Virtual Public Meetings Round 3

August 17-September 16, 2020

Introduction
Why Are We Here Today?

• Update on draft MTP report and planning process

• Review a summary of draft MTP recommendations

• Review the timeline and options to submit comment during the public review process, August 17-September 16, 2020
Making Connections 2045 Plan Timeline

Vision, goals, objectives, selection methodology

- Steering Committee meetings March-May
- MetroQuest Public Survey-May
- Finalize in late May

Existing conditions report

- Released in May
- Reviewed during Public Meetings round 1 May 5-20, 2020
- Online Survey

Model Runs, Evaluate Solutions, Draft Project Selection

- Middle of June-early results
- Public Input Meetings Round 2: July 23

Draft Final Report

- Plan posted for public review and feedback August 17-September 16, 2020
- Virtual public meeting sessions Aug. 27-Sept. 3
- Adoption September 17

We are here
Virtual Meeting Set-Up and Draft MTP Recommendations

• **Station 2**: Fiscally-Constrained Roadway Recommendations

• **Station 3**: Public Transportation Recommendations

• **Station 4**: Bicycle and Pedestrian Recommendations

• **Interactive Map**: You Can Navigate to Projects of Interest after Selecting Appropriate Layers

• Don’t Forget to Fill out the Survey!
Selecting Projects for the Fiscally-Constrained Plan

Reviewing Projects vs. What is Important: Vision and Goals

+ Funding Available

MTP - Potential Projects Being Considered

Local Bike Ped Plans

Transit Plans

CTP, past MTP

Fiscally-Constrained MTP Project List

Unfunded MTP Projects for Inclusion in CTP Update
Travel Demand Model Output (PM Peak Conditions)

• Multiple Travel Demand Model Runs
  • Existing + Committed Projects 2045 Scenario
  • Scenario 1: Capacity Emphasis
  • Scenario 2: Operations and Safety Emphasis
  • Preferred Fiscally Constrained Hybrid Scenario (mix of Scenario 1 and Scenario 2 with a couple additional projects)

• Future Congestion and Anticipated Traffic Flows
  • Some spot congestion concerns remain
  • Short north-south links and a few east-west links, primarily in close proximity to interstate exits
Draft MTP Roadway Project Recommendations

• Station 2: Fiscally-Constrained Roadway Recommendations

• List includes projects already committed in the 2020-2029 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP/STIP)

• Total roadway projects: 120, of which 32 projects committed in the 2020-2029 TIP/STIP

• Projects not included in the constrained list will be considered for CTP Plan update

• Total roadway funding amount allocated: $2,678,973,000
Draft MTP Transit Project Recommendations

- Station 3: Transit Recommendations
- Service frequency improvements on PART Route 1 and WSTA Routes 96, 92
- Upgrades to WSTA Administration and Maintenance Facility
- Additional list of transit expansion recommendations will be reflected as “unfunded”, to be carried forward as part of CTP Plan update
- Ongoing routine support for maintenance of existing services
Draft MTP Bicycle and Pedestrian Recommendations

• Station 4: Bicycle and Pedestrian Recommendations

• Complete Streets, On-Road Bicycle Recommendations, Pedestrian Improvements and Greenways and Sidepath Projects

• Scoring Process took into account proximity to major activity centers, community points of interest, safety and Environmental Justice communities of concern
# What is Feasible to Fund? Financial Forecast – by Funding Horizon Year, $ Millions

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Please Continue Exploring the Virtual Public Input Meeting:

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• Virtual break-out meetings taking place on the following dates
  • Roadway improvements August 25th 10 AM; August 27th 5:30 PM; September 1st 10 AM
  • Transit Improvements: September 3rd, 5:30 PM
  • Bicycle and Pedestrian Improvements: August 27th 10 AM

• Please fill out the online survey to provide your feedback

• Check back for updates on the website http://www.wsmtpupdate.com/
Additional Ways to Provide Feedback for Draft MTP:

Contact us by Wednesday, September 16:
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Public Comment during WSUAMPO TCC and TAC Meetings on Thursday, September 17th
TAC at 4:15 PM, agenda at https://nc-winston-salem.civicplus.com/2422/Transportation-Advisory-Committee
TCC at 2:00 PM, agenda at https://nc-winston-salem.civicplus.com/2545/Technical-Coordinating-Committee