2050 Transportation Policy Plan
TAB Technical Advisory Committee

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2050 TPP Update – Since Sept 2023

Topics for Today

- Policies and actions development
- Chapter review update
- Upcoming schedule
Policies and Actions Development Process

Staff evaluated existing 2040 TPP for potential policies (2022)

Organized around new regional goals (Late 2022)

TPP TWG provided feedback on existing policies to identify gaps, opportunities, and redundancy (Early 2023)

Policy Development Teams took staff inputs and TWG feedback to recommend policies and actions (Summer 2023)

Technical Workshops to collect feedback from a variety of stakeholders from the region (November 2023)

Policy Development Teams reviewed workshop feedback to make final recommendations (December 2023)

Staff compiles into draft chapter for the TPP for TWG review (February 2024)

Refinements continue until final adoption (Winter 2024/2025)
Policy Development Teams

Policy Teams
- Safety
- Public Health & Wellness
- Equity & Ability
- Climate Action
- Natural Systems
- Resilience
- Travel Time & Reliability
- Transportation Options

Agencies Included
- **Transit**
  - Metro Transit
  - MVTA
- **Counties**
  - Hennepin
  - Anoka
  - Dakota
  - Carver
  - Ramsey
  - Washington
- **Cities**
  - Saint Paul
  - Minneapolis
  - Saint Louis Park
  - West Saint Paul
  - Maplewood
- **MnDOT**
  - Freight Office
  - Central Office
  - Metro District
- **Other State Agencies**
  - Department of Health
  - Pollution Control Agency
  - Council on Disabilities
- **Non-Profits**
  - The Alliance
- **UMN**
Early Draft Chapter Technical Review Process

Preview Info Items
Presentations on select new/large chapters

Review Info Items
Draft chapter becomes available

Organization Reviews
~3-4 weeks for TWG members to circulate chapter drafts in their organization for comment

Theme Briefing
Brief summary of comment themes and potential changes

Actions to Release for Public Comment

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# Early Draft Chapter Technical Review Schedule

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Chapters to be scheduled: Overview/Imagine 2050 Transportation Chapter, Evaluation & Performance Chapter, Misc. Appendices.
Instructions to TWG: Organization Comments on Early Drafts

Agencies will be provided two copies of each chapter.

A copy to distribute within your organization for review

• This should be shared with technical staff across your organization impacted by the plan, like:
  • Transportation Planning
  • Comprehensive/Land Use Planning
  • Economic Development
  • Public Works
  • Stormwater/Sewer

• Technical Working Group members should work within their respective organization management to consolidate comments into one submission.

A SharePoint document shared with all Technical Working Group members

• This is where you will enter your organization comments and view other agencies’ comments.

• Limited to comments only; if you have specific language suggestions, enter them in a comment.

• MTS Planning staff will not respond to comments in real time; please contact us via email if you need a specific clarification.

• Contact jed.hanson@metc.state.mn.us if you have access issues or need a question answered.
2050 TPP Next Steps

Sharing early draft content beyond the Technical Working Group

• **Five goals documents**
  - Currently about 55 pages total broken into five separately documents.
  - Plan to share in mid-March with TAB members and Met Council members, pending direction on quorum rules.

• **Policies and actions, finance, investment plans**
  - Nine total documents totaling 241 pages
  - Plan to share in April with TAB members and Met Council members, pending direction on quorum rules.
  - Can be shared with TAC simultaneously.
  - Remaining content will be shared in May
  - Depending on feedback from TAB, Met Council, and TAC, time will be reserved on agendas for any necessary policy discussion in April and May.
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