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Go to a retro idea... electric buses... have the lightrail crossing be used by lightrail and electric busses, obvious signal issues... The idea is to promote vehicles that produce less greenhouse gasses. The urban transportation system should be included in this... We could have a dual use crossing here by designing for lightrail and busses. Either the bridge designed for buses/lightrail or the buses to use the train tracks by ramping down onto the tracks to an internal rail wheel and ramp back up off the tracks. This might make it easier to pass the Washington voters if a bus option went over this section of bridge too... Don't know...