

DIRECTIONS 2045

LONG RANGE TRANSPORTATION PLAN

Long-Range Transportation Plan Draft Overview

Sustainable, equitable, and innovative transportation solutions.



Long-Range Transportation Plan

- OCTA's LRTP serves to:
 - Evaluate current plans and commitments
 - Identify new initiatives and priorities
 - Define projects in the RTP





Directions 2045: Goals







Support Sustainability

Delivering on Commitments

• Deliver 17 freeway projects Freeways • Continue annual endowment deposits FREEWALD • Return 18 percent to local agencies for transportation needs Streets and • Provide annual grants to improve streets Roads Fund traffic signal coordination %2[%] • Operate Metrolink and fund station improvements • Implement and operate OC Streetcar STEETS • Offer enhanced mobility options for seniors and Transit persons with disabilities Support local transit circulators • Improve priority transit stops A total of 5% of OC Go Freeway Program funds is allocated to the Freeway **Environmental Mitigation Program** Environmental • Provide grants for water cleanup A total of 2% of the overall OC Go Cleanup Program funds is allocated to the Environmental Cleanup Program

LRTP: Paths to Success



Sustainable, equitable, and innovative transportation solutions.

- - 1. Extend or modify programs funded by Measure M2 (M2)



Expand transit services



6. Embrace technology

5. Eliminate freeway

chokepoints



3. Enhance active transportation



7. Elevate maintenance and resilience priorities

4. Explore mobility integration

Performance Summary: IMPROVE SYSTEM PERFORMANCE



Performance Summary: EXPAND SYSTEM CHOICES



Performance Summary: SUPPORT SUSTAINABILITY



Short-Term Action Plan

Orange County Planning Activities

Coordination with Local Partner Agencies	Signal Synchronization Strategies
Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion	Transportation Demand Management
Long-Term Transportation Funding Strategy	Mobility Hubs
Corridor Studies and Improvements	Active Transportation Investments
OC Transit Vision Update	Complete Streets
Transit Support Services	Sustainable Transportation Strategies
OC Metrolink Vision	Electric Vehicle Charging Infrastructure
Coastal Infrastructure Study	Joint Development Studies
Managed Lane Studies	Asset Management
Future of the Toll Roads	Adaptation Planning
Freeway Chokepoints	Traffic Model Update

Short-Term Action Plan (continued)

Regional Planning Activities	Emerging Issues
Coordination with Regional Partner Agencies	Monitor Technology
	Connected Infrastructure Needs Assessment
Trade Corridors/Goods Movement 2024 RTP/SCS	State and Federal Regulation
2028 Olympics	State and Federal Funding
LA Metro Countywide ExpressLanes Strategic Plan	Transportation Outreach and Education
San Diego's I-5 HOT Lane Project	Active Transportation Safety
West Santa Ana Branch/ Pacific Electric Right-of-Way	Transit Use and Trip Planning
	Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion
Gold Line Eastern Extension – Phase 2	RTP/SCS – Regional Transportation Plan/Sustainable Community Strategies LA Metro – Los Angeles Metropolitan Transportation Authority I-5 – Interstate 5 HOT – High-occupancy toll

Public and Stakeholder Engagement

- Draft LRTP posted to OCTA website
- Community-based organizations
- OCTA Advisory Committees
- Telephone Town Hall Jan. 19
- Public webinar Jan. 24
- Community events
- Telephone helpline
- Multilingual online survey, digital media, and print/radio ads



Next Steps

Winter 2023

- Conclude public review period
- Review feedback
- Prepare Final Draft LRTP & Outreach Report

Spring 2023

• Finalize LRTP & Outreach Report

Stay Connected

- <a>www.octa.net/LRTP
- Online Survey: <u>LRTP-Survey.com</u>
- Helpline: (800) 501-9266

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Improving the efficiency and safety of roads and freeways is becoming more important as an alternative to major widening projects as state regulations and limited land availability are making it more difficult to add new lanes.





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It is important to continue OC Go funded programs beyond 2041 to maintain infrastructure, signal synchronization, transit accessibility, senior mobility, Metrolink service, and other programs.

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Backup Slides

Achieving the Goals



Jobs & Key Destinations Accessible within 30 minutes

+ 282,000 on Avg for OC

+ 323,000 on Avg for Communities of Concern









1. Extend or Modify M2 Programs

Purpose:

• Invest funds in popular and effective programs beyond the sunset of M2

- Signal synchronization
- Roadway improvements
- Community circulators
- Metrolink service
- Transit accessibility
- Senior mobility
- Environmental mitigation







2. Expand Transit Services

Purpose:

• Provide more service tailored to local needs

How:

- Rapid bus (BRAVO!)
- Microtransit (OC Flex/SC Rides)
- High-capacity transit
- Reduced or free transit fares

SC Rides – City of San Clemente partnership with Lyft and Butterfli to provide subsidized on-demand rides to and from select areas throughout San Clemente.











Enhance Active Transportation

Purpose:

3.

 Provide safe and attractive active transportation facilities through coordination with local jurisdictions

- Coordinate regional routes
- Support local routes
- Reallocation of excess roadway space



4. Explore Mobility Integration

Purpose:

• Improve access to mobility options and reduce first-/last-mile challenges

- Mobility hubs
- Mobility as a service
- Micromobility











5. Eliminate Freeway Chokepoints

Purpose:

 Enhance safety and reduce driving delays within existing right-of-way

- Auxiliary lanes
- Braided ramps
- Address lane drops
- System management







6. Embrace Technology

Purpose:

 Leverage technology and services to provide more options and improve efficiency

- Electric vehicle charging stations
- Remote work/teleservices
- E-bikes/neighborhood electric vehicles
- Connected vehicles/enhanced signal synchronization
- Monitor emerging technology















7. Elevate Maintenance and Resilience Priorities

Purpose:

 Preserve and protect transportation investments

- Maintain existing infrastructure
- Assess risks and mitigations
- Electric bus fleet

