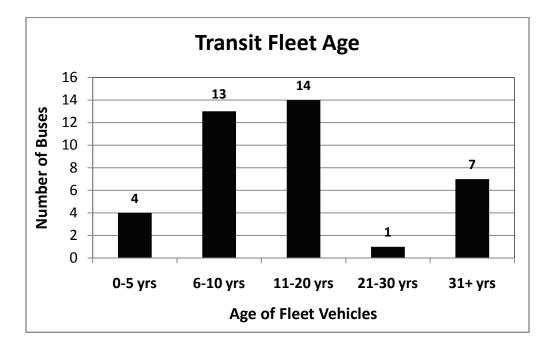
Ridership by Type (Weekday) FY09

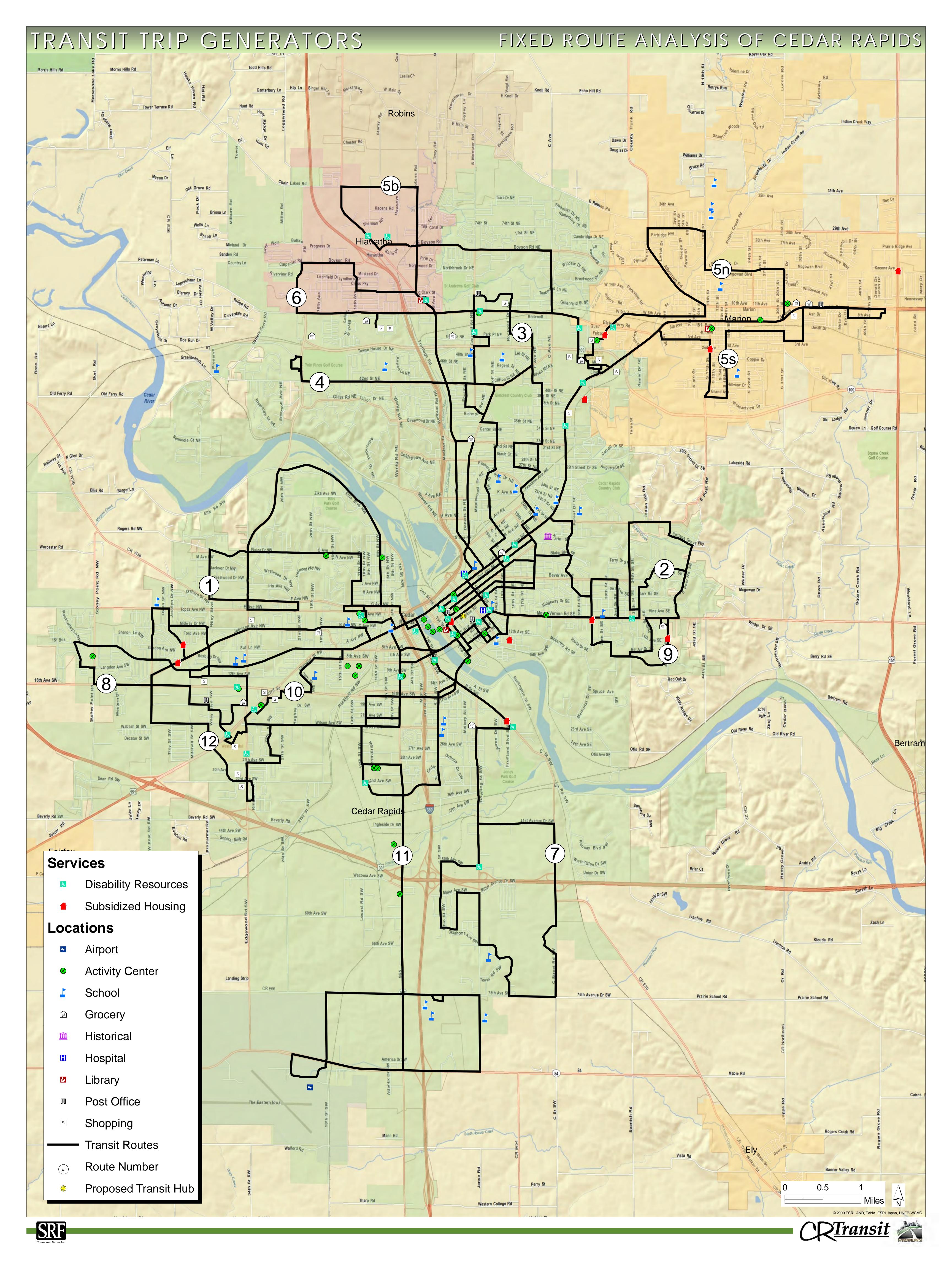


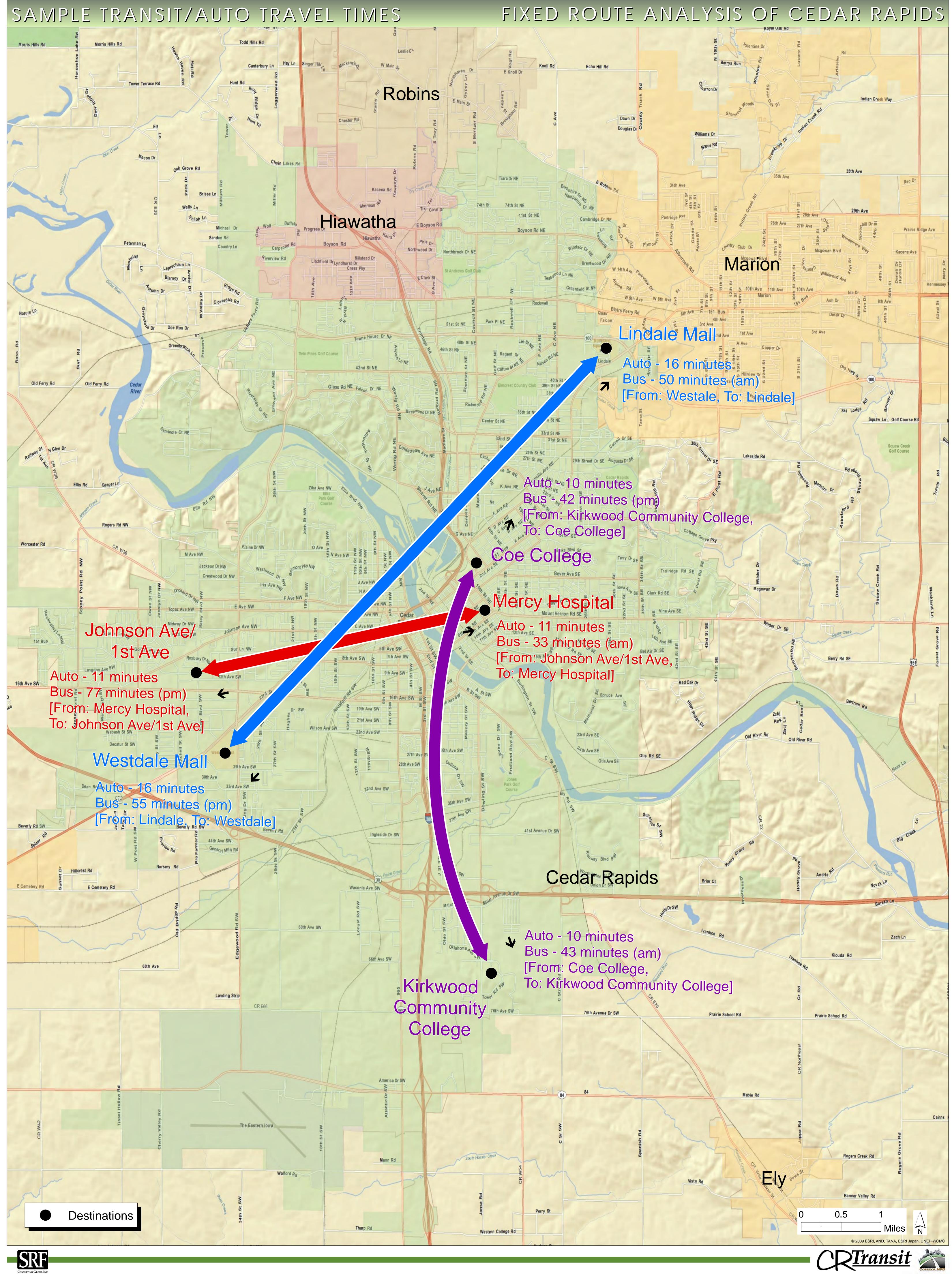
Span of Service			
Day of Week	Service Hours (Departure Times)		
	A.M.	P.M.	
Monday - Friday	5:30	6:40	
Saturday	7:55	4:15	

Ridership by Type (Saturday) FY09



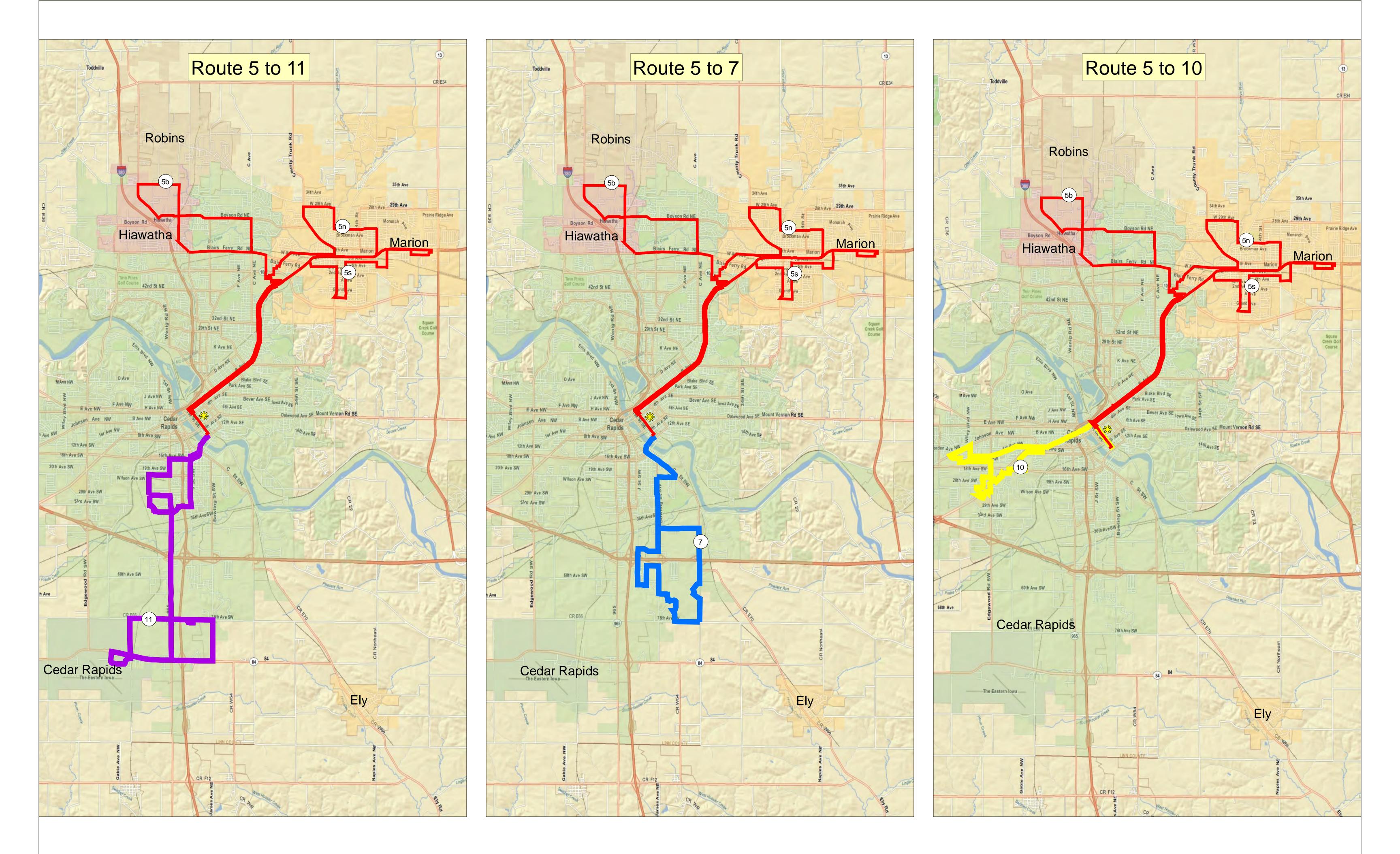


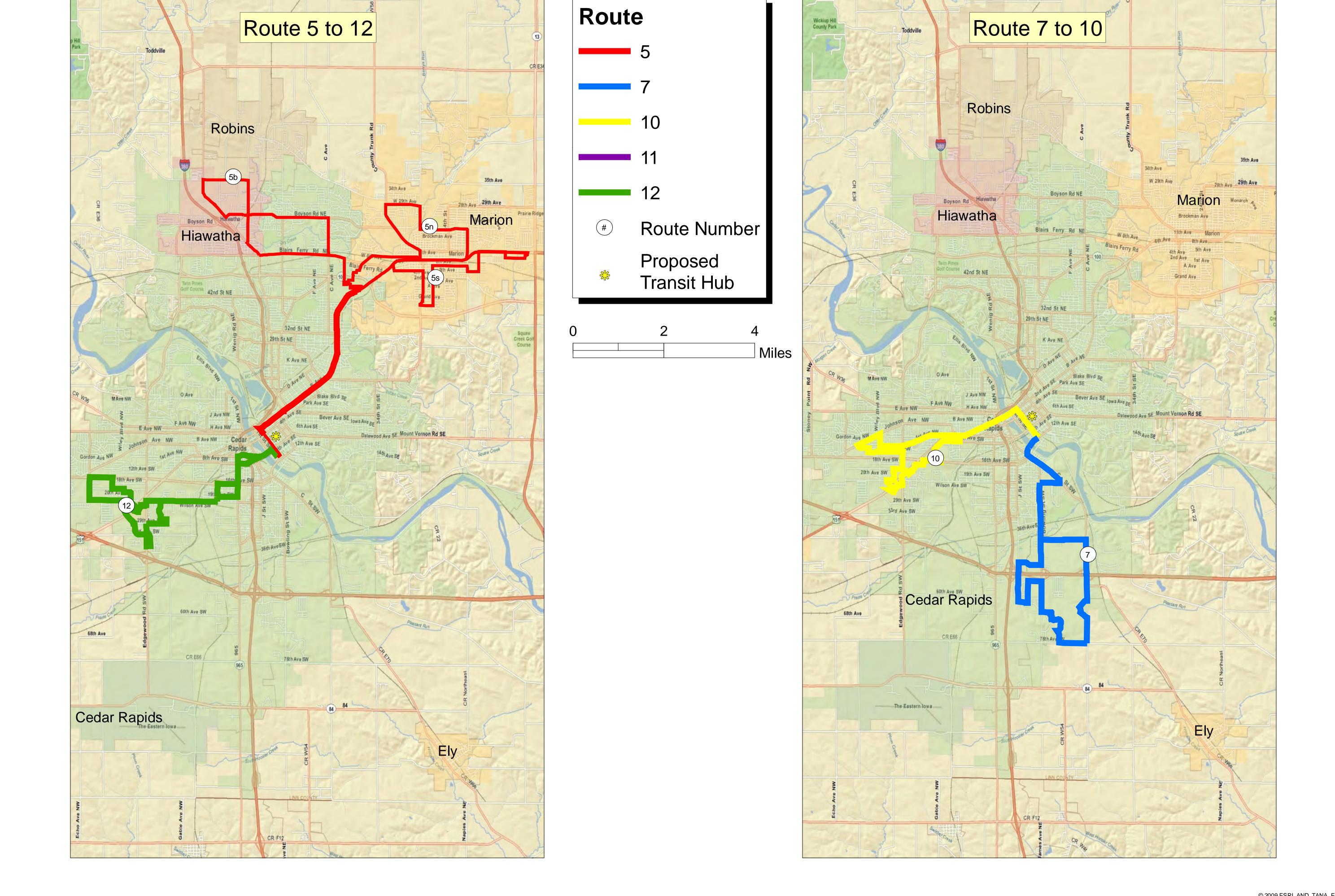






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