

CUTRIC National Smart Vehicle Demonstration Project

Canadian Urban Transit Research and Innovation Consortium (CUTRIC)
Consortium de recherche et d'innovation en transport urbain au Canada (CRITUC)

CUTRIC Vision & Pillars of Innovation

To make Canada a **global leader in low-carbon smart mobility technology innovation** across light-duty and heavy-duty platforms, including advanced transit, transportation, and integrated mobility applications.

Pillar #1



Zero-emissions & low-carbon propulsion systems with fueling & charging system integration

Pillar #2



“Smart” vehicles and “smart” infrastructure

Pillar #3



Big data advanced mobility

Pillar #4



Cybersecurity in mobility

Project Overview

The National Smart Vehicle Demonstration Project will integrate fully autonomous, connected, low-speed, electrified vehicles shuttles (e-LSA) in up to 12 Canadian municipal jurisdictions

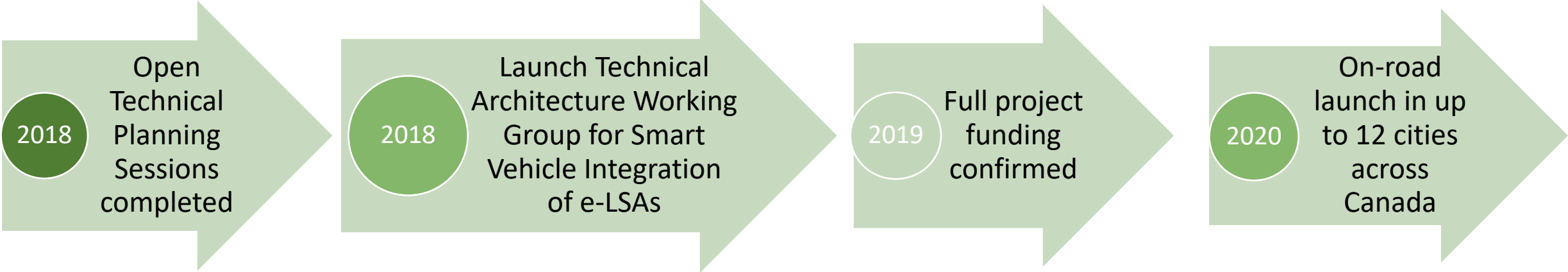
First-mile/last-mile applications

Standardized V2V and V2I communication protocols

Standardized cybersecurity protocols

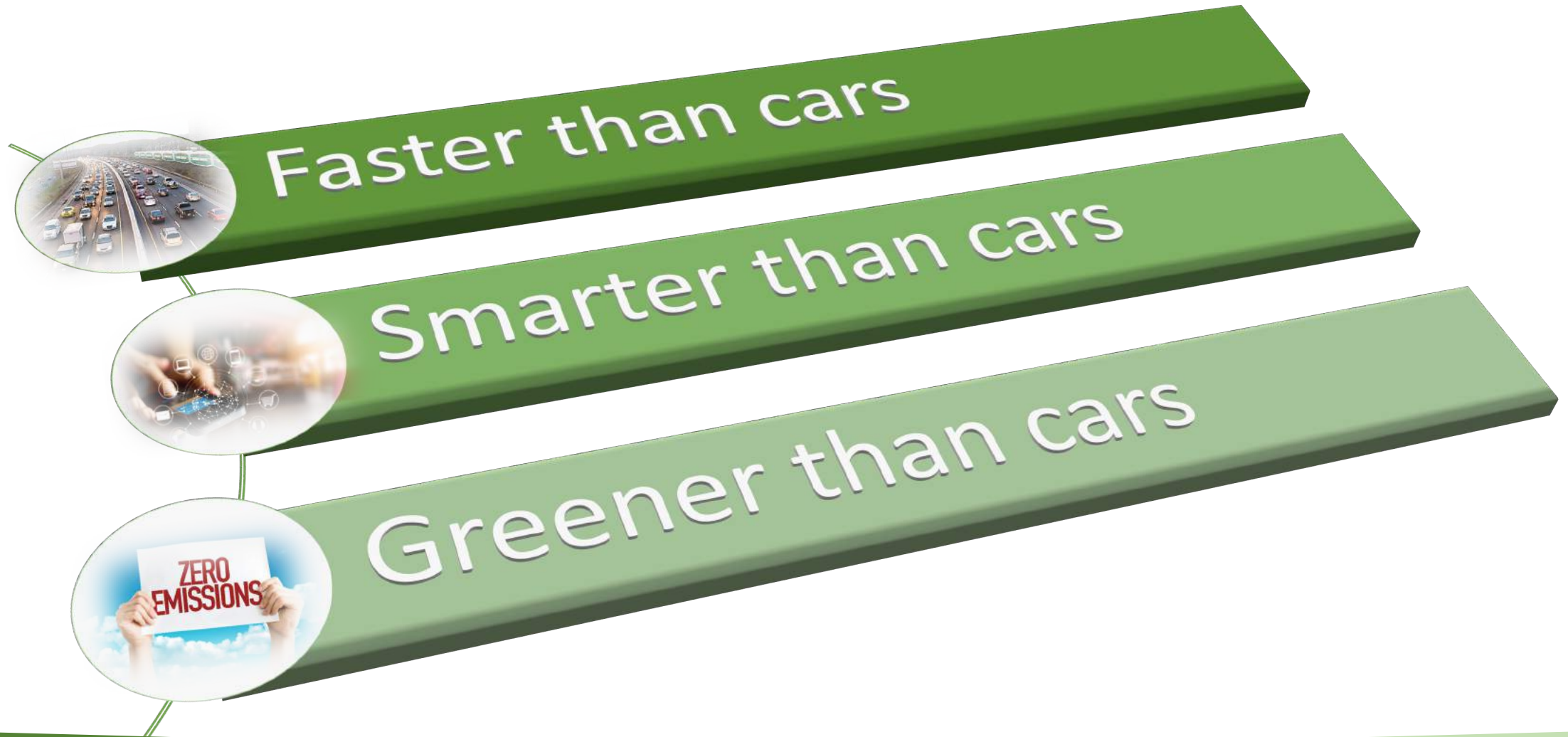
Interoperability of e-LSA manufacturer equipment

Project Timeline



Smart Mobility is Shared Mobility

Not always “transit”, but should be more frequently than not



So, what's the purpose of a municipally-led AV/CV trial?



Is the City trying to improve shared mobility?

- Reduce congestion?
- Improve productivity?
- Reduce emissions?



Or, is the City inadvertently (or explicitly) supporting the launch and integration of luxury car products without a focus on 21st century urban design challenges?

Discombobulated policy goals and often no feasible technology innovation goals are driving municipal and (sometimes) provincial policy making vis-à-vis AV-CV technologies across Canada

Project Scope & Vision

- **Twelve Cities:**
 - Vancouver, Calgary, Edmonton, Winnipeg, York Region, Burlington, London, Windsor, Toronto, Montreal, Trois-Rivières, Halifax
- **Cost per city:** \$1.5 million - \$2 million
- **Number of vehicles per route:** 3 e-LSAs
- **Number of OEMs:** Minimum 2 OEM products per route
- **Route length:** ~1 km
- **Transit service option:** No current bus services

Total project cost is estimated at **\$30-40 Million (2019-2021)**

AV Systems and Solutions



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- Computer that merges data from sensor architecture:
 - Lidars
 - Cameras
 - Radars
 - GPS RTK
 - IMU
 - Odometry



EASYMILE Fleet Management Software

- Drives up to 45 km/h
- Carries up to 15 passengers
- In-built access ramp
- Fixed or on-demand route
- Supervised by EasyMile's fleet management software
- Requires no additional road infrastructure

AV Systems and Solutions



2GetThere – Automated People Mover Shuttle

- 24 passengers
- Speeds of 60 km/hr
- Can serve short connections (<1.5 km) or long connections (<12 km)
- Costs 50-70% of traditional APM systems



FP Innovations – PIT Group

- Developed a four season mini-transit autonomous shuttle
- Opportunity charging system
- Fully integrated with mass transit
- V2V & V2I communication

General Project Goals

- 1) Position transit within the development of **Smart Cities**
- 2) Explore opportunities for **public transit** as they relate to **technology-enabled mobility services**
- 3) Support the **adaptation of policies and regulations** for the testing and deployment of “smart” vehicles and e-LSAs in dedicated laneways
- 4) **Demonstrate GHG reduction** (not GHG augmentation) from “smart” vehicle integration in municipal communities



Specific Project Goals

1) Consolidate fragmented ad hoc municipal “smart” vehicle pilots; **coordinate municipal goals**

2) Focus on **shared mobility** and generate first/last-mile solutions for transit stops $400\text{m} < x < 1 \text{ km}$ from the final destination

3) Integrate **standardized communications protocols** to support competitively manufactured vehicle systems

4) Integrate a **standardized cybersecurity protocol** across all cities engaged in the project



CUTRIC-led National Technical Architecture Working Group for Smart Vehicle Integration of e-LSAs Across Municipal Jurisdictions (2018-2019)

Current Industry Stakeholders

BOMBARDIER
the evolution of mobility

THALES

 **S2E technologies**

NAVYO

EASY MILE



ABB

NEW FLYER

 **Pantero**

FPInnovations



 **Pantonium**

NOVA BUS
Driven by your city

2getthere

 **LeddarTech®**



PHANTOM INTELLIGENCE
Focused on people



KARSAN

BAE SYSTEMS
INSPIRED WORK

escrypt
Embedded Security by ETAS

PWTransit Canada 
safely home


cradlepoint

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TEST AND RESEARCH CENTRE

Municipalities & Academic Members



Academic Members (Academic Advisory Committee)



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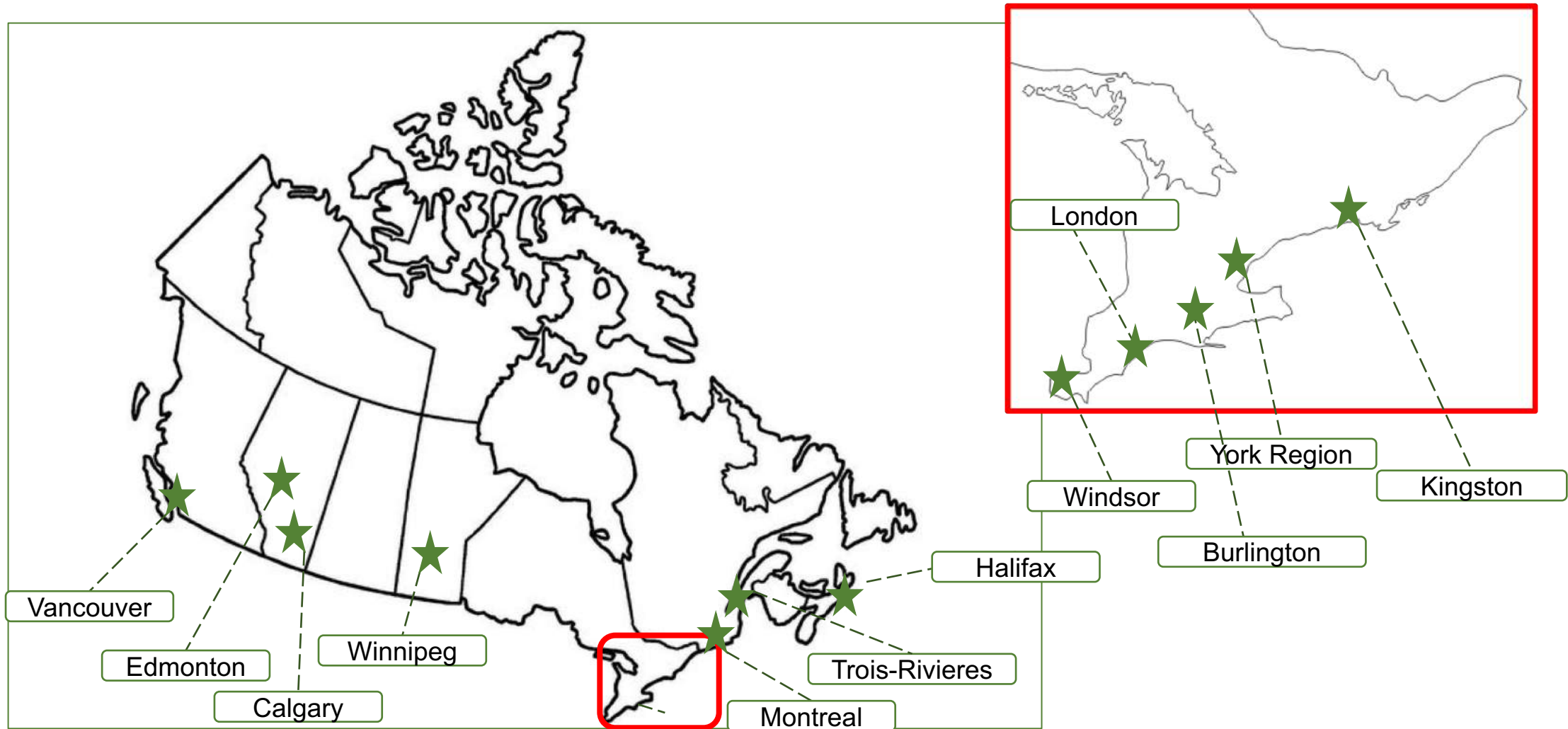


University
of **Windsor**



UNIVERSITY OF
ALBERTA

Possible Demonstration Sites in Canada



Next Steps

Technical Planning Session 5

Wednesday, June 20th, 2018 (ABB, Montréal)

*Only open to CUTRIC members

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