

# LONG RANGE TRANSPORTATION PLAN MODULE: A MOBILITY PLAN TO ACCESS OPPORTUNITY (DRAFT FRAMEWORK)

## 1. What is the Mobility Plan to Access Opportunity Module?

- This module presents the overview of what Metro seeks to achieve through the LRTP and how it will take Los Angeles County to that outcome as the result of implementing this plan
- Fundamentally, it is a reasonably feasible expression of the future guided by commitments, laws, principles, plans and programs
- It is also the executive summary and acts as a simple brochure for the LRTP that is easy to grasp

## 2. What Does Metro Do for Los Angeles County?

- About Metro's enabling legislation
- Plan
- Fund
- Build
- Operate
- Maintain

## 3. What are the Purposes of the Metro Vision 2028 Strategic Plan and the LRTP?

- Metro Vision 2028 Strategic Plan
  - An agency-wide strategic plan that creates the foundation for transforming mobility in Los Angeles County (LA County) over the next 10 years
  - It sets the mission, vision, performance outcomes, and goals for Metro and puts in motion specific initiatives and performance outcomes towards which Metro and its partners will strive in pursuit of a better transportation future
- LRTP
  - Establishes a fiscally constrained plan to fund, build, operate and maintain regional transportation systems in Los Angeles County, in accordance with state and federal laws, after consideration of priorities and tradeoffs, to operationalize the Metro Vision 2028 Strategic Plan
  - It is a 40+ year plan
  - Guides Metro's support to its partners to assist with their transportation systems and services
  - Articulates what Metro needs from its many partners to achieve both the Metro Vision 2028 Strategic Plan and LRTP
  - Establishes a framework for implementing these plans and monitoring the effectiveness of their implementation

## 4. What is Set Forth in the Metro Vision 2028 Strategic Plan?

- Metro's five vital and bold goals
  - Provide high-quality mobility options that enable people to spend less time traveling.
  - Deliver outstanding trip experiences for all users of the transportation system.
  - Enhance communities and lives through mobility and access to opportunity.
  - Transform LA County through regional collaboration and national leadership.
  - Provide responsive, accountable, and trustworthy governance within the Metro organization.
- Metro's mission is to provide a world-class transportation system that enhances quality of life for all who live, work, and play within LA County.
- Metro's vision is composed of three elements:
  - Increased prosperity for all by removing mobility barriers;
  - Swift and easy mobility throughout LA County, anytime; and
  - Accommodating more trips through a variety of high-quality mobility options

## 5. What is the Mobility Plan Set Forth in the LRTP?

- The mobility plan in the LRTP is to boldly and feasibly facilitate access to opportunity across the entire mobility services lifecycle
- The LRTP will demonstrate how Metro Vision 2028 Strategic Plan's goals will be achieved by 2028 and beyond and in doing so, addresses identified needs, gaps and disparities

## 6. What are the Key Issues and Opportunities Influencing Access to Opportunity?

- People
  - Equity
  - Population and economy
- Natural and Built Environments
  - Climate change
  - Adapting and accommodating within the existing built environment
- Transformative Forces
  - Technological change
  - Tremendous capital transportation investments
- Resources
  - Working within available financial and labor resources
  - Meeting existing commitments
- Transportation System
  - Congestion
  - Maintaining and operating a simultaneously growing and aging system

## 7. What is the Plan for LA County's Regional Transportation Systems?

- High-capacity transit network
  - 2028
  - Long term
- Highway network
  - 2028
  - Long term
- Active transportation network
  - 2028
  - Long term
- Congestion management
  - ExpressLanes
  - Other congestion management tools
- Bus and micro-transit services
  - 2028
  - Long term
- State of good repair
  - 2028
  - Long term

## 8. How Will Metro Achieve the LRTP?

- Establish constrained priorities—within a reasonably expected funding envelope—based on
  - Voter commitments
  - Laws and Board policies
  - Metro Vision 2028 Strategic Plan
  - LRTP guiding themes, goals and policies
  - Needs assessment
  - Public and stakeholder engagement
- Establish a funding plan to achieve these priorities
- Adhere to this LRTP, using it to guide decision-making and administration at Metro
- Guide how Metro funds its many partners
- Guide project delivery
- Prioritize vital supporting initiatives

- Transit-oriented Communities
- Labor
- Contracting opportunities

## **9. How Will Metro Know It Is on Track to Achieve the LRTP?**

- Performance measures
- Visionary Outcomes: Metro Vision 2028 aims to double the total percent usage of transportation modes other than solo driving, including transit, walking, biking, sharing rides and carpooling by accomplishing the following
  - Ensuring that all County residents have access to high-quality mobility options within a 10-minute walk or roll from home;
  - Reducing maximum wait times for any trip to 15 minutes during any time of the day;
  - Improving average travel speeds on the County's bus network by 30 percent; and
  - Providing reliable and convenient options for users to manage their travel time.
- Transparency, accessibility and reporting

## **10. What Does Metro Need from Its Many Partners to Support Achieving the Metro Vision 2028 Strategic Plan and LRTP?**

- Leadership
- Discipline
- Land use coordinated with Metro's transformative transportation investments and services
- Transportation investments that are supportive of Metro's transformative investments and regionally-scaled mobility services