# The DBOM Approach – Planning for the Long Term

#### **Topics of Discussion**

- 1. System Overview
- 2. Challenges
- 3. Solutions





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#### **Key Facts**

- 1. Design-Build-Operate-Maintain (DBOM) Finance too!
- 2. Three FRA-regulated commuter rail lines 36 miles
- 3. Class 4 Track Up to 79 MPH
- 4. 115 RE rail and APTA 240 Wheel Profile





## Challenges

#### **Operations and Maintenance**

- 1. Short Non-revenue Work Windows 2-4 hours
- 2. Level Boarding
- 3. Lump Sum 29-year Budget for "Renewals"



### **Solutions**

#### **Operations and Maintenance**

- 1. Never Too Early to Maintain Lubrication and Grinding
- 2. Level Boarding Distribute Allowances for Rail and Wheel Wear
- 3. Planning, Planning and Planning





## **Thank You!**

