

## Transit Shelters

### **General Description:**

Transit Shelters are structures that protect passengers waiting for transit service to arrive. A Transit Status Sign may be integrated into the shelter to provide information to riders.

### **Effects of Solution:**

- ☑ Increase Passenger Convenience and Satisfaction
- ☑ Increase Roadway Capacity
- ☑ Manage System Efficiency
- ☑ Reduce Local Demand (reduces vehicular demand)



### **Costs/Financial Information:**

There are many fabricators that make and distribute transit shelters. The cost of a basic shelter is around \$5,000 with larger and customized units costing much more. It may also cost additional money to create the base for the shelter, and connect it to sidewalks, etc. (Cost/financial information, where noted, is based on 2005 dollars. Cost/financial information is estimated, and will vary based on size and scope of project, number of units, etc.)



### **Additional Resources:**

- DuPage County, Illinois Transit Shelter Program  
[www.co.dupage.il.us/transit/generic.cfm?doc\\_id=1037](http://www.co.dupage.il.us/transit/generic.cfm?doc_id=1037)