State of Mobility

Regional Challenges and Opportunities
Central Ohio is growing and changing in significant ways.
Where are we now?

- LinkUS Initiative Launched
- Multiple Corridor Projects with Two Currently Underway
- Based off Insight2050 Corridor Concepts Study
Addressing 21st Century Challenges

The LinkUS priorities and the priorities of our region aim to improve conditions and maintain our competitive advantages.

Equity
Innovation
Economic Development
Workforce Advancement
Affordability
Sustainability

If we want to experience different outcomes, we need to do something different.
The State of Mobility Report

- Establishes the “WHY” for mobility investment
- Affirms existing and ongoing efforts
- Identifies our transportation needs
- Showcases those things most foundational to understanding mobility trends in our region (not just transportation characteristics)
Key Takeaways

- Areas of lowest opportunity are primarily low income, minority communities
- The impacts of historic redlining are still being realized today
- Socially vulnerable communities are also more likely to have individuals living with chronic diseases
Key Takeaways

▪ Our most vulnerable communities are the most cost burdened with housing and transportation
▪ Communities of lowest access to opportunity experience more dangerous roads
▪ Columbus should continue to invest in connections to parks

23% Average Household Income Spent on Transportation (Columbus MSA)
38,000 Households Without Vehicle Access
28% Total Households at or Approaching Cost-Burdened
65% Of Serious Crashes Occur on 10% of Our Streets
68% Residents Within a 10-Minute Walk from a Park (55% National Average)
8% City Land Used for Parks and Recreation (15% National Median)
Disbursement of job centers make it more difficult to connect employees with multimodal options.

There is a spatial mismatch between our jobs, our housing, and our low-income communities.

59% of Jobs in our Region Take More Than 90 Minutes from Low-Income Neighborhoods
Establish a shared understanding of WHY this is important

Publish the State of Mobility Report

Spring ‘21

Identify WHAT mobility investments make the greatest impacts

Establish Priority Networks and Aligned Investments

Spring ‘21 – Fall ‘21

Outline HOW to accomplish implementation of the system

Identify Implementation Strategies

Summer ‘21 – Early ‘22