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METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLAN



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Recap Vision and Goals



The MVMPO envisions a multi-modal transportation system that is safe, equitable, accessible, sustainable, costeffective and ensures our region is livable for people today and in the future.





Goals

Significantly Reduce Severe and Fatal Injuries Improve Transportation Mode Share Balance Ensure Environmental Sustainability Promote Economic Vitality Ensure Equitable Access Advance Resilient Networks Maintain a State of Good Repair Support Compact Land Use and Attainable Housing





Review Objectives



Improve safety of the most vulnerable road users.

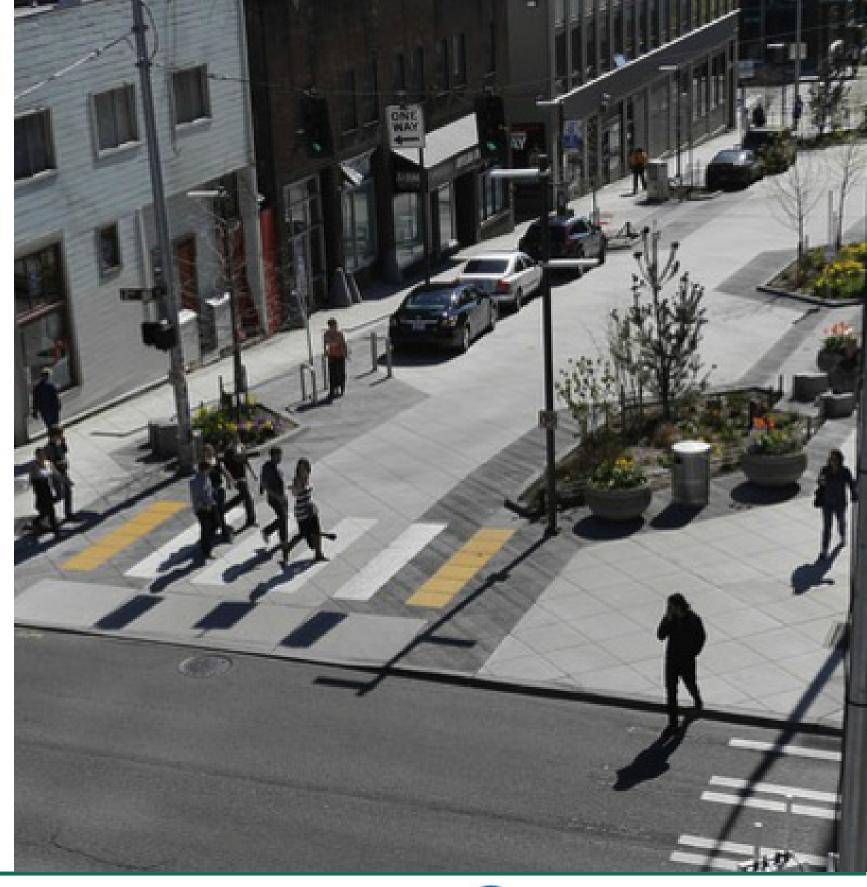
Significantly Reduce Severe and Fatal Injuries

Reduce the design speed of vehicular traffic in high pedestrian and bicycle areas.

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Adopt a safe systems approach to addressing rising rates of serious injuries and fatalities.





Increase projects that include addition or improvement of sidewalks and bike lanes.

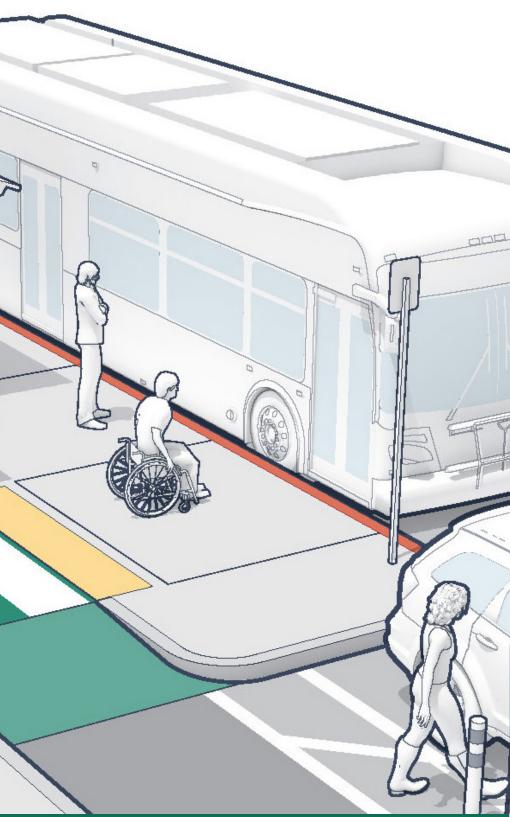
Improve Transportation Mode Share Balance

Make connections to regional and non-regional destinations through off-road shared-use paths

Improve multimodal connections along transit corridors.

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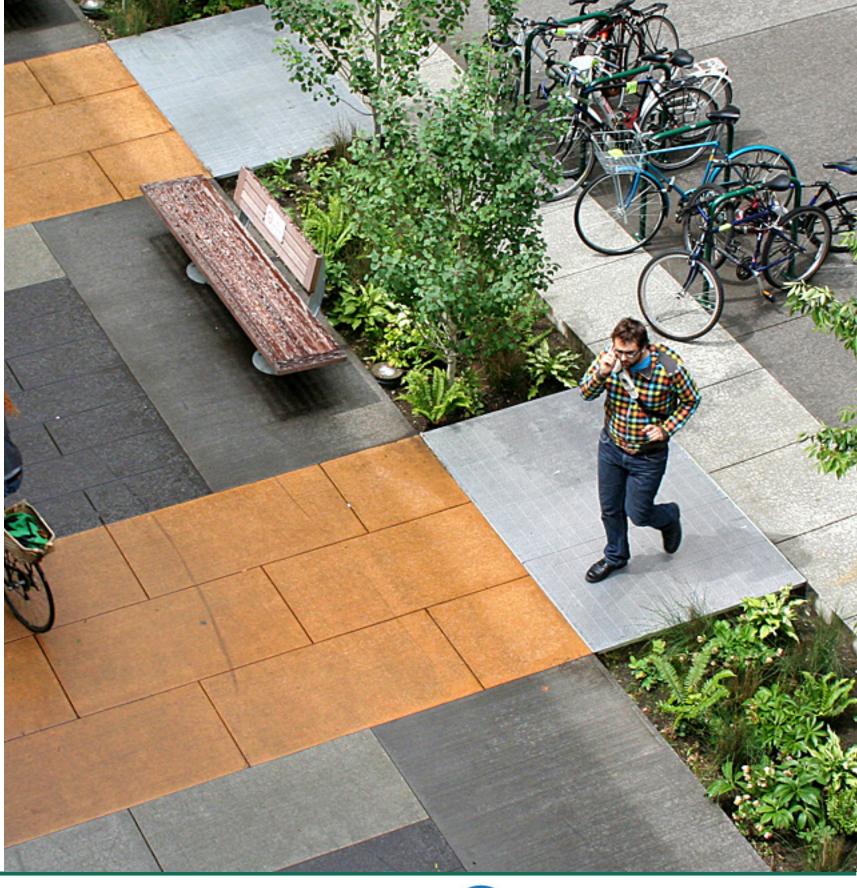
Increase projects that include green infrastructure.

Ensure Environmental Sustainability

Reduce vehicle miles traveled (VMT) across all communities

Improve regional air quality.

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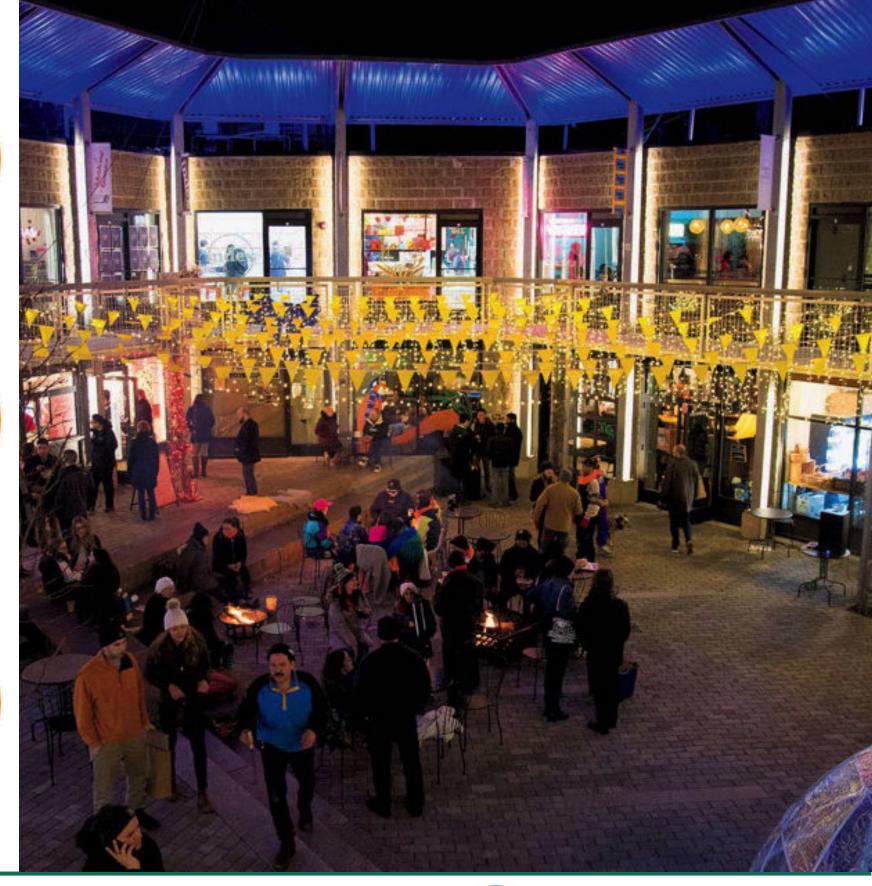
Improve multimodal access to jobs, tourist destinations, and commercial cores.

Promote Economic Vitality

Improve walkability and bikeability of regional downtowns and tourist destinations.

Improve multi-modal movement of freight.

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Improve multimodal access in REJ+ Neighborhoods.

Ensure Equitable Access to Our Transportation Network

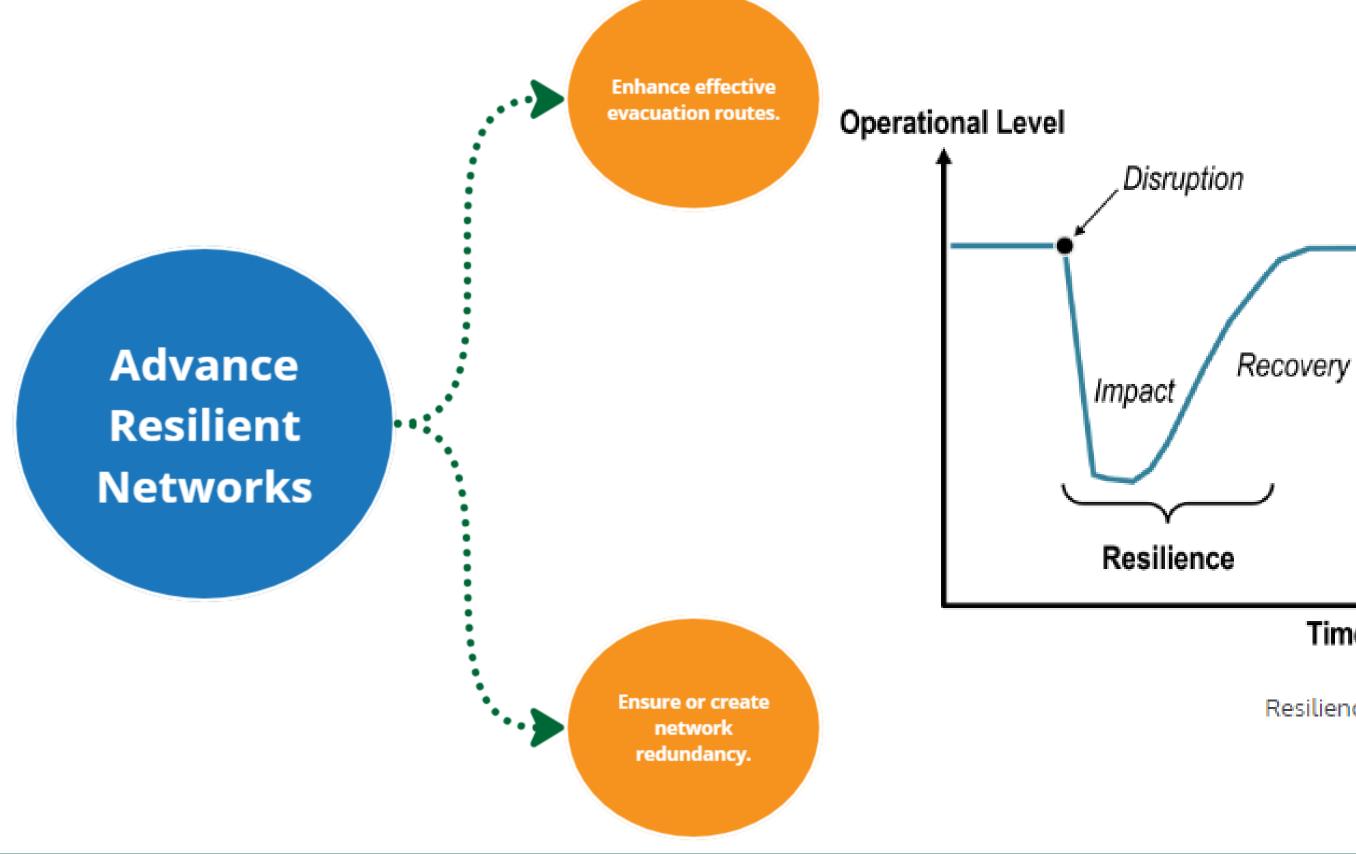
Remove barriers to participation in **MVMPO decision** making process.

Increase transportation planning and investment in REJ+ communities.

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Time

Resilience of Transportation Systems



80% of all Federal Aid roadways will be maintained at good or greater condition.

Support Strategic State of Good Repair

80% of all pedestrian and bicycle infrastructure at good or greater condition.

Maintain and modernize transit capital assets.





Improve multimodal access in MBTA communities' neighborhoods.

Support Compact Land Use and Attainable Housing

> Create multimodal access in areas with a greater housing density and mixed-use districts.

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Explore Strategies to be Implemented Over 25 Years





Develop a High Injury Network (HIN) to inform safety efforts for future planning efforts.	Prioritize closing gaps identified in Active Transportation Plan	Include green infrastructure component into TIP Project scoring system.	Explore façade improvement program.	Develop a reconnecting communities analysis.	col
Execute strategies identified in vision zero action plan.	Level of Comfort Analysis of active transportation network.	Deemphasize auto capacity enhancement related projects.	Public spaces and passage ways planning program.	Including REJ+ component in TIP Project Scoring system.	Vul
Participate and be a resource for Vision Zero Advocates and Committees	Develop a wayfinding plan for the region.	Green Street analysis and planting plan.	Study of transit travel time and vehicular travel time	Monitor REJ+ mapping and analysis program.	
Prioritize Federal Aid on projects and programs identified in our SS4A program.	Plan for transit capacity improvements: Que Jumps, Signal Priority, Dedicated Bike Lanes.	Study of free MeVa bus service.	Potential trip analysis using Rail Vision Plan.	Include REJ+ neighborhoods in the programmed planning efforts.	
Incentive and support local technical assistance that supports traffic calming.	Bus Stop Plan for MeVa Service.	Execute Bike Parking assessment	Update PPP to balance resource use to encourage meaningful engagement.	Prioritize pavement management in REJ+ neighborhood.	Pr mu

Identify critical transportation corridors vulnerable to climate change.

Engage municipalities to identify pavement management needs.

Coordinate with Municipal ulnerability Planning efforts.

Study walkability of MBTA communities neighborhoods.

Create a trail condition study.

Analysis of transportation related barriers to creating housing.

Update Sidewalk condition analysis.

Prioritize projects that support the implementation of housing and mixeduse neighborhoods.

Prioritize pavement management of nultimodal corridors. Develop next generation of RSA to support public life and pedestrian activity.

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Develop Comprehensive Study of Public Spaces to Support Public Life and Pedestrian Activity.

Develop Public Spaces and Passage Ways Improvement Program.

Incentivize and Support Local Technical Assistance for Traffic Calming.







SS4A Walk Audits

Gehl Study of Public Life

Comprehensive Study of Public Spaces

Traditional RSA





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Local Technical Assistance for Traffic Calming









Initial thoughts and questions?



