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The 2013 Annual Service Plan supports the 2012–2016 Five-Year Service Plan and builds on the successes of 2012.

Vision 2051 includes a statement relating to the development of Infrastructure for a Growing Region, which states that:

York Region is committed to providing state-of-the-art infrastructure for both residents and businesses, which are vital to maintaining and improving quality of life and economic competitiveness. These include transit, streets, water, wastewater, waste management.

The 2013 Annual Service Plan continues to support specific actions identified in the 2012–2016 Five-Year Service Plan including:

- Making transit accessible
- Continuing to improve service and infrastructure for successfully integrated transit service
- Developing an optimal mix of transit service types
- Promoting transit usage as a practical and wise alternative to private vehicle use

The 2013 Annual Service Plan has been prepared with extensive consultation and feedback from the public, municipalities and transit stakeholders. In the fall of 2012, YRT/Viva will provide the final 2013 Annual Service Plan initiatives to all local municipal Councils.

In early 2013, staff will begin preparing for the 2014 Annual Service Plan in accordance with YRT/Viva's Service Planning and Stakeholder consultation process.

The 2014 and 2015 Annual Service Plans will focus on:

- On-time performance
- Route realignment to strengthen the grid network and support the future rapidways and Spadina Subway extension
- VivaNext and Spadina Subway construction mitigation
- Matching service to meet demand