



Connecting Transit Service & Affordable Development in Metro Denver, Colorado

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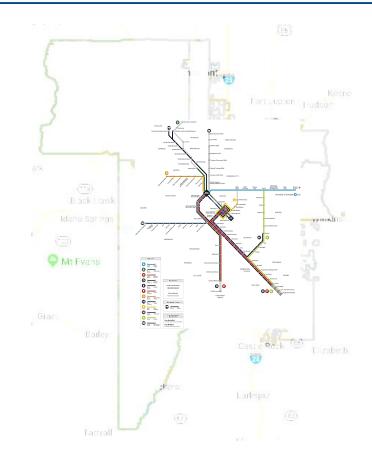


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eTOD in Metro Denver



0.6%

of land area in the Denver and Boulder MSAs is within a halfmile of an RTD station. This area accounted for



24%

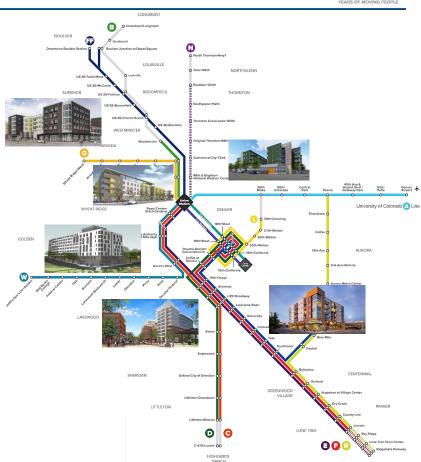
of all **multifamily*** development and



32%

of all **office*** development between 2005 and 2018.

*Excludes DUS, downtown Denver, and Boulder. When DUS, downtown Denver, and Boulder are included, multifamily equals 43% and office equals 55%.







eTOD in Metro Denver: The Good

Partnership & Coordination

Financial Support

Policy Alignment







eTOD in Metro Denver: The Bad

Partnership & Coordination

Capital Deployment / Absorption

Political Support









eTOD in Metro Denver: The Ugly (and the Unknown)

Municipal (e)TOD Support

The Joneses

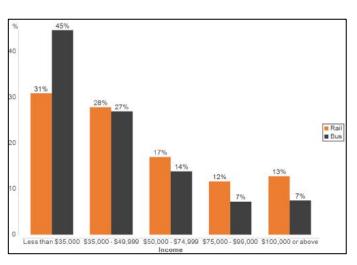
Reimagine RTD (and beyond)

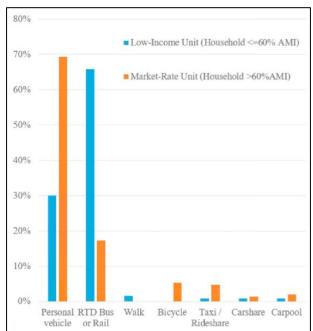


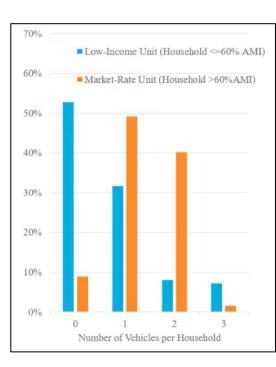




eJD in Metro Denver: The Imperative for RTD











Thank You!

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