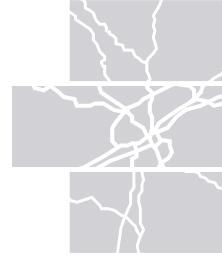


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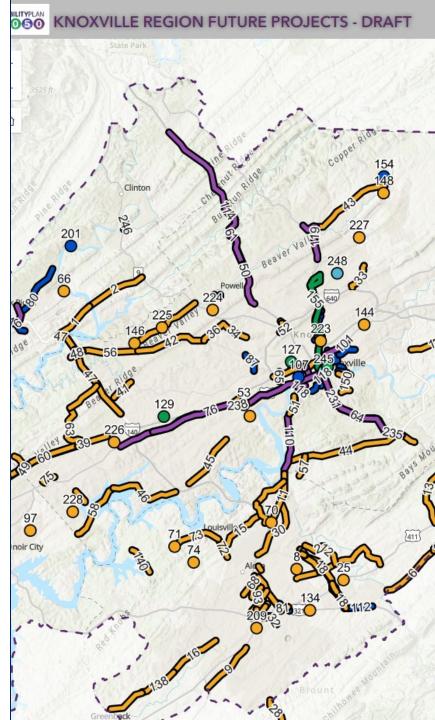
# Knoxville TPO 2050 MTP Update

January 29, 2025

# Projects – Summary

- 118 rollover projects from 2045 Mobility Plan
- ~40 new projects added
- Projects by Category
  - Roadway (73%) reconstruction, widening, maintenance
  - Bike/Ped (14%) greenway/trail, ped bridge, Complete Street
  - ITS / Transit (10%) ATMS, signal prioritization, new buses
  - Study / Other (3%) Smart Trips, safety program, study
- ArcGIS <u>Online map</u> for review





## **Project Selection and Review**

- Email sent on 1/8/2025 to each Technical Committee Member requesting review of your agency's projects
  - Make sure your projects included
  - Check details (name, termini, etc)
- TPO Staff made draft Project Selections by Horizon Year
  - 2026, 2030, 2035, 2040, 2045, 2050 or "Illustrative"
  - Rollover and especially existing FY23-26 TIP Projects given precedence

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- Reviewed technical score provided by Stantec against Goals – can be used as "tie-breaker"
- Draft List meets Fiscal Constraint by funding program and Horizon Year
  - Some flexibility to shift projects to match your local priorities

#### **Prioritization of Projects**

With more project needs than funding available, our data-driven process evaluated all projects against the TPO's established eight regional goals. Weights for each goal were assigned by the Technical Advisory Committee based on whether a project was considered small/local, or large/regional, and evaluation criteria provided the measurable geographic features to determine the score (Table 3.4). Evaluation criteria were reviewed with input from the TPO and TAC members.

| Goal                        | Small<br>& Local<br>Projects | Large &<br>Regional<br>Projects | Evaluation Criteria Datasets                                    |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| Safety &<br>Security        | 21                           | 17                              | % project length on High Injury Network Tier 1                  |
|                             |                              |                                 | % project length on High Injury Network Tier 2                  |
|                             |                              |                                 | Interactive Map points "Speeding" or "Safety"                   |
| Congestion<br>Reduction     | 15                           | 19                              | Level of Travel Time Reliability (LOTTR) Value                  |
|                             |                              |                                 | Expected volume over capacity (V/C)                             |
|                             |                              |                                 | Interactive Map points "Congestion"                             |
| Maintenance &<br>Efficiency | 14                           | 15                              | Crosses a Bridge rated as "Poor" or "Critical Condition"        |
|                             |                              |                                 | Interactive Map points "Maintenance"                            |
| Health &                    | 10                           | 40                              | Proximity to existing high-quality bikeway or pedway facilities |
| Environment                 | 13                           | 12                              | Avoids potential impact with environmental resources            |
| Equitable<br>Access         | 11                           | 9                               | Priority Population Index average value (vulnerable)            |
|                             |                              |                                 | USDOT defined area of Persistent Poverty                        |
| More Options                | 15                           | 19                              | Population density of transit service                           |
|                             |                              |                                 | Connected with existing transit service area                    |
|                             |                              | 15                              | Interactive Map points "Barrier to walking/biking"              |
| Preservation<br>of Place    | 8                            | 8                               | Avoids potential impact with cultural resources                 |
| Economy of<br>Freight       | 8                            | 14                              | Density of freight facilities nearby                            |
| Local Priority              |                              |                                 | Project identified in other local plans<br>(not quantifiable)   |

Table 3.4: Evaluation Criteria for Project Prioritization

#### Next Steps and Timeline

- Requesting Review of Project List and Prioritization by end of January
- TPO Staff can meet in-person or virtually to review project list and consider adjustments
- Currently in TDOT 30-Day Review Period for Draft Mobility Plan
- Concurrent FHWA and Public Review during March
- Adoption scheduled for April TPO Meetings

