Transportation Plan Update Schedule

**Summer 2017**
- Update planning work on various topic areas and ongoing engagement activities
- Draft plan is developed, brief to boards

**Fall 2017**
- Draft model results, public engagement findings and final planning work

**Winter 2018**
- Draft Transportation Plan is released for 45-day public comment period

**Spring 2018**
- Board Action: Recommend updated plan to PSRC General Assembly
- PSRC General Assembly adopts the update to the plan
Regional Transportation Plan

- Supports the Regional Growth Strategy
- Provides transportation choices
- Improves access to jobs, opportunity, destinations
- Improves reliability of the system
- Improves air quality, reduces greenhouse gases, supports improved water quality
- New financial strategy to deliver investments
Highlighting Investments

• Projects completed, underway or funded in each county

• Extraordinary funding accomplishments over the last two years, including Connecting Washington, ST3, local transit and city initiatives

• First regional integrated transit plan
Getting Ahead on Key Issues

• Maintenance & preservation
• Sustainable financial strategy
• Transportation technology
• Climate change
Addressing near-term gaps

• Identified needs for city streets, county roads and local transit

• Working with WSDOT on a State Facilities Action Plan
  • I-5 preservation, near-term efficiencies
  • HOV policy
  • Seismic preparedness
  • Local priority state routes
Programs included in the plan

- Counties
- Cities
- Local Transit
- Sound Transit
- State Ferries
- State Highways
- Other Regional
# Measuring for regional outcomes

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Public Comments

• Formal public comment period ran from December 14, 2017 – January 31, 2018
  
  • *Comments will still be accepted through plan adoption in May*
  
• 152 respondents

• 25 PSRC member agencies

• 19 other organizations – non-profits, community groups, advisory boards, chambers of commerce, business groups, state agencies, etc.

• 108 individuals

• 842 individual coded comments
Public Comments - Themes

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Next Steps

March

• Initial Board review of draft staff responses to comments
• All comments and responses posted online at https://www.psrc.org/our-work/rtp
• Staff will begin work on technical and administrative corrections for final plan

April

• Transportation Policy Board recommendation on plan to Executive Board
  • Any further direction to staff on edits / amendments to plan
• Executive Board recommendation to General Assembly

May

• General Assembly action on May 31
Questions?

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