

Resolution Endorsing Regional Goals and Strategies for **Resilience 2050: Adapting to the Challenges of Tomorrow** November 2, 2021



Regional Goals

- Goals that address the basic functions of transportation:
 - Improve Accessibility Identify and support multimodal options and systems that promote equity, are resilient and sustainable, and enable all individuals to reach their destinations safely and seamlessly
 - <u>Increase Mobility</u> Help people and freight to move reliably, efficiently, and seamlessly
- Goals that address the transportation decision making process:
 - <u>Foster Participation and Cooperation Among Stakeholders</u> Enable all interested and affected parties to participate and cooperate to find workable solutions
 - <u>Promote Informed Decision Making</u> Ensure that adopted transportation policies and performance measures guide the regional decision making process





Regional Goals

- Goals that address the conditions or effects of transportation:
 - <u>Improve System Safety</u> Reduce the number of crashes, injuries, and fatalities experienced by all users of the transportation system toward meeting Zero Deaths Maryland
 - <u>Improve and Maintain the Existing Infrastructure</u> Improve the conditions of existing transportation facilities; systematically maintain and replace transportation assets as needed
 - <u>Implement Environmentally Responsible Transportation Solutions</u> Pass on to future generations the healthiest natural and human environments possible
 - <u>Improve System Security</u> Provide a secure traveling environment for everyone; improve the region's ability to respond to natural and human-caused disasters
 - <u>Promote Prosperity and Economic Opportunity</u> Support the vitality of communities and businesses, opportunities for workers, and the movement of goods and services within and through the region





Comment Period

- September 8 October 12
- 1,583 views
- 36 participants
- 157 comments
- Comments available at: <u>https://publicinput.com/Report/cuut3xteeop</u>





Themes in the Comments

- Improve safety for transit and pedestrians
- Reliable and timely transit service
- Shift to sustainable modes no additional highway lanes
- Accessibility received the most comments followed by promote informed decision making





Process for Revisions and Resolution

- BMC staff recommended edits for their area of focus based on comments received
- TC Members met to discuss proposed revisions week of October 18
- Final recommended revisions are included in the resolution and were shared via email; Comment responses by November 16
- Share with your BRTB member prior to November 30 meeting





Thanks!

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