Parking and System Access

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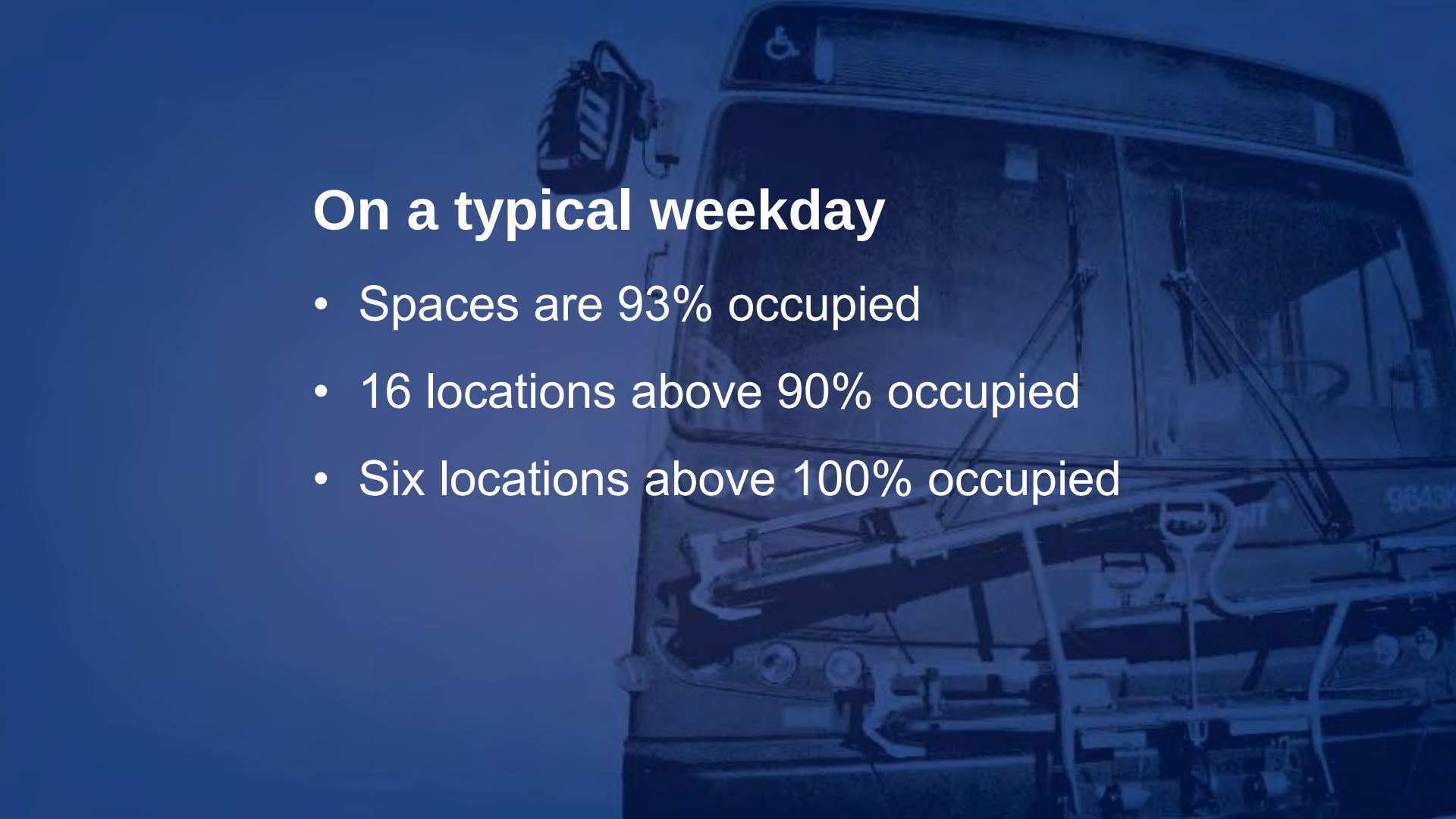
Sound Transit plans, builds and operates high-capacity transit and supportive services, including 21 parking facilities with over 11,000 parking spaces.



On a typical weekday

- Spaces are 93% occupied
- 16 locations above 90% occupied
- Six locations above 100% occupied

Managing existing parking

- Coordination with regional partners
- Parking management pilot in 2014
- HOV permits launched in 2016 ($5/month with verified ridership)
- SOV permits anticipated in 2017 (price TBD)
- Parking management in ST3

Building new parking

- 7,000 more stalls under ST2
  - Four new facilities
  - Nine expanded facilities
- 8,000+ additional stalls if ST3 passes

Access investments

- Land use and transit-oriented development
- Transit integration
- Bicycle and pedestrian improvements
- Under ST3:
  - Non-motorized access allowance
  - System access fund
  - Bus-rail integration facilities
  - Passenger amenities at stations

Key next steps

- Coordinating with regional partners
- Managing existing investments
- Expanding access capacity

Thank you.

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