



DRAFT Vision, Goals, and Objectives

PUBLIC REVIEW PERIOD: MAY 17, 2024 – MAY 31, 2024



DRAFT 2050 LRTP Vision and Goals

- Overarching theme of the 2050 LRTP is to simplify our messaging

TRANSPORTATION FOR ALL



DRAFT 2050 LRTP Objectives

	Safety and Security	Make all ways of travel safer. Reduce conflicts between drivers, cyclists, and pedestrians. Protect our roads and everyone using them.
	Connectivity and Accessibility	Make it easier and faster for people and goods to get where they need to go. Provide a range of travel choices that meet everyone's needs. Make different transportation modes work better together. Reduce traffic delays. Strengthen connections between the Peninsula and Southside, making travel more reliable.
	Economic Prosperity	Help our region grow and thrive economically. Make moving goods faster and more efficient. Reduce travel during heavy traffic. Make our area more attractive to tourists.
	Efficiency, Resiliency, & Innovation	Build a transportation system that is reliable, efficient, and resilient enough to withstand storm events and future conditions. Consider ways technology may change how we travel. Invest in protections against flooding. Keep our current transportation system in good condition.
	Sustainability	Take care of our environment, save energy, and improve everyone's quality of life. Make sure new transportation projects fit well with our plans for land use and economic development. Lessen the environmental effects of new developments and transportation. Build communities that offer more accessible housing options and depend less on cars.
	Equity	Apply an equity lens to evaluate transportation benefits. Ensure improvements help transportation-vulnerable communities. Get input from a wide range of communities when planning our transportation future.

Alignment with Federal and State Guidelines

FAST ACT PLANNING FACTORS	VTRANS PLANNING GOALS	DRAFT 2050 LRTP OBJECTIVES
Safety and Security		
Increase the safety of the transportation system for motorized and non-motorized users.	Safety for All Users	Make all ways of travel safer.
Increase the security of the transportation system for motorized and non-motorized users.		Reduce conflicts between drivers, cyclists, and pedestrians.
		Protect our roads and everyone using them.
Connectivity and Accessibility		
Increase the accessibility and mobility of people and freight.	Accessible and Connected Places	Make it easier and faster for people and goods to get where they need to go.
Enhance the integration and connectivity of the transportation system, across and between modes, for people and freight.		Provide a range of travel choices that meet everyone's needs.
		Make different transportation modes work better together.
		Reduce traffic delays.
		Strengthen connections between the Peninsula and Southside, making travel more reliable.
Economic Prosperity		
Support the economic vitality of the metropolitan area, especially by enabling global competitiveness, productivity, and efficiency.	Economic Competitiveness and Prosperity	Help our region grow and thrive economically.
Enhance travel and tourism.		Make moving goods faster and more efficient.
		Reduce travel during heavy traffic.
		Make our area more attractive to tourists.
Efficiency, Resiliency, & Innovation		
Promote efficient system management and operation.	Proactive System Management	Build a transportation system that is reliable, efficient, and resilient enough to withstand storm events and future conditions.
Improve the resiliency and reliability of the transportation system and reduce or mitigate stormwater impacts of surface transportation.		Consider ways technology may change how we travel.
Emphasize the preservation of the existing transportation system.		Invest in protections against flooding.
		Keep our current transportation system in good condition.
Sustainability		
Protect and enhance the environment, promote energy conservation, improve the quality of life, and promote consistency between transportation improvements and State and local planned growth and economic development patterns.	Healthy Communities and Sustainable Transportation Communities	Take care of our environment, save energy, and improve everyone's quality of life.
		Make sure new transportation projects fit well with our plans for land use and economic development.
		Lessen the environmental effects of new developments and transportation.
		Build communities that offer more accessible housing options and depend less on cars.
Equity		
		Apply an equity lens to evaluate transportation benefits.
		Ensure improvements help transportation-vulnerable communities.
		Get input from a wide range of communities when planning our transportation future.

Share your thoughts!



Please take a moment to review the draft 2050 LRTP Vision, Goals, and Objectives and share your thoughts by May 31, 2024.

Comments can be emailed to
LRTP@hrtpo.org or mailed to:

The LRTP Team (HRTPO)
723 Woodlake Drive
Chesapeake, VA 23320