

CITIZENS MULTIMODAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE (CMAC)

MEETING OF TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2020 (12:30 PM - 2:30 PM)

CITY OF TALLAHASSEE COMMISSION CHAMBERS 300 S. ADAMS STREET TALLAHASSEE, FL 32301

AGENDA

- 1. AGENDA MODIFICATIONS
- 2. PUBLIC COMMENT ON ITEMS NOT APPEARING ON THE AGENDA
- 3. Consent Agenda
 - A. Minutes of the October 6, 2020 Meeting
 - B. CMAC 2021 Calendar
- 4. Consent Items Pulled for Discussion
- 5. Presentation/Discussion/Action
 - A. Connections 2045 Regional Mobility Plan Adoption

This item seeks adoption of the CRTPA's long range transportation plan, "Connections 2045 Regional Mobility Plan".

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Adopt the Long Range Transportation Plan, "Connections 2045 Regional Mobility Plan"

B. Election of Year 2021 Chair and Vice Chair

Annually, the CMAC elects a new Chair and Vice Chair to serve for the subsequent year. Current leaders may be re-elected and the current Chair and Vice Chair are Ms. Mary Kay Falconer and Ms. Wanda Carter, respectively.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Elect a Chair and Vice Chair to serve in 2021.

6. **INFORMATION**

- A. Future Meeting Dates
- 7. <u>ITEMS FROM COMMITTEE MEMBERS OR STAFF</u>
- 8. ADJOURNMENT



CITIZENS MULTIMODAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE (CMAC)

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2020 (11:30 AM - 1:30 PM)

NOTE:

Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, this meeting was conducted virtually.

Meeting Minutes

<u>Members Present:</u> Mary Kay Falconer, Chair; Wanda Carter, Vice Chair; Terry Basham; Rodger Holdener; Marcus Thompkins; Dan Beaty; Chad Hanson; Dara Osher.

<u>Staff Present:</u> Greg Slay, Executive Director, CRTPA; Jack Kostrzewa, CRTPA; Greg Burke, CRTPA; Suzanne Lex, CRTPA; Donna Green, FDOT; Kate Widness, Kimley Horn and Associates; Jon Sewell, Kimley Horn and Associates.

- 1. AGENDA MODIFICATIONS
- 2. Public Comment on Items Not Appearing on the Agenda
 None
- 3. Consent Agenda
- 4. ITEMS CONSENT ITEMS PULLED FOR DISCUSSION
 - 3.A Minutes of the September 1, 2020 CMAC Meeting

Committee Action: Ms. Carter made a motion to approve the Minutes of the September 1, 2020 CMAC Meeting Minutes with the modification to correct the word "Draft" on page 3 (Committee Action). Mr. Basham seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously passed.

3.B Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) Amendment

Ms. Lex briefly stated this amendment would align the funding that was moved from the current year funds from Congestion Management into next year's budget.

Ms. Falconer asked for clarification on the additions.

Ms. Lex stated there may be areas where additional support/data collection may be need but didn't have a budget line for those activities. She noted this amendment gives staff the ability to supplement the work products.

Committee Action: Mr. Beaty made a motion to approve the Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) Amendment. Ms. Carter seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously passed.

5. Presentation/Discussion/Action

The public is welcome to comment on any discussion item after a motion has been made and seconded. Each member of the public is provided three (3) minutes to address the committee.

A. Thomasville Road Multi-Use Trail Feasibility Study

A feasibility study related to a Thomasville Road was discussed.

Mr. Kostrzewa introduced the Thomasville Road Multi-use Path Feasibilty Study, noting at the beginning of the year staff began the Thomasville Multi-use Path Feasibility Study, which came from the recently completed Tallahassee Leon County Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan. Mr. Kostrzewa stated this corridor would provide a connection between Midtown Area and Market District. The next phase would be the Public Involvement phase which will start after the presentation to the Board on October 19, 2020.

Kate Widness, Kimley Horn and Associates, provided background information on the feasibility study for constructing a multiuse path along the Thomasville Road corridor. Ms. Widness stated this project was one of the key projects identified within the Tallahassee Leon County Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan. Ms. Widness noted this was the Feasibility Study, studying the feasibility of a multi-use path along the Thomasville Road Corridor.

Project Intent

Ms. Widness stated this project was a pilot project from the TLC Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan 2019 Update. Ms. Widness stated this project was a technical review of a 12' wide asphalt multi-use path along the Thomasville Road corridor and this would be an important bicycle network connection. This project would connect two distinct areas in Tallahassee "Midtown" and "Market Street"

Goals

The goals of the projects include <u>Safety-providing</u> a safe connections between the destinations along Thomasville Road; <u>Accessibility-Create</u> a facility that is accessibile to a variety of user types and be appropriate for at least three of the four cycle comfort levels; <u>Network Connectivity-Grow network connectivity</u> by providing opportunities to access destinations along and beyond Thomasville Road; <u>Positive User Experience-Ensure positive user experience</u> by incorporating natural features, creative design and ADA compliance; <u>Equitable-Make the facility available to people with disabilities, lower incomes, aging populations</u>; <u>Multimodal-Accommodate a variety of moves on the facility, and <u>Health and Recreation-Provide</u> opportunities for extended trips to recreate and exercise.</u>

Project Approach

This project will have a two phased approach. Part one, Betton Road to Metropolitan Boulevard and Part two, Metropolitan Boulevard to Maclay Boulevard.

Completed Activities

Ms. Widness disussed the completed activities including site reconnaissance; existing conditions assessment; opportunites and challenges; developed guiding principles of design; meetings with Bicycle-Pedestrian Master Plan working group. The Thomasville Road Multi-use Path project would provide north/south connectivity between Northeast Tallahassee and the Market District, Midtown, Downtown (Via Neighborhood Network), FAMU Way and Cascades Park and the St. Marks Trail.

Next Step

Ms. Widness stated the next steps would be the public engagement phase starting October 2020. Public Involvement would include stakeholder meetings, coordination with local neighborhood associations, organize engagement opportunities with general public.

Ms. Falconer stated the Market Street Stormwater facility will be a community asset and an asset to this project. Ms. Falconer expressed concerns regarding education for the community prior to the public engagement phase of the project. Ms. Widness noted there would be a newsletter to educate prior to meeting with the neighborhoods and the public. Ms. Osher made comments regarding the outreach and the alternatives and connections to the surrounding parks. She discussed branding for the project and stated this could be improved to include someone in wheelchair. Mr. Thompkins stated this would be an asset to anyone in the community. He asked if there were plans to include shock absorbent materials for the sidewalks/paths. Ms. Widness stated the design elements would be addressed as apart of the design phase. Mr. Thompkins asked how far along was the plan in the approval process. Ms. Widness stated this would be considered a plan to determine the feasibility of this project.

Committee Action: No Action Required

B. US 90 Multi-Use Trail Feasibility Study

A discussion related to the development of the US 90 Multi-Use Trail Feasibility Study was provided.

Mr. Burke provided background information on the US 90 Multi-Use Trail Feasibility Study. He noted this project began earlier this year and stated the team has met with Jefferson County and the City of Monticello regarding the study. This project would connect Tallahassee to Monticello and this project was currently on the SUNTrails system.

Kate Widness, Kimley Horn and Associates, provided background information on the feasibility study for constructing a shared-use path along the US 90 Highway corridor.

Project Purpose and Background

This project would connect the City of Tallahassee to the City of Monticello via a 10-12 ft paved shared use path. The project limits are Pedrick Road (west limit) to existing Monticello Bike Trail (east limit). This project will consist of two phases with Phase 1 being the feasibility study, which began October 2019 and Phase 2 the public engagement portion, anticipated to begin Fall 2020.

Project Goals

Ms. Widness stated the goals of the project include providing a safe, continuous multimodal facility between Tallahassee and Monticello, expanding upon the growing SUNTrails Regional Trails Network, providing a new alternative transportation opportunity for residents, businesses and visitors along the US 90 Corridor in addition to spurring economic development.

Stakeholder Engagement

Staff met with stakeholders from the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP), Hilltop Country Store owners, property owners, the City of Monticello and Jefferson County Board of County Commissioners.

Existing Conditions

Along this corridor roadway speeds vary from 35-55 mph. On the portion from Pedrick Road to East of Summit Lake Drive, the roadway is 4-Lane bidirectional with medians. From Summit Lake Drive to Monticello Courthouse, the roadway is 2-Lane bidirectional with paved shoulders. Also noted, onstreet parking east of entering the Monticello City Limit. There are sidewalks from Pedrick to I-10 Interchange, sidewalks begin again at Crooked Creek Lane in Monticello. In addition there are designated on-street bicycle lane from Pedrick Road to east of Summit Lake Drive.

Opportunities Along the Corridor

Existing and current conditions that would add value to a trail and would be beneficial to trail user, including shade, aesthetic, and an existing bicycle route.

Challenges Along the Corridor

Elements that would make trail construction difficult or would limit feasibility of constructing the trail including right-of -way, crepe myrtles and trail crossings in some areas. Areas where challenges exist include I-10 Interchange, east of Hawk's Landing Drive, east of Baum Road, US 90 near Jefferson Road intersection, Hilltop County Store (different options being reviewed), Lake Miccosukee (boardwalk and bridge) and downtown Monticello (Limited Right-of-way). Ms. Wideness presented opportunities to address the challenges.

Opportunity 1 would include crossings at Hawks Landing and Baum Road. The pros and cons of opportunity 1: limited number of crossings on US 90 to two and no right-of -way acquisition not required.

Opportunity 2 would eliminate the need for crossings but right-of-way is limited along the corridor. The pros and cons of opportunity 2: include no crossings, no right-of-way likely, utilizes low-volume roads to route the trail away from US 90.

Opportunity 3 would include limited number of crossing to two and no right-of-way needed.

What's Next

The next steps include finalize the feasibitly report with alternatives, public outreach for additional input and feedback on alternatives and project recommendations.

Committee Action: No Action Required

6. COMMITTEE INFORMATION

A. Future Meeting Dates

7. ITEMS FROM COMMITTEE MEMBERS OR STAFF

This portion of the agenda is provided to allow members and staff an opportunity to discuss items and issues relevant to the CRTPA.

Upcoming RMP Public Meetings were discussed by CRTPA staff as was the upcoming Mobility Week with Ms. Suzanne Lex noting she will send out email with link with additional information.

8. ADJOURNMENT

Committee Action: The meeting was adjourned at 1:14 pm.



COMMITTEE AGENDA ITEM 3B

2021 COMMITTEE MEETING CALENDAR

Type of Item: Consent

STATEMENT OF ISSUE

This item seeks approval of the 2021 CRTPA Committee meeting calendar, which has been developed in concert with the CRTPA 2021 calendar, scheduled to be approved by the CRTPA on November 23.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Option 1: Approve the 2021 Committee Meeting Calendar.

2020 CRTPA Board	Committee	TAC Time	CMAC Time
Dates	Dates		
January 19	January 5	9 AM – 11 AM	11:30 AM -1:30 PM
February 16	February 2	9 AM – 11 AM	11:30 AM -1:30 PM
March 16	March 2	9 AM – 11 AM	11:30 AM -1:30 PM
April 20	April 6	9 AM – 11 AM	11:30 AM -1:30 PM
May 18	May 4	9 AM – 11 AM	11:30 AM -1:30 PM
June 15	June 1	9 AM – 11 AM	11:30 AM -1:30 PM
September 21	September 7	9 AM – 11 AM	11:30 AM -1:30 PM
October 19 (Retreat)	October 5	9 AM – 11 AM	11:30 AM -1:30 PM
November 16	November 2	9 AM – 11 AM	11:30 AM -1:30 PM
December 21	December 7	9 AM – 11 AM	11:30 AM -1:30 PM





CONNECTIONS 2045 REGIONAL MOBILITY PLAN — COST FEASIBLE PLAN ADOPTION

STATEMENT OF **I**SSUE

The Project Team will be presenting the Connections 2045 Regional Mobility Plan Cost Feasible Plan (CFP) for adoption by the Board. There will be two components to the adoption process. The first step is to hold a Public Hearing to take comments, which will begin at 1:30 pm, and the second step will be to open the CRTPA Board Meeting (the start time is dependent upon the length of the Public Hearing) to adopt the Connections 2045 Regional Mobility Plan (RMP) and manage other CRTPA agenda items.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Option 1: Recommend the CRTPA Board adopt the Connections 2045 RMP Cost

Feasible Plan.

BACKGROUND

RMP Requirements

Per the CRTPA Public Involvement Plan, the Connections 2045 Regional Mobility Plan – Cost Feasible Plan was required to have a thirty (30) day comment period prior to the adoption of the RMP. That requirement was met with the Public meetings that were initiated on October 6. The other requirement for the RMP is to have a Public Hearing prior to the adoption of the document. To meet this requirement a Public Hearing will be held at 1:30 PM on November 23, 2020, prior to the CRTPA Board meeting. Once the comments have been received, the Public Hearing will close and the CRTPA Board meeting will open.

The Draft Connections 2045 Regional Mobility Plan (RMP) Cost Feasible Plan was presented to the CRTPA Board at the September 21, 2020 Board meeting. At that meeting the Board approved the Draft RMP which staff took to the public, via virtual meetings for comments. These meetings were held on October 6 (6PM), October 8 (4 PM), and October 14 (6 PM) with the following comments (responses provided in blue).

Under development

Changes to Cost Feasible Plan (CFP) Since September

There is one change to the CFP and that is the addition of the intersection at Mahan Drive and Capital Circle, SE. A Project Development and Environment (PD&E) phase was included in 2026 – 2030 to evaluate this intersection for potential improvements. Additional phases may be included as the PD&E Study comes to completion which is expected to occur during the next update to the RMP. The CFP with the new inclusion is shown as **Attachment 1**.

Cost Feasible Plan (CFP) Project Sheets

Since September the Project Team has also been working on project sheets for all the projects in the Cost Feasible Plan, Unfunded Needs Assessment projects, and projects from the Priority Project List that did not make it into the CFP. These sheets are shown as **Attachment 2**.

Connections 2045 Regional Mobility Plan Executive Summary

Lastly, the Project Team has developed an Executive Summary that provides an overview of the RMP process and projects in the CFP. The Executive Summary is shown as **Attachment 3**.

NEXT **S**TEPS

Following adoption of the RMP staff will send the document to the required review agencies and address and questions that are submitted.

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Connections 2045 Cost Feasible Plan.

Attachment 2: Cost Feasible Plan Project Sheets

Attachment 3: Connection 2045 RMP Executive Summary



CRTPA Regional Mobility Plan 2045

Cost Feasible Plan

	(a) regional mobility plan 2045	DRAFT as of 10/27/2020					202	20-203	0	203	1-2035	203	0-2045	
ID	Project Name	From	То	Strategy	Bike/Ped Transit	County	Funded Project Phases	YO		Funded Project Phases	YOE Cost	Funded Project Phases	YOE Cost	Total YOE Cost
7	Crawfordville Road	LL Wallace Road	Wakulla Springs Road	2 to 4 Lanes	Yes	Leon	CST	\$ 2	21,527,000		\$ -		\$ -	\$ 21,527,000
11.1*	Thomasville Road	Seventh Avenue	Monroe Street	Multimodal Operational	Yes Yes	Leon	D/CST	\$	4,514,000		\$ -		\$ -	\$ 4,514,000
11.2*	Thomasville Road	Bradford/Betton Rds	Seventh Avenue	Multimodal Operational	Yes Yes	Leon	D/CST	\$	6,546,000		\$ -		\$ -	\$ 6,546,000
12	Woodville Highway	Capital Circle SE	Paul Russell Road	2 to 4 Lanes	Yes Yes	Leon	CST	\$ 3	36,828,000		\$ -		\$ -	\$ 36,828,000
45**	US 90 (Mahan Drive) at Capital Circle NE			Major Intersection Reconfiguration	Yes Yes	Leon	PDE	\$	2,640,000					\$ 2,640,000
4.1	Crawfordville Road	East Ivan Road	Wakulla Arran Road	2 to 4 Lanes	Yes	Wakulla	ROW	\$ 2	20,281,000	CST	\$ 39,475,000		\$ -	\$ 59,756,000
21.1	Orange Avenue	Capital Circle SW	South Lake Bradford Road	Access Management and Multimodal Improvements	Yes Yes	Leon	D	\$	286,000	CST	\$ 2,239,000		\$ -	\$ 2,525,000
21.2	Orange Avenue	South Lake Bradford Road	Lake Bradford Road	2 to 4 Lanes	Yes Yes	Leon	D/ROW	\$ 1	11,326,000	CST	\$ 15,609,000		\$ -	\$ 26,935,000
21.4	Orange Avenue	Lake Bradford Road	Monroe Street	2 to 4 Lanes	Yes Yes	Leon	ROW	\$ 1	15,708,000	CST	\$ 12,120,000		\$ -	\$ 27,828,000
22.1	Pensacola Street	Capital Circle SW	Appleyard Drive	2 to 4 Lanes	Yes Yes	Leon	PDE/D	\$	3,787,000	CST	\$ 15,883,000		\$ -	\$ 19,670,000
23***	Tharpe Street	Capital Circle NW	Ocala Road	2 to 4 Lanes	Yes Yes	Leon	D/ROW	\$ 3	33,206,000	CST	\$ 43,433,000		\$ -	\$ 76,639,000
4.2	Crawfordville Road	Wakulla Arran Road	Lost Creek Bridge	2 to 4 Lanes	Yes	Wakulla		\$	-	ROW	\$ 11,258,000	ROW/CST	\$ 84,036,000	\$ 95,294,000
5	Crawfordville Road	Lost Creek Bridge	North of Alaska Way	2 to 4 Lanes	Yes	Wakulla		\$	-	ROW	\$ 11,160,000	ROW/CST	\$ 122,795,000	\$ 133,955,000
6	Crawfordville Road	Wakulla County Line	LL Wallace Road	2 to 4 Lanes	Yes	Leon		\$	-	ROW	\$ 12,929,000	CST	\$ 30,745,000	\$ 43,674,000
8	Interstate 10	(Midway) US 90 Interchange	Gadsden/Leon County Line	4 to 6 Lanes		Gadsden	PDE	\$	3,812,000	D	\$ 4,092,000	CST	\$ 45,285,000	\$ 53,189,000
9	Interstate 10	Gadsden/Leon County Line	West of Capital Circle NW	4 to 6 Lanes		Leon	PDE	\$	2,079,000	D	\$ 2,984,000	ROW/CST	\$ 74,821,000	\$ 79,884,000
100	ITS and Intersection Projects					General MPO	CST	\$ 1	17,284,000	CST	\$ 22,135,000	CST	\$ 61,236,000	\$ 100,655,000
300	Bike/Ped Projects				Yes	General MPO	CST	\$ 2	27,130,000	CST	\$ 33,290,000	CST	\$ 38,850,000	\$ 99,270,000

^{*} Assumed CRTPA/Blueprint Partnership

PDE = Project Development and Environmental

D = Design

ROW = Right-of-way

CST = Construction

ITS = Intelligent Transportation System

YOE = Year of Expenditure

Unfunded Needs Identified in Priority Project List

ID	Project Name	From	То	Strategy	Bike/Ped Transit	County
48	Welaunee Boulevard	I-10 Interchange		New Interchange		Leon
44	Stadium Drive / SR 366	Lake Bradford Road		Roundabout	Yes Yes	Leon

^{**} Due to the complexity of this project, only PD&E is included in the CFP

^{***} Assumed Blueprint Project

East Ivan Road to Wakulla Arran Road



Project ID: 4.1

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Wakulla County

Project at a Glance

Improvement Type: Widen from 2 to 4 Lanes

Miles

Length: 2.1 Miles

Estimated Total Cost: \$59,756,000

Project Timeline

Timeline Project Development and Environment Design Right of Way Construction Complete 2026-2030 2031-2035 2036-2045 \$20,281,000 \$39,475,000

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Project Description

Crawfordville Road is proposed to be widened from two to four lanes from East Ivan Road to the Lost Creek Bridge. Buffered bicycle lanes, downtown parking improvements, sidewalks and street lighting will also be included as part of this project. This segment from East Ivan Road to Wakulla Arran Road is one segment of the entire project.

Existing Facilities Planned Facilities

Sidewalk	Sidewalk
Bike Lane	Bike Lane

Shared-Use Path	Shared-Use Path
Transit Stop	Transit Stop

Freight Route

Funding Type

Freight Route

\checkmark	Other Arterial
	Strategic Intermodal System
	Blueprint Project

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Wakulla Arran Road to Lost Creek Bridge



Project ID: 4.2

Wakulla County

Project at a Glance

Improvement Type: Widen from 2 to 4 Lanes

Length: 2.5 Miles

Estimated Total Cost: \$95,294,000

Project Timeline

Timeline	Project Development and Environment	Design	Right of Way	Construction
Complete				
2026-2030				
2031-2035				
2036-2045				
Cost			\$11,258,000	\$84,036,000

Project Description

Crawfordville Road is proposed to be widened from two to four lanes from East Ivan Road to the Lost Creek Bridge. Buffered bicycle lanes, downtown parking improvements, sidewalks and street lighting will also be included as part of this project. This segment from Wakulla Arran Road to the Lost Creek Bridge is one segment of the entire project.

Community Features

This portion of Crawfordville Highway provides access to six places of worship and the Crawfordville Volunteer Fire Department. Also along the corridor is the Old Wakulla County Courthouse, a building listed on the national register of historic places.

Existing Facilities Planned Facilities

Sidewalk	Sidewalk
Bike Lane	Bike Lane
Shared-Use Path	Shared-Use Path
Transit Stop	Transit Stop
Freight Route	Freight Route

Funding Type

V	Other Arterial
	Strategic Intermodal System
	Blueprint Project

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Lost Creek Bridge to North of Alaska Way



Project at a Glance

Improvement Type: Widen from 2 to 4 Lanes

Length: 3.4 Miles

Estimated Total Cost: \$133,955,000

Project Timeline

Timeline	Project Development and Environment	Design	Right of Way	Construction
Complete				
2026-2030				
2031-2035				
2036-2045				
Cost			\$11,160,000	\$122,795,000

Project Description

Crawfordville Road is proposed to be widened from two to four lanes from the Lost Creek Bridge to just north of Alaska Way. This section of Crawfordville Road (US 319) is the connection point from US 98 for travelers driving north to Tallahassee or south towards Apalachicola. The proposed widening of this road should improve traffic flow for this junction.

Community Features

This segment of Crawfordville Road provides access to four places of worship, the Wakulla County Public Library, Tallahassee Community College (TCC), and the Wakulla Environmental Institute (WEI).

Existing Facilities Planned Facilities

1	Sidewalk	Sidewalk
	Bike Lane	🟑 Bike Lane

ı	Shared-Use Path	Shared-Use Path
	Transit Stop	Transit Stop
I	Freight Route	Freight Route

Funding Type

V	Other Arterial
	Strategic Intermodal System
	Blueprint Project

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Wakulla County Line to LL Wallace Road



Project at a Glance

Improvement Type: Widen from 2 to 4 Lanes

Length: 2.0 Miles

Estimated Total Cost: \$43,674,000

Project Description

Crawfordville Road is proposed to be widened from two to four lanes from the Wakulla County line to LL Wallace Road. Crawfordville Road (US 319) is a major north-south thoroughfare connecting Florida's coast along the Gulf of Mexico to Tallahassee and further north into Georgia. The proposed widening of this road should improve traffic flow for this segment of Crawfordville Road.

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Blueprint Project

Timeline	Project Development and Environment	Design	Right of Way	Construction
Complete				
2026-2030				
2031-2035				
2036-2045				
Cost			\$12,929,000	\$30,745,000

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LL Wallace Road to Wakulla Springs Road



Project at a Glance

Improvement Type: Widen from 2 to 4 Lanes

Length: 1.9 Miles

Estimated Total Cost: \$21,527,000

Project Description

Crawfordville Road is proposed to be widened from two to four lanes from LL Wallace Road to Wakulla Springs Road. US 319 is a major north-south thoroughfare providing the connection to Florida's coast along the Gulf of Mexico to Tallahassee and further north into Georgia. This section of Crawfordville Road (US 319) is the connection point to FL 61, which leads to the Wakulla Springs State Park. The proposed widening of this road should improve traffic flow for this junction.

Existing Facilities Planned Facilities

Sidewalk	Sidewalk
Bike Lane	Bike Lane

Ŀ	Shared-Use Path	Shared-Use Path

Transit Stop

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Freight Route	Freight Route

Funding Type

Transit Stop

/	Other Arterial
	Strategic Intermodal System

Blueprint Project

Timeline	Project Development and Environment	Design	Right of Way	Construction
Complete			No purchase needed	
2026-2030				
2031-2035				
2036-2045				
Cost				\$21,527,000

Interstate 10

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(Midway) US 90 Interchange to Gadsden/Leon County Line



Project ID: 8

Project at a Glance

Improvement Type: Widen from 4 to 6 Lanes

Length: 1.7 Miles

Estimated Total Cost: \$53,189,000

Project Description

Interstate 10 is a major east-west thoroughfare that runs through Florida from Jacksonville to Tallahassee to Pensacola. This project is proposing to widen Interstate 10 from four to six lanes from the US 90 Interchange to the Gadsden/Leon County line. This project is included in the Florida Department of Transportation's cost feasible plan for the Strategic Intermodal System Network.

Existing Facilities Planned Facilities

Sidewalk	Sidewalk
Bike Lane	Bike Lane

Shared-Use Path	Shared-Use Path

Transit Stop	Transit Stop

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Funding Type

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Blueprint Project

Timeline	Project Development and Environment	Design	Right of Way	Construction
Complete			No purchase needed	
2026-2030				
2031-2035				
2036-2045				
Cost	\$3,812,000	\$4,092,000		\$45,285,000

Interstate 10

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Gadsden/Leon County Line to West of Capital Circle NW



Project at a Glance

Improvement Type: Widen from 4 to 6 Lanes

Length: 1.8 Miles

Estimated Total Cost: \$79,884,000

Project Description

Interstate 10 is a major east-west thoroughfare that runs through Florida from Jacksonville to Tallahassee to Pensacola. This project is proposing to widen Interstate 10 from four to six lanes from the Gadsden/Leon County line to just west of Capital Circle NW. This project is included in the Florida Department of Transportation's cost feasible plan for the Strategic Intermodal System Network.

Existing Facilities	Planned Facilities
Sidewalk	Sidewalk
Bike Lane	Bike Lane

Shared-Use Path Shared-Use Path
Transit Stop Transit Stop

Freight Route Freight Route

Funding Type

Other Arterial

Strategic Intermodal System

Blueprint Project

Timeline	Project Development and Environment	Design	Right of Way	Construction
Complete				
2026-2030				
2031-2035				
2036-2045			-	
Cost	\$2,079,000	\$2,984,000	\$1,025,000	\$73,796,000

Thomasville Road

Seventh Avenue to Monroe Street



Project ID: 11.1

Project at a Glance

Improvement Type: Multimodal Operational Improvements

Length: 0.6 Miles

Estimated Total Cost: \$4,514,000

Project Timeline

Timeline	Project Development and Environment	Design	Right of Way	Construction
Complete			No purchase needed	
2026-2030				
2031-2035				
2036-2045				
Cost		\$554,000		\$3,960,000

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Project Description

Removal of the center turn lane along Thomasville Road from Monroe Street to 7th Avenue is proposed to make additional space in the right-of-way for wider sidewalks/shared-use paths.

NOTE: the removal of the turn lane is only to 7th; the next segment is removal of travel lanes.

Community Features

This segment of Thomasville Road provides access to one place of worship and the Wakulla County Public Library. There are also many businesses, including restaurants and bars, along the road.

Existing Facilities Planned Facilities

- Sidewalk Sidewalk
- Bike Lane Bike Lane
- Shared-Use Path Shared-Use Path Transit Stop Transit Stop
- Freight Route Freight Route

Funding Type

- Other Arterial
- Strategic Intermodal System
- **Blueprint Project**

Thomasville Road

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Bradford Road/Betton Road to Seventh Avenue



Project at a Glance

Improvement Type: Multimodal Operational Improvements

Length: 0.8 Miles

Estimated Total Cost: \$6,546,000

Project Description

Lane reduction from 6 to 4 lanes is proposed along this segment from approximately Colonial Drive to Bradford Road/Betton Road to accommodate a shared-use path.

Community Features

This segment of Thomasville Road provides access to many businesses, including a grocery store.

Existing Facilities Planned Facilities

- 🖊 Sidewalk 📈 Sidewalk
- Bike Lane Bike Lane
- Shared-Use Path Shared-Use Path
- ✓ Transit Stop
 ✓ Transit Stop
 Freight Route
 Freight Route

Funding Type

- Other Arterial
- Strategic Intermodal System
- Blueprint Project

Timeline	Project Development and Environment	Design	Right of Way	Construction
Complete			No purchase needed	
2026-2030				
2031-2035				
2036-2045				
Cost		\$804,000		\$5,742,000

Woodville Highway



Capital Circle SE to Paul Russell Road (SR 263)



Project ID: 12

Project at a Glance

Improvement Type: Widen from 2 to 4 Lanes

Length: 2.1 Miles

Estimated Total Cost: \$36,828,000

Project Timeline

Timeline	Project Development and Environment	Design	Right of Way	Construction
Complete			No purchase needed	
2026-2030				
2031-2035				
2036-2045				
Cost	0.0			\$36,828,000

Project Description

Woodville Highway is proposed to be widened from 2 lanes to 4 lanes to better accommodate commuter traffic just South of Tallahassee. The widening will occur on Woodville Highway between Capital Circle Southeast and Gaile Avenue. From Gaile Avenue north to Tram Road a loop configuration is proposed. Woodville Highway is one of the major thoroughfares for commuters between Wakulla and Leon County. This roadway also leads down to the coast making it a popular route for weekend visitors to travel along.

Community Features

This portion of Woodville Highway provides access to four places of worship and the Gene Cox Stadium.

Existing Facilities Planned Facilities

Sidewalk	Sidewalk
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Bike Lane	Bike Lane

Transit Stop	Transit Stop
Freight Route	Freight Route

Funding Type

√	Other Arterial
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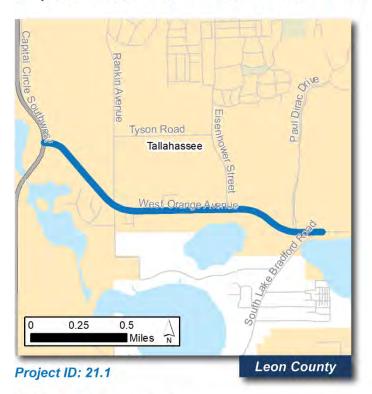
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Blueprint Project

Orange Avenue

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Capital Circle SW to South Lake Bradford Road



Project at a Glance

Improvement Type: Access Management and Multimodal

Length: 1.6 Miles

Estimated Total Cost: \$2,525,000

Project Description

Orange Avenue is proposed to be widened from two to four lanes from Capital Circle SW to Monroe Street. This extension will improve the connection between two north-south corridors, Capital Circle and Monroe Street. This segment from Capital Circle SE to South Lake Bradford Road is one segment of the entire project. Coordination with nearby roadway projects will allow for the efficient handling of commuter traffic traveling in southern Tallahassee during peak hours.

Community Features

This portion of Orange Avenue provides access to the Tallahassee Museum, one place of worship, and a mobile home community.

Existing Facilities Planned Facilities

// Sidewalk	Sidewalk

Bike Lane		Bike Lane		
	Shared-Use Path	Shared-Use P	ath	

Transit Stop	Transit Stop
Freight Route	Freight Route

Funding Type

~	Other Arterial
	Strategic Intermodal System
	Blueprint Project

Timeline	Project Development and Environment	Design	Right of Way	Construction
Complete			No purchase needed	
2026-2030				
2031-2035				
2036-2045				
Cost		\$286,000		\$2,239,000

Orange Avenue

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South Lake Bradford Road to Lake Bradford Road



Project at a Glance

Improvement Type: Widen from 2 to 4 Lanes

Length: 0.5 Miles

Estimated Total Cost: \$26,935,000

Project Description

Orange Avenue is proposed to be widened from two to four lanes from Capital Circle SW to Monroe Street. This extension will improve the connection between two north-south corridors, Capital Circle and Monroe Street. This segment from South Lake Bradford Road to Lake Bradford Road is one section of the entire project. Coordination with nearby roadway project will allow for the efficient handling of commuter traffic traveling in southern Tallahassee during peak hours.

Existing Facilities Planned Facilities

Sidewalk	Sidewalk
Bike Lane	Bike Lane
Shared-Use Path	Shared-Use Path
Transit Stop	Transit Stop
Freight Route	Freight Route

Funding Type

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	Strategic Intermodal System
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Timeline	Project Development and Environment	Design	Right of Way	Construction
Complete				
2026-2030				
2031-2035				7
2036-2045				
Cost		\$1,994,000	\$9,332,000	\$15,609,000

Orange Avenue

Lake Bradford Road to Monroe Street



Project at a Glance

Improvement Type: Widen from 2 to 4 Lanes

Length: 1.7 Miles

Estimated Total Cost: \$27,828,000

Project Timeline

Project Development Timeline Right of Way Construction Design and Environment Complete 2026-2030 2031-2035 2036-2045 \$15,708,000 \$12,120,000 Cost

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Project Description

Orange Avenue is proposed to be widened from two to four lanes from Capital Circle SW to Monroe Street. This extension will improve the connection between two north-south corridors, Capital Circle and Monroe Street. This segment from Lake Bradford Road to Monroe Street is one section of the entire project. This segment's proximity to Florida A&M University's would benefit students, faculty, and staff.

Community Features

This segment of Orange Avenue provides access to two places of worship, one preschool, and the FAMU Community Garden. There are also three educational institutions along the road: Nims Junior High School, R. Frank Nims Middle School, and the Florida A&M University Development Research School.

Existing Facilities Planned Facilities

7	Sidewalk	Sidewalk
	Bike Lane	Bike Lane

Shared-Use Path	Shared-Use Path
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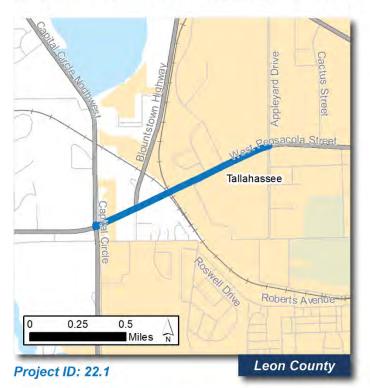
Transit Stop	Transit Stop	
Freight Route	Freight Route	

Funding Type

,	Other Arterial
	Strategic Intermodal System
Г	Blueprint Project

Pensacola Street

Capital Circle SW to Appleyard Drive



Project at a Glance

Improvement Type: Widen from 2 to 4 Lanes

Length: 1 Mile

Estimated Total Cost: \$19,670,000

Project Timeline

Timeline	Project Development and Environment	Design	Right of Way	Construction
Complete			No purchase needed	
2026-2030				
2031-2035				
2036-2045				
Cost	\$1,758,000	\$2,029,000		\$15,883,000

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Project Description

Pensacola Street from Capital Circle NW to Appleyard Drive is proposed to be widened from two lanes to four lanes. This street is a popular peak hour commuter route. This expansion should work in conjunction with the Capital Circle Southwest Improvements to improve the flow of commuter traffic on the southwest side of Tallahassee. These improvements should also greatly affect the traffic capacity outside of Tallahassee Community College ensuring their faculty, staff, and students are able to travel to and from campus efficiently.

Community Features

This segment of Orange Avenue provides access to Tallahassee Community College (TCC).

Existing Facilities Sidewalk Sidewalk Bike Lane Shared-Use Path Transit Stop Freight Route Planned Facilities Sidewalk Sidewalk Sidewalk Sidewalk This sidewalk Sidewalk This sidewalk

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	Strategic Intermodal System
	Blueprint Project

Tharpe Street

Capital Circle NW to Ocala Road



Project at a Glance

Improvement Type: Widen from 2 to 4 Lanes

Length: 2.6 Miles

Estimated Total Cost: \$76,639,000

Project Timeline

Timeline	Project Development and Environment	Design	Right of Way	Construction
Complete				
2026-2030				
2031-2035				
2036-2045				
Cost		\$5,548,000	\$27,658,000	\$43,433,000

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Project Description

This proposed project will widen the existing two-way, two-lane roadway to a four-lane roadway with median. This project is intended to address current and future congestion, as well as increase the level of service and better the flow of traffic for individuals traveling on the western side of Tallahassee. The project area provides a direct connection between the commercial areas near Capital Circle NW and the commercial development along W Tharpe Street east of the project area.

Community Features

This segment of Tharpe Street provides access to two places of worship, one private school, one preschool, and one day care center.

Existing Facilities Planned Facilities

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Sidewalk	Sidewall

	Bike Lane	Bike Lane
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Shared-Use Path	Shared-Use Path

V	Transit Stop	ransit Stop
	Freight Route	Freight Route

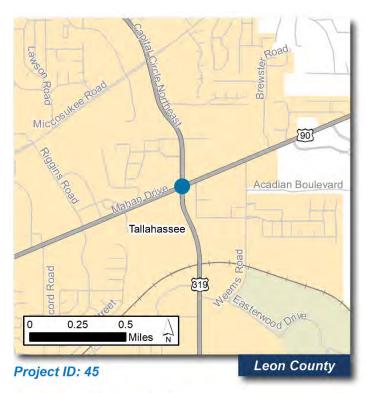
Funding Type

Other Arterial

Strategic Intermodal System

Blueprint Project

US 90 (Mahan Drive) at Capital Circle NE



Project at a Glance

Improvement Type: Major Intersection Reconfiguration

Length: N/A

Estimated Total Cost: \$2,640,000

Project Timeline

Project Description

This project will reconfigure the intersection of US 90 and Capital Circle NE. Two major roadways meet at this intersection, leading to high levels of congestion at peak times. The proposed modification is intended to improve traffic flow and increase the efficiency of vehicle movement in western Tallahassee. In order to improve the efficiency and safety for all users, bicycle lanes, signage, and crosswalks are recommended. At this time, the project is only recommended for Project Development and Environmental Study to better understand feasible alternatives.

Community Features

Two major commuter routes converge at this intersection which provides access to one place of worship and several businesses.

Existing Facilities Planned Facilities

🖊 Sidewalk 📝 Sidewalk

Bike Lane Bike Lane

Shared-Use Path Shared-Use Path

✓ Transit Stop ✓ Transit Stop

Funding Type

Other Arterial

Strategic Intermodal System

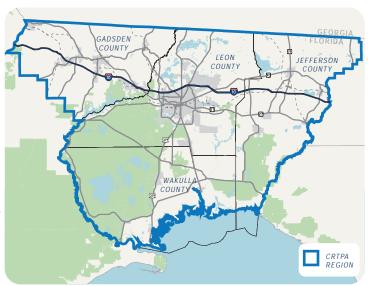
Blueprint Project

Timeline	Project Development and Environment	Design	Right of Way	Construction
Complete				
2026-2030				
2031-2035				
2036-2045				
Cost	\$2,640,000			

Executive Summary

Who We Are

The Capital Region Transportation Planning Agency (CRTPA) is the metropolitan planning organization (MPO) serving the Capital Region, and includes members from Gadsden, Leon, Jefferson and Wakulla County Commissions, the City of Tallahassee City Commission and the Leon County School Board. The CRTPA is responsible for insuring adequate representation and compatibility of state, county, and municipal projects in the transportation planning process. This includes consideration of all modes of transportation with respect to the needs of the elderly and handicapped



as outlined in the Americans with Disabilities Act. The CRTPA also has two committees that serve in advisory roles: the Citizens Multimodal Advisory Committee (CMAC) and the Technical Advisory Committee (TAC). For additional information on the CRTPA or the Advisory Committees please go to www.crtpa.org.

Our Mission

The mission of the CRTPA is to act as the principal forum for collective transportation policy discussions that results in the development of a long range transportation plan which creates an integrated regional multimodal transportation network that supports sustainable development patterns and promotes economic growth.



Our Vision

The vision of the CRTPA is to create an integrated regional multimodal transportation network that provides the most options for moving people and goods economically, effectively, and safely while protecting the environment, promoting economic development, and maintaining a high quality of life with sustainable development patterns.

What is an RMP?

The Regional Mobility Plan (RMP) characterizes current and future transportation needs and highlights the multimodal recommendations to address these needs. The plan must be reviewed and updated every five years. In addition, the plan must be fiscally constrained, meaning that CRTPA cannot plan to spend more money than the MPO can reasonably expect to receive for project implementation through the year 2045. A further consideration is that the eligibility of projects to receive federal funding is dependent on their inclusion in the RMP.

To meet federal regulations, the Regional Mobility Plan (RMP) must:

- Provide a minimum 20-year plan horizon
- Identify long-range transportation goals and specific long- and short-range investment strategies
- Support regional land use and economic development policies and plans
- Demonstrate fiscal constraint for all funded projects
- Reflect a broad set of public and stakeholder input

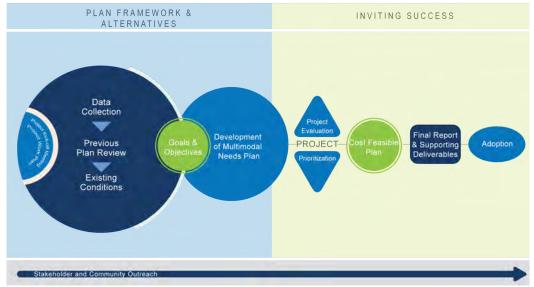
How will this plan be used?

The Connections 2045 RMP will serve as the planning document to guide the MPO area's transportation improvements through the horizon year 2045. The plan is used to direct funding to the MPO and its member jurisdictions for transportation related projects. The plan identifies recommendations and provides a prioritized list of projects with their associated planning horizon and anticipated funding source.

Planning Process

The plan responds to existing needs and anticipated concerns for congestion, safety, access, and connectivity. The planning process required a cooperative effort between multiple jurisdictions, key stakeholders, and citizens. Designed to create an open dialogue among the larger community, the planning process aimed to create a more nimble, adaptable plan for the future.

The process flow chart below describes the planning process of the Connections 2045 RMP.



Project Goals

The vision of the Connections 2045 RMP is outlined through the nine goal areas below. These goal areas are reflective of FAST Act (federal) guidance, statewide goals, and local priorities.



Improve the safety of transportation facilities for all residents and visitors in the region.



Enhance connectivity between destinations within the region by different travel modes, such as bicycle, vehicular, and transit.



Provide all residents and visitors with access to different transportation options to create economic opportunities and improve quality of life throughout the region.



Promote a diversity of travel choices and facilitate movement and connections among people, jobs, goods and services, and other travel modes.



Coordinate transportation strategies and investments with local and regional land use initiatives to foster vibrant communities throughout the region.



Promote and implement transportation improvements for all modes ensuring resilience and security of the transportation system.



Coordinate transportation investments with local and regional economic development initiatives.



Protect the region's environmental, cultural, and historical areas of interest through best practices related to expansion of transportation opportunities.



Promote public health by increasing the diversity of travel choice, safety, and access to transportation facilities for all residents and visitors in the region.

Outreach Efforts

Public outreach was a major part of the Connections 2045 RMP development. A dedicated webpage was launched to give the public the ability to stay involved throughout the planning process. A public survey was released to gather feedback and to determine if the public view of transportation has changed since the previous plan was completed. In addition to a large Traffic Jam event, two rounds of public meetings were held to provide opportunities for public review and comment at key points of the plan development. In addition to traditional public meetings, the project team attended Winter Festival and engaged with stakeholders in the region. The COVID-19 pandemic impacted the ability to hold public meetings in the traditional manner of visiting each community for in-person meetings. Many of the meetings associated with the Connections 2045 RMP were held virtually to meet safety and best practices guidelines.



Committee Meetings

Local Government Interviews







Community Pop-Up at Winter Festival



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Roadway Projects

Cost Feasible Plan

Connections 2045 RMP

significant sum of money, the cost and number of roadway capital projects identified within the region total about \$3.6 billion (year of expenditure dollars) and outweigh the projected funding availability. Due to the financial constraints of the region, projects within the Needs Plan were prioritized to determine to have nearly \$818 million (year of expenditure dollars) of federal, state, and local funds available to spend between 2026 and 2045. While this is a The RMP is required by federal legislation to include a cost feasible or balanced roadway capital project list, with project costs matching the anticipated revenues through the 2045 plan horizon year. Based on the funding projections from FDOT and projected local revenues, the CRTPA is expected their applicability within the Cost Feasible Plan. The cost feasible project list is shown below.

4	Project	From	То	Strategy	Multimodal Provision	County		Horizon Year
	Crawfordville Road	LL Wallace Road	Wakulla Springs Road	2 to 4 Lanes	Yes		Leon	
	Thomasville Road	Seventh Avenue	Monroe Street	Multimodal Operational		Yes	es Leon	
	Thomasville Road	Bradford/Betton Rds	Seventh Avenue	Multimodal Operational		Yes	Yes Leon	
	Woodville Highway	Capital Circle SE	Paul Russell Road	2 to 4 Lanes		Yes	Yes Leon	
	US 90 (Mahan Drive) at Capital Circle NE			Major Intersection Reconfiguration		Yes	Yes Leon	
	Crawfordville Road	East Ivan Road	Wakulla Arran Road	2 to 4 Lanes		Yes	Yes Wakulla	
	Orange Avenue	Capital Circle SW	South Lake Bradford Road	Access Management and Multimodal Improvements		Yes	Yes Leon	
	Orange Avenue	South Lake Bradford Road	Lake Bradford Road	2 to 4 Lanes		Yes	Yes Leon	
	Orange Avenue	Lake Bradford Road	Monroe Street	2 to 4 Lanes		Yes	Yes Leon	
	Pensacola Street	Capital Circle SW	Appleyard Drive	2 to 4 Lanes		Yes	Yes Leon	
	Tharpe Street	Capital Circle NW	Ocala Road	2 to 4 Lanes		Yes	Yes Leon	
	Crawfordville Road	Wakulla Arran Road	Lost Creek Bridge	2 to 4 Lanes		Yes	Yes Wakulla	
	Crawfordville Road	Lost Creek Bridge	North of Alaska Way	2 to 4 Lanes		Yes	Yes Wakulla	
	Crawfordville Road	Wakulla County Line	LL Wallace Road	2 to 4 Lanes		Yes	Yes Leon	
	Interstate 10	(Midway) US 90 Interchange	Gadsden/Leon County Line	4 to 6 Lanes		No	No Gadsden	
	Interstate 10	Gadsden/Leon County Line	West of Capital Circle NW	4 to 6 Lanes		No	No Leon	

Bicycle and Pedestrian Projects

The active transportation focus of the Connections 2045 RMP embodies how local decisions can enhance the overall mobility and safety of cyclists and pedestrians. The recommended plan incorporates information from previously adopted plans, discussions with stakeholders, and feedback from the community. For the Connections 2045 RMP, there was a heavy focus on updated Bicycle-Pedestrian Master Plans for each of the counties in the Capital Region. These plans, in addition to the aforementioned sources, indicate that demand for bicycle and pedestrian facilities for users of all levels and types in the CRTPA area is continuing to grow, a trend that was recognized in the previous iteration of the RMP. In the Connections 2045 RMP, \$99.3 million (year of expenditure dollars) has been identified for bicycle and pedestrian infrastructure. The list below showcases a subset of the priority projects within each county.



Gadsden County

- Chattahochee Connection Multi-use Path
- Chattahoochee to Bristol (C2B Trail)
- Greensboro to Gretna Multi-use Path

Jefferson County

- Aucilla Highway Buffered Bike Lanes
- Monticello Bike Trail
- US 90 Shared-use Trail (Monticello to Tallahassee)

Leon County

- Oak Ridge Road Shared-Use Trail
- Thomasville Road Multi-Use Path
- US 90 Shared-Use Trail (Tallahassee to Monticello)

Wakulla County

- Bloxham Cutoff Road Trail
- MLK Jr. Memorial Highway Multi-use Path
- US 319/Sopchoppy Highway Multi-use Path

Regional

- Georgia to Cross City Multi-use Path
- GF&A Trail Corridor
- US 90 Trail (W. Tennessee Street)
- US 90 Trail (Gretna to Chattahoochee)

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Small Scale Solutions

To ensure flexibility for small scale project needs and to encourage implementation of the ITS (Intelligent Transportation System) Master Plan a subset of revenues were set-aside within the Cost Feasible Plan. In addition to funding projects within the ITS Master Plan, this funding set-aside would also fund safety and operational improvement projects at intersections within the MPO area as needs arise. Over the life of the plan, \$100 million (year of expenditure dollars)is included for these project types.





Transit

Potential transit improvements by CRTPA include efforts in Midtown as identified in the Midtown Transportation Plan and along the Orange Avenue corridor as identified in the Southwest Area Transportation Plan.

Additionally, StarMetro is in the process of performing a Comprehensive Operations Analysis (COA) along with updating their Transit Development Plan (TDP) and when these two efforts are completed the RMP will be amended



to incorporate projects, as necessary. Over the life of the RMP, over \$200 million (year of expenditure dollars) are forecasted for transit operations and improvements.

Performance Measures

CRTPA is required to use a performance-based approach to develop the RMP. This involves setting performance goals, or measures, and using a strategic approach that uses system information to make key decisions in meeting those goals. There are five main performance areas that must be incorporated into the Connections 2045 RMP: Safety Performance Management (PM1), Infrastructure Condition (PM2), System Performance (PM3), Transit Asset Management (TAM), and Public Transportation Agency Safety Plan (PTASP). To establish specific performance targets, CRTPA had to coordinate with a variety of federal, state, and local agencies including FHWA, FTA, FDOT, and StarMetro. CRTPA is also required to continue to coordinate with the federal, state, and local agencies to track progress towards achieving the targets and update the targets when appropriate. In order to track the progress towards meeting these targets, the Connections 2045 RMP relates the performance targets to how each project being recommended can address one or more of these areas.

