METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION (MPO) REPORT

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OHIO COMMUTER CHALLENGE







- Register and log your trips at gohiocommute.com
- Switch your commute by carpooling, vanpooling, biking, riding the bus, scooter, or walking to work.
- Log your trips and be entered to win great prizes!

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2023 ODOT
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CYCLE

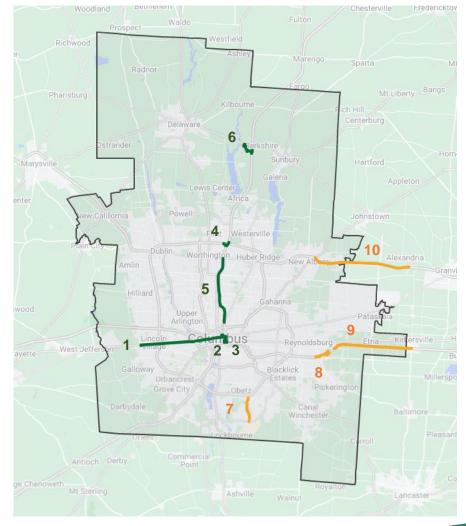




2023 TRAC APPLICATIONS



Map ID	Project	Applicant	Phase	Total Requested
1	LinkUS W Broad St BRT Line	COTA	Construction	\$39.1M
2	I-70/I-71 Downtown Ramp Up Phase 2D	ODOT D6	Construction	\$125M
3	I-70/I-71 Downtown Ramp Up Phase 3	ODOT D6	Construction	\$75M
4	I-270/I-71 Interchange (North)	ODOT D6	Construction	\$22.5M
5	I-71 HSR/Smart Lane	ODOT D6	Construction	\$50M
6	I-71/Sunbury Parkway and Interchange	ODOT D6	Construction	\$15M
7	Alum Creek Dr (SR 317 to Groveport Rd)	FCEO	Project Development	\$3.6M
8	I-70 and Taylor Rd/SR 256 Interchanges	ODOT D5	Project Development	\$7.0M
9	I-70 Widening (Licking County)	ODOT D5	Project Development	\$5.0M
10	SR 161 and SR 37 Widening	ODOT D5	Project Development	\$7.0M
			TOTAL	\$349.2M

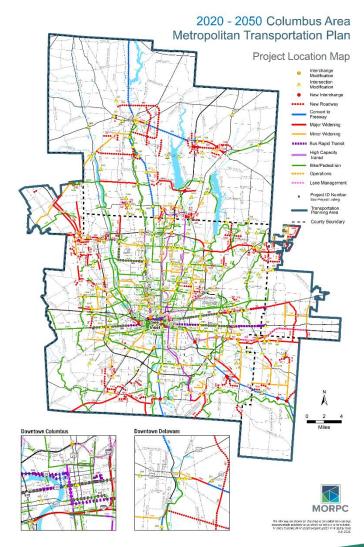


2020-2050 METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLAN (MTP)



- All projects = \$30.3B
 - \$13.7B Transit
 - \$8.3B Preservation and Maintenance
 - \$4.1B Non-Freeway Roads
 - \$3.4B Freeway-Related*
 - \$0.8B Standalone Bike/Ped
- Implemented by state and local governments through a variety of federal, state, and local funding programs/sources

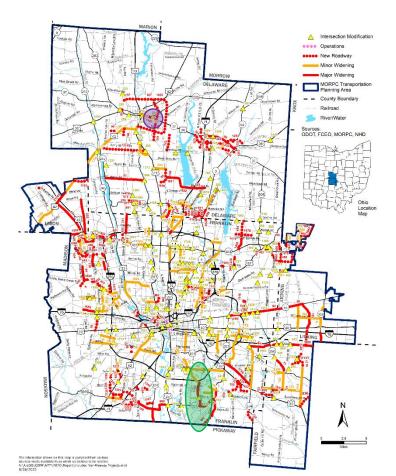
*TRAC program essential in freeway related projects



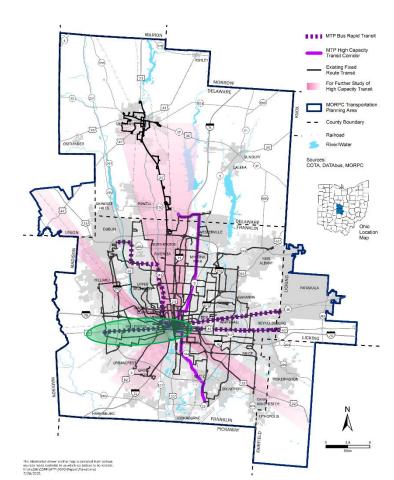
PROJECTS IN DEVELOPMENT - TRAC FUNDED

- 8 current freeway-related applications
- 14 previous TRAC funding
- Sources: ODOT, FCEO, MORPC, NHE

- 1 current non-freeway application
- 1 previous TRAC funding



- 1 current **transit** application
- No previous TRAC funding



2023 TRAC CYCLE TIMELINE



	ACTIVITY	DATE
✓	Application period	May 1 – May 31
✓	CAC/TAC presentations – TRAC applications submitted within MORPC MPO	May 31
r → □	Public comment period for MORPC prioritization process	June 26 – August 11
ᠯ □	CAC/TAC presentations – MTP context and prioritization process	July 31 and Aug 2
	CAC/TAC presentations – MORPC priorities recommendation	Aug 28 and Aug 30
	Commission resolution and approval	Sept 8
	TRAC regional public hearing	Sept 6 – Oct 18
	TRAC vote on draft project list	Dec 13
	TRAC vote on final project list	Jan 10, 2024

PUBLIC COMMENT



Public comment open until Friday, August 11th at 5:00PM

Submit via email to:

trac@morpc.org

Submit via mail to:

Elliott Lewis
Re: TRAC Public Input,
111 Liberty Street, Suite 100,
Columbus, OH 43215

- Input will factor into local prioritization of projects
- All comments will be submitted to TRAC and ODOT staff for their evaluation

2024 **TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM** INFORMATION







SUMMER 2023

Begin Program Guide Review & Update

Send MORPC team your thoughts/feedback on current program

EARLY FALL 2023

2023 Program Completion / 2024 Program Launch

- MORPC staff will complete 2023 program services
- CAC, TAC, & TPC will review 2024 Program Guide for approval
- Call for applications in September

LATE 2023

2024 Program Application

- Deadline for applications in early October
- Award announcements and kick-off meetings before the end of the year!

2024 TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE ACTIVITIES



Active Transportation Planning

Active Transportation Project Prioritization

Complete Streets Policy Development

Transit Supportive Infrastructure Planning

Central Ohio Greenways Visioning

Central Ohio Greenways Vision Refinement

Trail Access & Connectivity Planning

Bicycle and Pedestrian Safety

Complete Streets Safety Audit

Systemic Pedestrian Safety Analysis

Safety Action Plan Development

Land Use Planning

Transit Oriented Development Planning

Conceptual Development Framework

Other

Write your own Scope of Work

Important Dates for 2024 Program Cycle



August 2023	• 2024 Draft Program Guide Posted Online
September 14, 2023	Transportation Policy Committee Adoption
September 15, 2023	• Call for Applications
September 18, 2023	Informational Webinar
October 13, 2023	Deadline to Submit Applications
November 3, 2023	Awardees Notified
END OF NOV / EARLY DEC	Kick-off Meetings with Awardees
June-July 2024	Completion of Technical Assistance

www.morpc.org/program-service/technical-assistance-program

INTEL AREA HAPPENINGS

- ODOT July Funding Announcement
- MORPC Request for Proposals Intel Area Long Range Planning Support (coming soon)
- ODOT Central Ohio Workforce Transit Plan

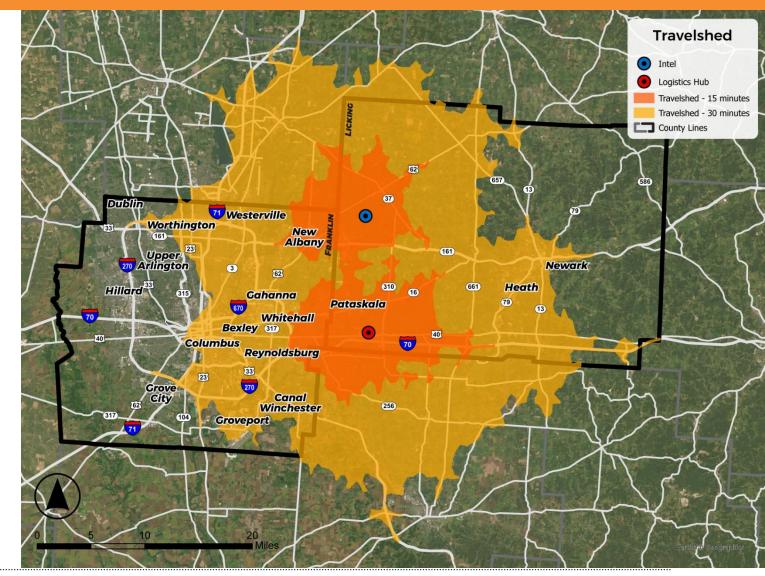


WHERE THE WORKFORCE WILL TRAVEL FROM



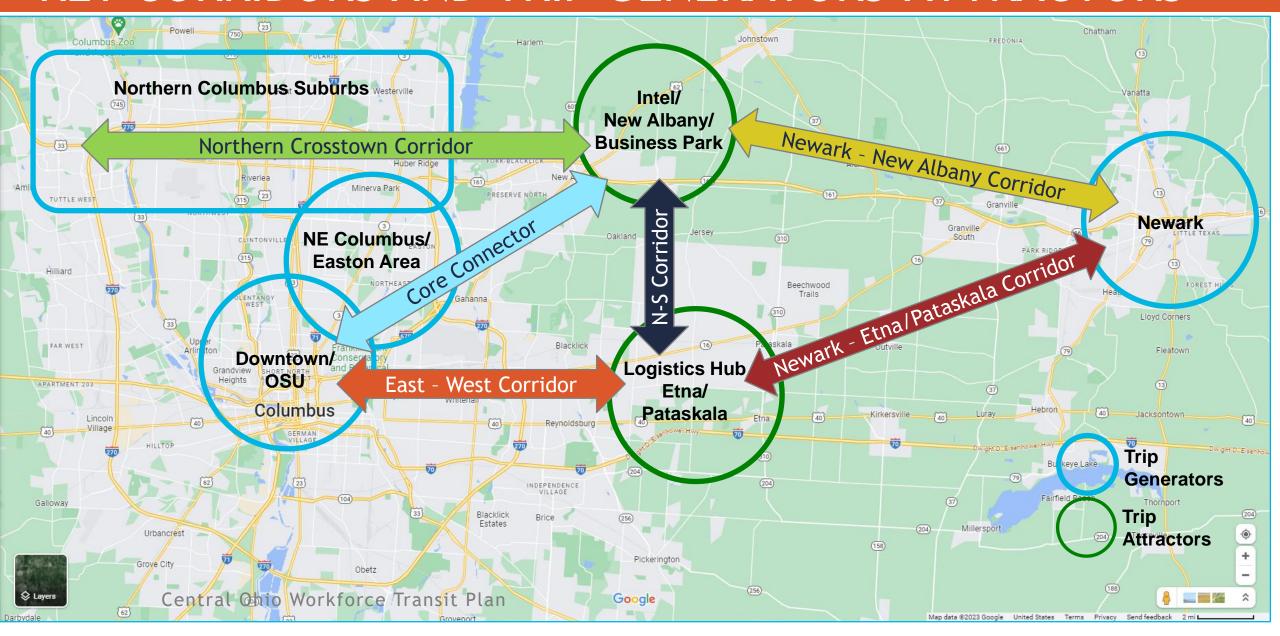
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POTENTIAL TRANSIT HUB LOCATIONS

