

Goals for regional transportation system investments

Foster vibrant communities and efficient urban design

- Support housing close to transit, jobs, schools and shops
- Encourage compact design to preserve farm and forestland

Sustain economic competitiveness

- Promote reliable, efficient movement of freight, goods and services
- Promote systems that support tourism and other commercial activity

Expand transportation choices

- Connect the entire region with multimodal facilities
- Ensure access for people of all ages, incomes and abilities

Emphasize efficient management of the transportation system

- Promote demand management programs
- Apply technologies and services that improve traffic flow

Enhance safety and security

- Reduce crashes
- Support strategies for natural disasters and other emergencies

Promote environmental stewardship

- Reduce pollution
- Restore and protect the natural environment and habitat for fish and wildlife

Enhance human health

- Provide facilities that encourage biking and walking
- Improve air quality

Ensure equity

- Distribute burdens and benefits equitably
- Provide equitable access to transportation choices

Ensure fiscal stewardship

- Prioritize investments that achieve multiple goals
- Seek sustainable funding strategies

Deliver accountability

- Promote public and private collaborations
- Promote meaningful community involvement