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# Streetcar IS...

Designed to serve as  
urban circulator



## Typical Urban Circulator

- shorter routes serving downtown & adjoining neighborhoods
- operates in mixed traffic
- more frequent service, smaller vehicles
- quick “on” and “off” the vehicle
- riders take shorter trips





# Not just a transportation tool...

...an urban  
economic strategy

Portland, OR



After streetcar

Before streetcar





## Seeking better-designed communities...



...served by, and organized around transit



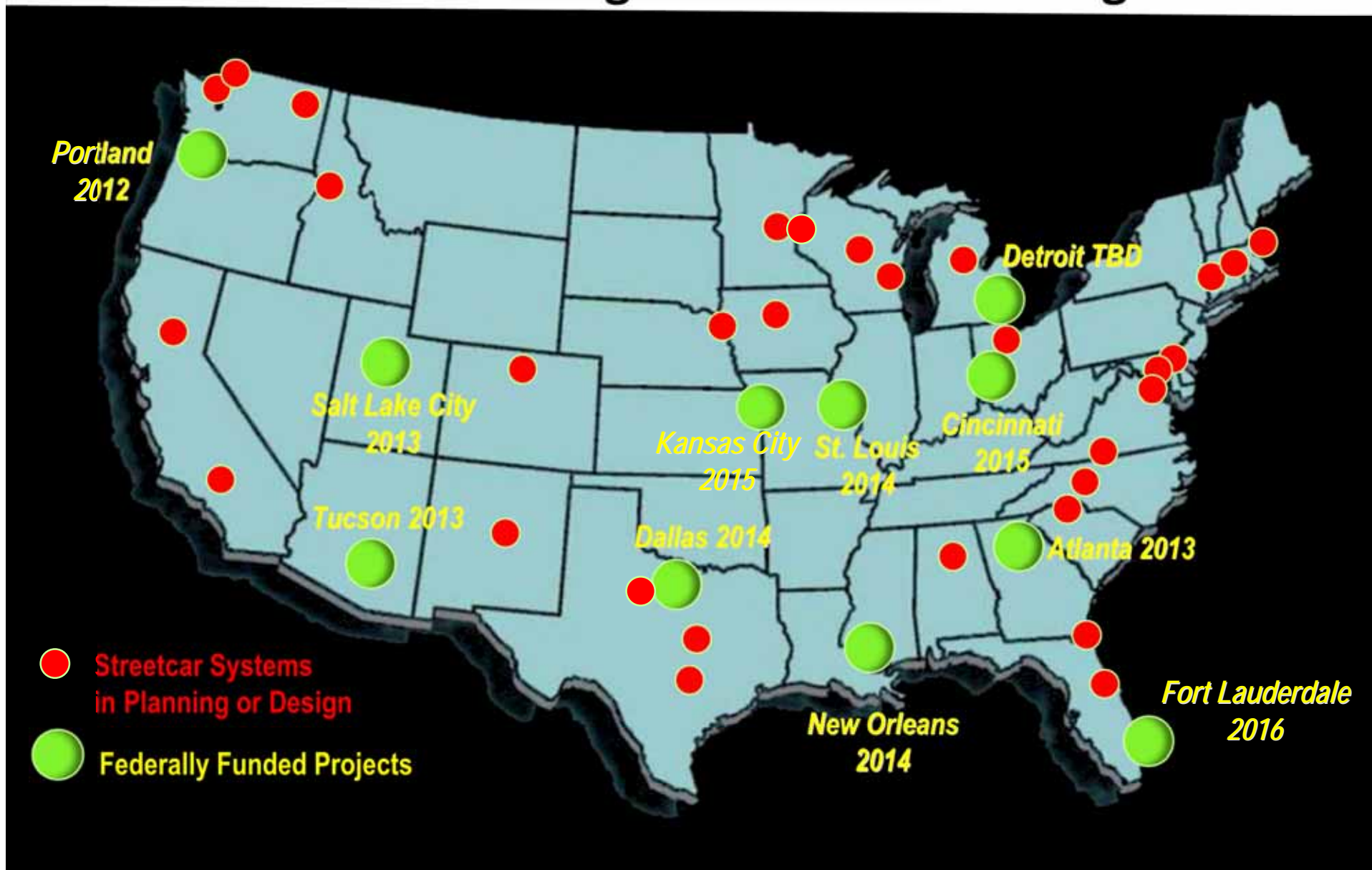
# U.S. Streetcar Systems in Operation (Modern and Vintage)







# U.S. Streetcars Advancing with Federal Funding





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- Bill Cross, South Florida Regional Transportation Authority  
Fort Lauderdale Wave Streetcar
- Shiraz Tangri, Los Angeles Streetcar, Inc.  
Historic Downtown Los Angeles Streetcar
- Sherri McIntyre, City of Kansas City, MO  
Kansas City Downtown Streetcar

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