Getting around in Grants Pass: Let’s make it better, together

The City of Grants Pass needs your help updating our Transportation System Plan. The plan will help us think about how we get around town today, what changes are coming over the next 20 years, and what we need to do to keep Grants Pass a great place to live.

What is a Transportation System Plan?
The Transportation System Plan (TSP for short) will guide how transportation changes in Grants Pass over the next 20 years. It helps decide which new transportation projects will be most likely to get funding, so it’s important for the TSP to reflect the needs of residents and businesses. We need to hear your thoughts as the plan takes shape.

Because our city has two Interstate 5 interchanges, the project also includes two Interchange Area Management Plans (IAMPs). These plans will look at how well these interchanges meet current travel needs, describe possible changes, and help determine what new development near the interchanges should look like.

The decisions we make today will directly impact how the city can grow in the future.

There are currently 143 miles of city streets in the Grants Pass transportation system, as well as over 190 miles of sidewalks and trails. All of this infrastructure requires money to maintain, so we have to choose new investments carefully.
Grants Pass TSP Update

Project Timeline

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Get involved

Open House, Sept. 25: Since January the project team has been doing research and gathering facts. Now it’s time for you to consider their findings and describe your transportation needs.

Online Open House, winter 2018: After gathering public feedback, the project team will create some choices for what the TSP might include. The winter 2018 open house will be your chance to see some of these solutions and say whether or not they meet your needs.

Online Open House, fall 2019: Based on what the public says in winter, the project team will build out the plan with policies, ordinances, and a list of possible projects that would get priority for funding. The fall 2019 open house will be your chance to see and comment on these ideas before they are approved by the City Council.

Stay informed

Visit our website at [www.GrantsPassOregon.gov/1201](http://www.GrantsPassOregon.gov/1201) for updates and to sign up for the project emailing list. For more information or to schedule a meeting between the project and your organization, contact:

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You’re invited to an open house

Come talk with your neighbors and the project team as we take a close look at how our transportation system affects drivers, freight, people who take the bus, ride bikes, walk, and use mobility devices. You’ll have a chance to talk about the transportation problems you see today, as well as your needs for the future.

September 25, 5-7 PM
City Council Chambers, Grants Pass City Hall
(Drop in any time, no formal presentation.)

Participate online, Sept. 18 - Oct. 9
Can’t stop by? Be sure to visit the online open house instead, where you can see displays and leave comments from September 18 through October 9. Visit the project website for more information.