



CONNECT:

Philadelphia's Strategic Transportation Plan

Executive Summary - October 2018

CONNECT is the City of Philadelphia's Strategic Transportation Plan for the next seven years (2019 – 2025). CONNECT is informed by insights from data analysis and civic engagement that highlight the transportation opportunities and challenges that Philadelphia faces.

Our Vision

A transportation system that benefits everyone. It is a system that is safe, affordable, accessible, and reliable at moving Philadelphians, visitors, and commerce so neighborhoods thrive, people are healthy, and the economy grows.

Our Values

Our transportation system should focus on results that benefit all Philadelphians - regardless of race, income, or ability. **Transportation equity** means investing in transportation infrastructure and access to ensure that all people can affordably connect to opportunities, including educational and employment, and have the ability to fully participate in their communities and the economy.

Safety – Our transportation system should be safe for all users, in all neighborhoods. We value human life and believe that preserving human life should take priority over convenience.

Opportunity & Access – Our transportation system should ensure that people and neighborhoods are not isolated from opportunities. Our transportation system should provide this opportunity and access regardless of a person's ability or disability.

Sustainability – Our transportation system should uphold the City's commitment to reducing carbon pollution, be resilient to a changing climate, improve local air quality, and manage stormwater runoff. Our transportation system should be financially sustainable to allow us to reach and maintain a state of good repair.

Health – Our transportation system should promote healthy lifestyles by making walking and bicycling easier, more convenient, and safer, while reducing air pollution and noise.

Our Goals

Our Strategies

Goal 0

Vision Zero

Working toward the goal of zero traffic-related deaths by 2030

- Engineer Streets for Safety
- Educate Residents and Schools about Traffic Safety
- Enforce Regulations to Deter Dangerous Behaviors
- Evaluate Strategies to Ensure Results

Goal 1

Transit First

Moving people equitably, affordably, and reliably around a growing city

- Transform Bus Service
- Develop a City Transit Plan
- Modernize the Trolley Fleet
- Expand Indego Bike Share
- Stabilize and Grow Regional Transit Funding

Goal 2

Great Streets

Investing in well-maintained streets to serve people using all modes of transportation

- Achieve a State of Good Repair
- Ensure a Walkable City
- Create Neighborhood Slow Zones
- Develop a High Quality Bike Network

Goal 3

A Competitive City

Supporting communities and commerce with a reliable and efficient transportation system

- Manage Congestion
- Manage the Curbside and Parking
- Update the Truck Network
- Pursue Sustainability for Competitiveness

Goal 4

Efficient Government

Delivering transportation services and projects efficiently and transparently for residents

- Engage Communities and Build Coalitions
- Streamline Project Delivery and Prioritization
- Modernize Asset Management
- Innovate with Technology
- Plan for a Clean Fleet