

**Boost affordable housing supply**



**Stopping a climate catastrophe**



**Less to build or maintain than highways**



**Go anywhere... without a car**



## The Grand Trunk Rail stakeholders in the Old Port

- Casco Bay Ferries
- Courtyard Marriott
- Covetrus
- Hampton Inn & Suites
- Portland District Court
- Shipyards Brewing
- Sun Life Financial
- Tilson
- WEX



### *Take a look*

- Maps of the entire project  
<http://bit.ly/GTRailMaps>
- Detail of the Portland service area  
[http://bit.ly/GTRail\\_PWMArea](http://bit.ly/GTRail_PWMArea)

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# THE Grand Trunk RAIL

- workforce housing • carbon neutrality
- economic development •
- congestion reduction

*Hybrid-Electric  
public commuter railroad  
linking Maine's 2 largest downtowns  
Lewiston to Portland*

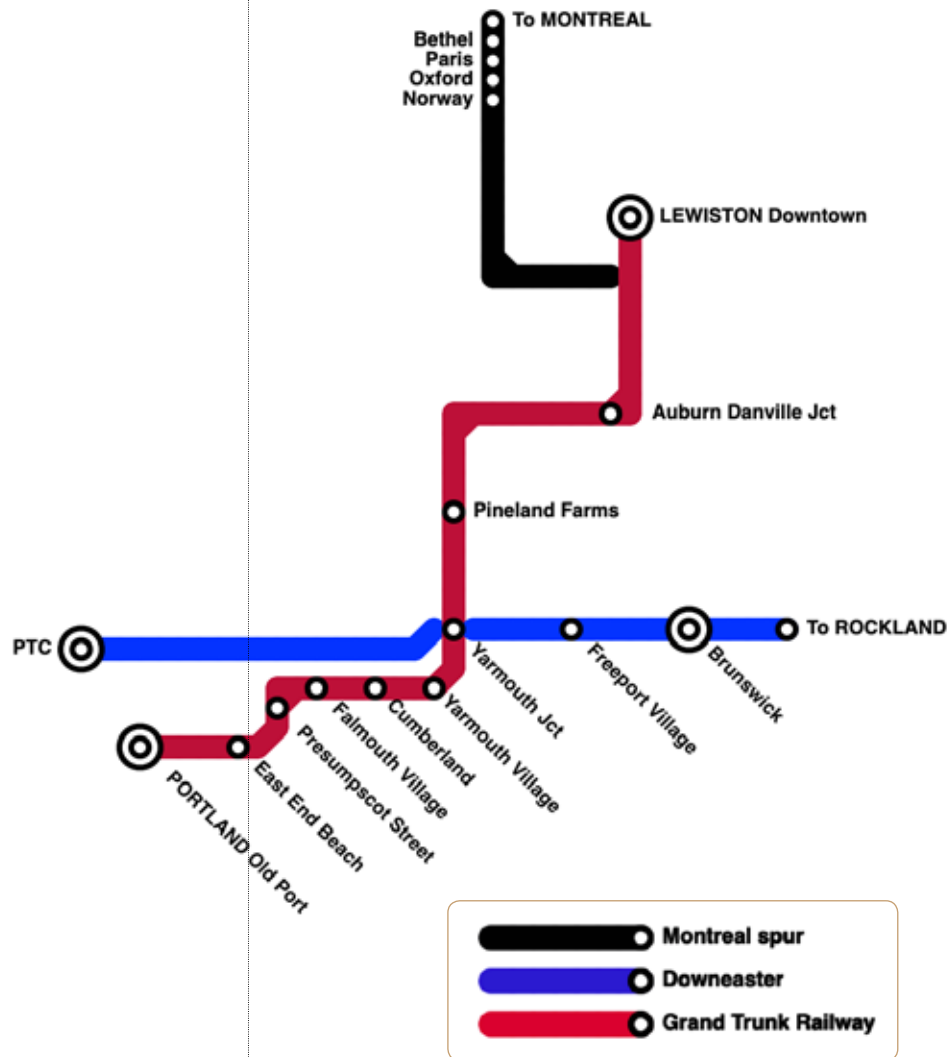


State-owned. Fully designed.  
Downtown to downtown.  
Public-private.

## The Grand Trunk Commuter Railroad Lewiston to Portland

*Projected capacity: 5,000 riders  
per day Monday-Friday*

- LEWISTON
- AUBURN - Danville Jct
- PINELAND FARMS
- YARMOUTH JCT
- YARMOUTH VILLAGE
- CUMBERLAND
- FALMOUTH VILLAGE
- PRESUMPCOT STREET
- EAST END BEACH
- PORTLAND - Old Port



*“We can’t pave our way out of climate change, and The Old Port shouldn’t be a monument to parking garages.”*

**Tony Donovan**

Portland real estate developer

## WORKFORCE SOLUTION

### *Boost affordable housing supply*

Are your people able to get to work affordably, on time, and in shape? Priced out of Portland? Public rail can move 5,000 people a day between Maine’s 2 largest downtowns.

## CARBON NEUTRAL

### *Stopping a climate catastrophe*

Maine will become carbon neutral by 2045. Taking single-passenger commuters out of CO2-emitting cars and off paved roadways will get us there faster and help The Pine Tree State breathe easier.

## AFFORDABLE INFRASTRUCTURE

### *Less to build or maintain than highways*

When we embarked on the great railway era in the U.S., projects were bonded over a 100-year term to ensure viability. While some bonding will be required, federal money, grants and private capital will underwrite most of the cost.

## MULTI MODAL COMMUNITIES

### *Go anywhere... without a car*

WITH LINKS TO ferries and cruise ships at Ocean Gateway, ride sharing, taxis, scooters, e-bikes, trails and more, *Grand Trunk Rail* travels from city to sea to farm, presenting innovative tourism options while bringing staff to work and tourists to destinations downtown cost-efficiently.