

Draft Vision and Goals for the 2023 Regional Transportation Plan

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On Sept. 15, 2022, JPACT discussed the draft vision and goals. JPACT feedback is reflected in strikethrough and underscore below.

Vision

Everyone in the greater Portland region will have safe, reliable, affordable and efficient, and climate-friendly travel options that allow people to drive less and support equitable, climate-friendly, resilient, healthy and economically vibrant communities and region.

Goals

Equitable Transportation

Transportation system disparities experienced by Black, Indigenous and other people of color and people with low incomes, are eliminated. The disproportionate barriers people of color, people with low income, people with disabilities, older adults, youth and other marginalized communities face in meeting their travel needs are removed.

Climate Action and Resilience

People, communities and ecosystems are healthier and more resilient and carbon emissions and other pollution are <u>substantially</u> reduced as more people travel by transit, walking and bicycling and people travel shorter distances to get where they need to go.

Vibrant and Prosperous Communities

<u>An economically vibrant</u> <u>G</u>greater Portland's <u>region includes</u> centers, ports, industrial areas, employment areas, and other regional destinations <u>that</u> are accessible through a variety of multimodal connections that help people, communities, and businesses thrive and prosper.

Safe System

Deaths and serious crashes are eliminated and all people are safe and secure when traveling in the region.

Mobility Options

People and businesses can reach the jobs, goods, services and opportunities they need by affordable, <u>low-carbon</u> travel options that are safe, connected, convenient, reliable, efficient, accessible, and welcoming for all.