

# 2040 and Beyond

Strategic Statewide Policy Plan - Status Update

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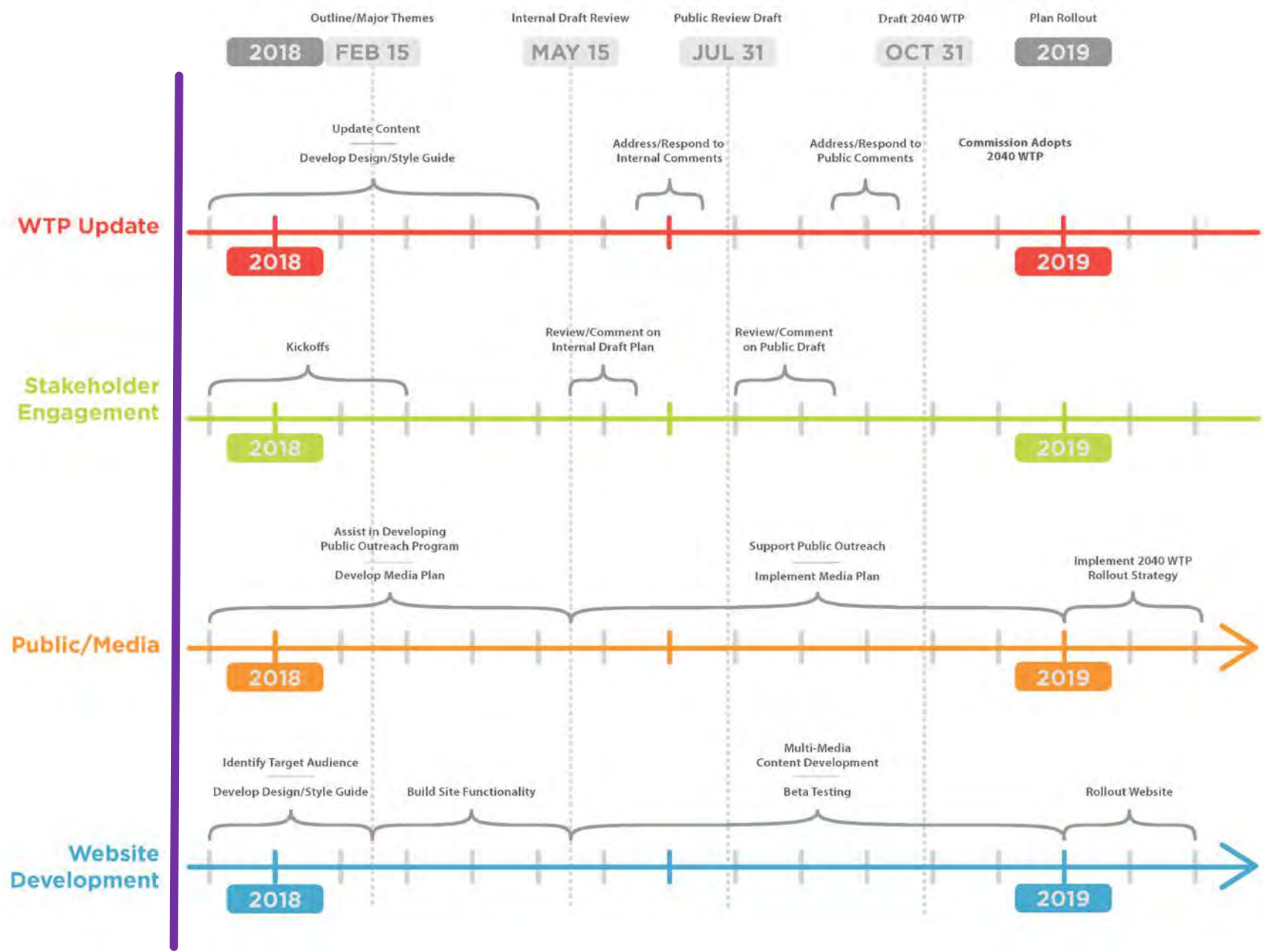
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- ▶ Recent Activities
- ▶ Recurring Themes
- ▶ Recommendations
- ▶ Public Outreach





# Recent Activities

What have we been up to since April?

- ❖ Internal Working Draft Released for Review - mid-May
  - ❖ Advisory Group Workshop and Review Request
    - ❖ ~ Dozen reviews - targeted follow-up with others
    - ❖ Good cross-section representation
    - ❖ Working sessions with Leadership Team
      - ❖ Refine list of ideas and strategies - 2<sup>nd</sup> draft
    - ❖ Working sessions with Steering Committee
      - ❖ Discuss and refine 2<sup>nd</sup> draft -
      - ❖ Feedback to project team

# Recent Activities

What have we been up to since April?

- ❖ Additional Outreach and Engagement
  - ❖ Sit-down meetings, briefings, and phone interviews
    - ❖ WSDOT Modal and Division Managers Meeting
    - ❖ MPO/RTPO Coordinating Committee Meeting
    - ❖ Joint Transportation Commission Briefing
    - ❖ WSDOT - Safety and Emergency Operations (John Himmel)
    - ❖ WSDOT - Management of Mobility (Robin Mayhew, Travis Phelps)
    - ❖ PSRC - Kelly McGourty
    - ❖ WA Roundtable - Neil Strege
    - ❖ Association of WA Businesses - Mike Ennis
    - ❖ Association of County Engineers
    - ❖ Spokane RTC
    - ❖ CTANW

# Recurring Themes

What have we been hearing?

- ❖ Overall appreciation for **embracing uncertainties**
- ❖ Emphasis on technology is good, but **beware disparities and unintended impacts**
- ❖ People have lots of thoughts about **funding and finance**
- ❖ **Broadband** is big rural issue tied to transport, economy, access
- ❖ **Strategic expansion** needs to be part of the investment mix
- ❖ **New partnership opportunities abound**, but they're different than the old ones
- ❖ It is time to start talking about **health equity**
- ❖ Transportation is **a means to an end**, not the end itself.

# Recommendations

From Big Ideas to Draft Recommendations.

- ❖ Internal review draft tested over 50 Big Ideas
- ❖ Reviewers nixed some, added others
- ❖ General support for reframing as draft recommendations
  - ❖ Will get more insightful feedback
- ❖ Further refinement - 32 recommendations in draft plan
- ❖ Merged cross-cutting recommendations into the six policy goals
  - ❖ Better structure and readability

# Public Outreach

Strategies for getting the word out on the public review draft.

- ❖ Draft Plan website
- ❖ Email notifications
- ❖ Provide briefings at partner and key organization meetings
- ❖ Press releases and social media
- ❖ Legislative briefings
- ❖ Tribal consultation
- ❖ Rely on Advisory Group members as conduit to their constituents

**August 1 - September 20**





# WTP 2040 and Beyond

*Questions? Suggestions? Get in touch.*

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Thank you.

# Strategic Statewide Policy Plan



Legislature  
RCW 47.04.280  
RCW 47.01.071 and \$\$\$

Transportation Commission  
Strategic Statewide Policy Plan

WSDOT Planning  
Strategic Implementation Plan  
*Owner/operator of system*

MPO / RTPO  
Strategic Regional Policy Plans,  
\$\$\$ Plans

WSDOT Modal, H&LP  
Tactical Modal Plans, \$\$\$  
*Owner/operator of system*



City / County / Transit / Port  
GMA Comp Plans, Tactical  
Implementation Plans, \$\$\$  
*Owners/operators of system*

TIB / CRAB / FMSIB / Feds  
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*Local land use authority*

