



Pedestrian-Bicyclist Subcommittee



January 18, 2018

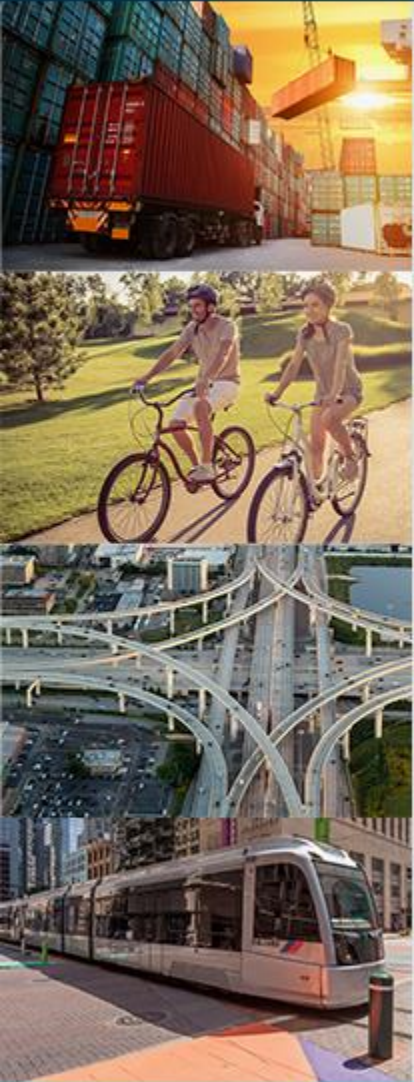


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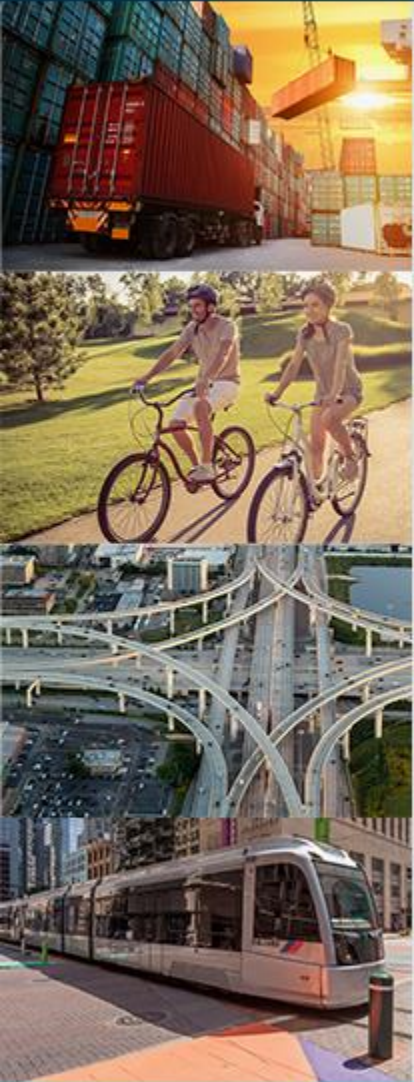


1. Introductions
2. Public Comments
3. Approval of Minutes for October 19, 2017

4. Investment Matrix and Call for Projects



2045 RTP Vision [DRAFT]



- *In the year 2045, our region will have an integrated multimodal transportation system, achieved through coordinated public and private investments, that supports a desirable quality of life, enhanced economic vitality and increased safety, access and mobility.*

2045 RTP Goals [DRAFT]

- Improve Safety
- Move People and Goods Efficiently
- Achieve/Maintain State of Good Repair
- Strengthen Regional Economic Competitiveness
- Conserve and Protect Natural and Cultural Resources

2045 RTP Strategies [DRAFT]

- [MAINTAIN] Asset Management
- [MANAGE] System Management & Operations
- [EXPAND] Expand Multimodal Network Capacity

2045 RTP Investments [DRAFT]

- Major Investments
 - Total Capital Cost > \$100 Million
 - U.S. 290, SH 99, IH 45 (NHHIP) etc.
 - Advancement of all Five RTP Goals
- Other Investments
 - Total Capital Cost < \$100 Million
 - Investment Categories Align with Strategies

2045 RTP Investment Matrix [DRAFT]

Highways, Thoroughfares and Freight Investment Strategies		
<i>MANAGE</i> <i>System Management & Operations</i>	<i>MAINTAIN</i> <i>Asset Management</i>	<i>EXPAND</i> <i>Transportation Network Capacity</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Access Management • Interchange/Intersection improvements (direct connectors, geometry) • Rail grade separations • Regional ITS Infrastructure (communications, motorist/passenger information, dynamic facility mgmt.) • Autonomous and Connected Vehicle Infrastructure 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reconstruction of principal arterials/NHS • Rehabilitate/Reconstruct intermodal connectors (First Mile, Last Mile) • Infrastructure Resiliency 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interjurisdictional connectivity (e.g. bridges) • Regional Thoroughfare Widening and New Construction • Innovative freight movement

2045 RTP Investment Matrix [DRAFT]

Transit Investment Strategies		
<i>MANAGE</i> <i>System Management & Operations</i>	<i>MAINTAIN</i> <i>Asset Management</i>	<i>EXPAND</i> <i>Transportation Network Capacity</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Regional Fare Collection• Transit Priority Infrastructure	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Vehicle Replacement and Overhaul• Facility State of Good Repair	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Passenger Facilities (Park & Ride/Pool, Transfer Points/Super Stops, Shelters)• Vehicle Purchase

2045 RTP Investment Matrix [DRAFT]

Active Transportation (Ped/Bike) Investment Strategies

<i>MANAGE</i> <i>System Management & Operations</i>	<i>MAINTAIN</i> <i>Asset Management</i>	<i>EXPAND</i> <i>Transportation Network Capacity</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “First Mile/Last Mile” (access to fixed route transit, bike share, employment) • Pedestrian & Bicycle Safety Treatments (Midblock crossing, etc.) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ADA compliance of pedestrian network 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eliminate gaps between existing facilities within the regional bikeway system

2045 RTP Investment Matrix Next Steps

- Finalize Investment Matrix
- Evaluation Criteria, Project Scoring
- Call for Projects
- Coordinated Competitive Call
 - Active Transportation – Eliminating gaps between existing facilities
- Biennial Competitive Program Call
 - Active Transportation – FM/LM, Safety Treatments, and ADA Compliance

5. Regional Transportation Plan Public Outreach



- March 15 – Pearland
- March 21 – Prairie View
- March 22 – Houston, Alief CC
- March 28 – Sugar Land
- March 29 – Houston, Kashmere Gardens
- April 4 – Conroe
- April 5 – Houston, Grayson CC
- April 11 – Cleveland
- April 12 – Mont Belvieu
- April 19 – Houston METRO
- April 24 – League City
- April 26 – Houston, H-GAC

6. Regional Pedestrian & Bicycle Plan Update



H-GAC Regional Ped-Bike Plan Update Schedule

	2017	2018			
	Fall	Winter	Spring	Summer	Fall
Data Collection and Research	████████████████████				
Public Outreach		████████████████			
Local Government Outreach	████████████████				
PB Subcommittee	██				
Draft Plan Update				████████	
Finalize Plan					████████

Regional Pedestrian & Bicycle Plan Update

- H-GAC is updating the regional bicycle network map
- Advisory Workgroup met in December
 - “Regional Active Transportation Plan”
 - Think about fun branding of the plan, e.g. “Walk.Bike.Thrive!” from ARC
 - Key plan enhancements: pedestrian, policy, equity, data, performance measures
 - Partner surveys and public surveys: simple language (no jargon), match some questions to Houston Bike Plan survey when possible, make surveys easy to do

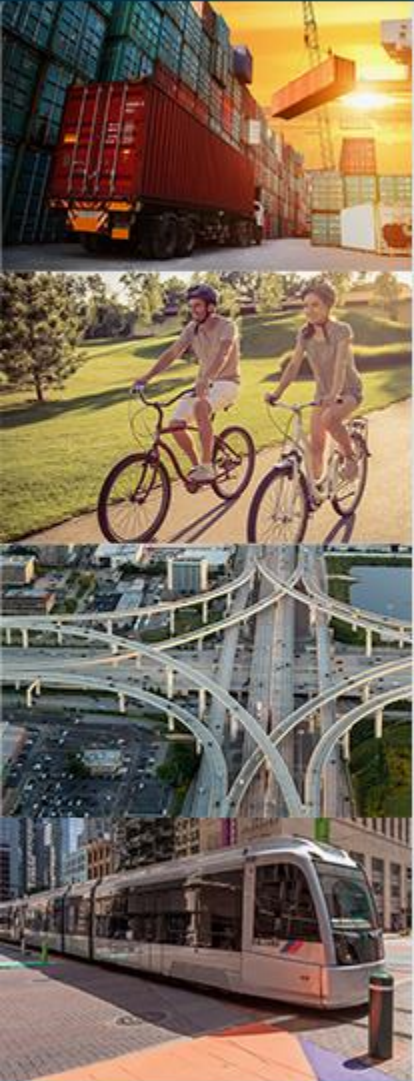
Regional Pedestrian & Bicycle Plan Update

- RTP Public Meetings will include pedestrian & bicycle information
 - March – April 2018

- Public surveys will occur during same timeframe
 - February – April 2018

7. Safe Routes to School Pasadena

- See Pasadena slide deck



8. Bike to Work Day 2018



- National Bike Month = May
- National Bike to Work Week = May 14-18
- National Bike to Work Day = May 18
- <http://bikeleague.org/bikemonth>

Bike to Work Day 2018

- What did you do last year that you want to do again?
- What would you like to see this year?
- What do you think about having a regional effort?

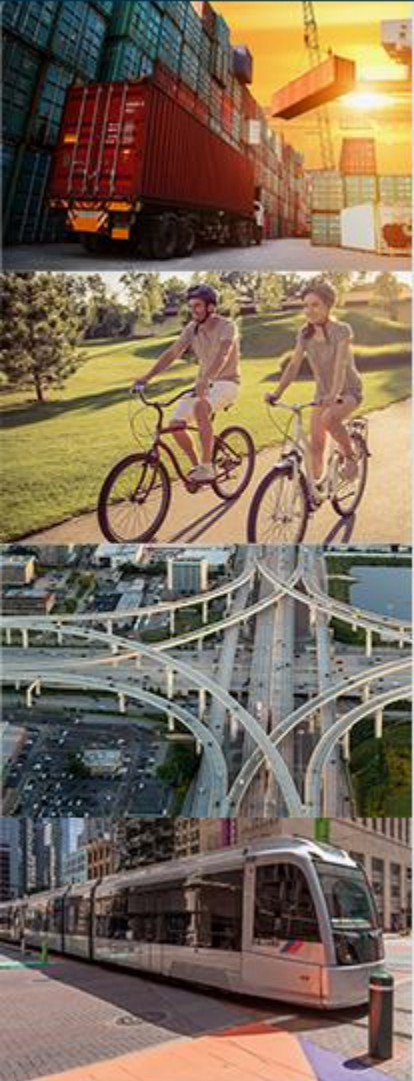
Bike to Work Day 2018

■ Ideas

- Proclamation (May as National Bike Month)
- Free Bike Tune-Ups
- Energizer Stations
- Ride with Mayor (or other leader)
- Open Streets events
- Pop-Up Bike Lanes or other “instant impact” projects
- Smart Cycling Classes
- Bus on Bike Demonstration
- Bicycle-Themed Events
- Group Bicycle Rides
- Regional Bike Challenge

9. Report from Subcommittee Members

- Subcommittee members may briefly discuss current and future walking and bicycling efforts.



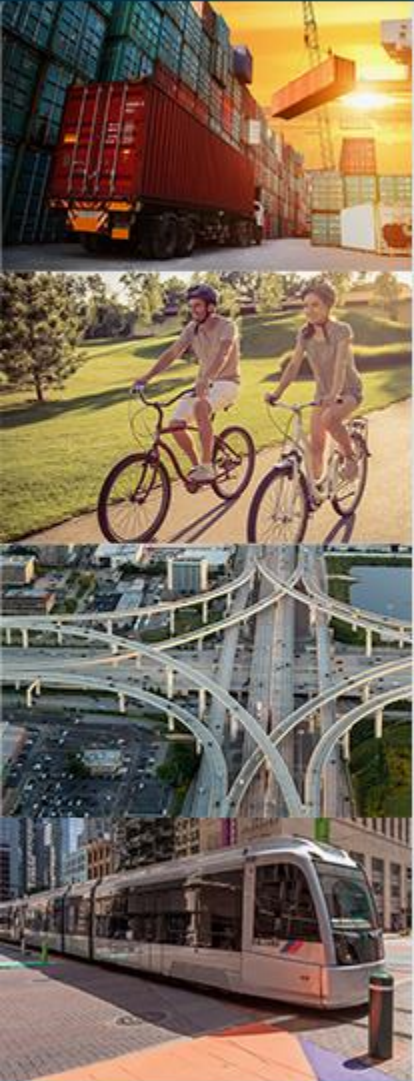
10. Next Subcommittee Meeting

- April 19, 2018 at 9:30 AM
- Potential Special Meeting in February – TBD



11. FHWA Designing for Pedestrian Safety

- Workshops are full!
- If you want to be on the waitlist, please email Diane Dohm at diane.dohm@h-gac.com



Adjourn & Webinar

- Thank you for attending today's subcommittee meeting.

