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Heart of Illinois Long Range Transportation Plan

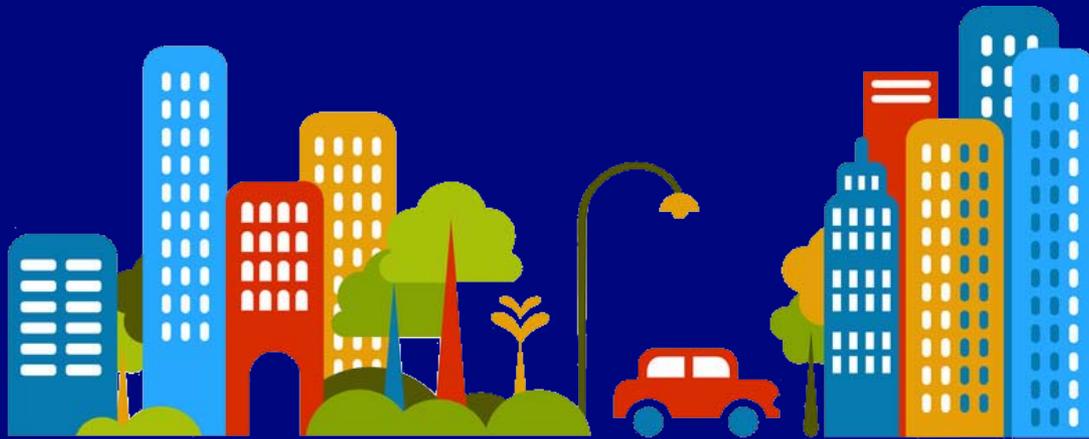
Kick-Off Meeting

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What is the MPO?

The MPO is a **federally mandated** transportation planning agency for metropolitan areas with populations greater than 50,000



Peoria-Pekin Urbanized Area > 260,000

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What is the LRTP?

Guide to the **future development and maintenance** of the Peoria-Pekin Urbanized Area transportation system



Federal Requirements

1 Multi-modal

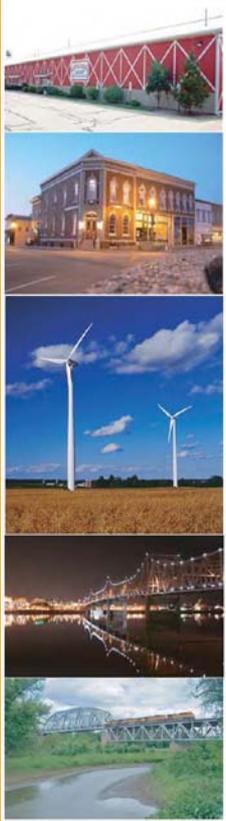




2 Updated every 5 years

Peoria/Pekin Urbanized Area Transportation Study
2010-2035 Long Range Transportation Plan

Produced by: Tri-County Regional Planning Commission





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Horizon year at least 20
years into the future

2015  2040



What is the LRTP Process?

- 1 Collect Background Data
- 2 Adopt Goals & Objectives
- 3 Forecast Population & Employment
- 4 Identify Transportation Improvement Needs



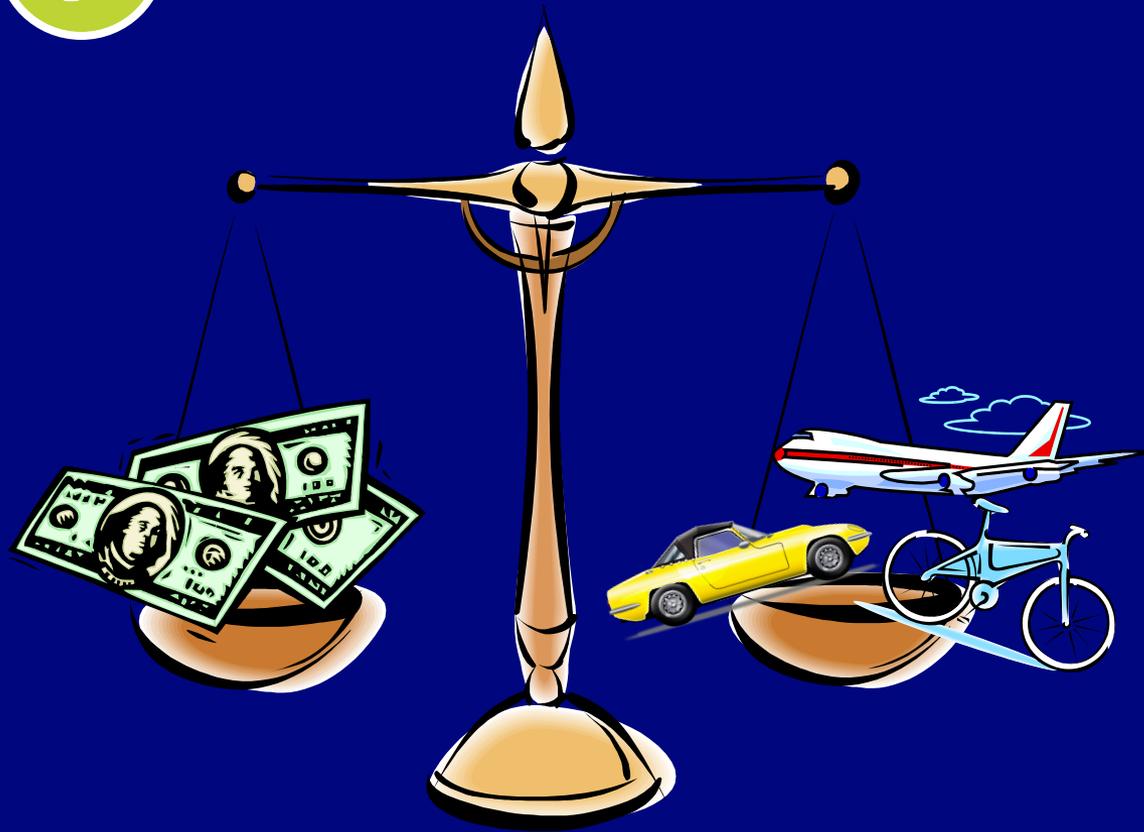
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- 5 Forecast Available Funding
- 6 Apply Funding to Improvement Needs

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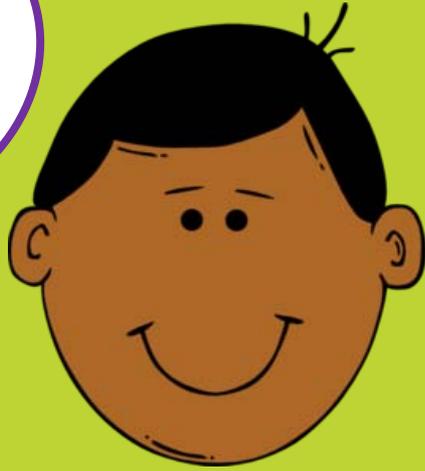
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Cost Feasible Plan

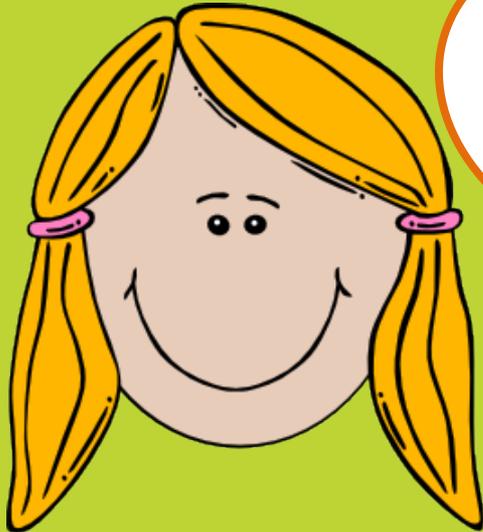




Public Involvement is critical to the LRTP process.



Let's improve
the intersection
near my work!



More bike
paths would be
great!

How will we get the public involved?

- 1 Information kiosks at local events



How will we get the public involved?

2 Transportation Symposium





How will we get the public involved?

- 3 Focus Groups
- 4 Key Stakeholder Interviews

How will we get the public involved?

5 Mindmixer

The screenshot displays the Envision HOI Mindmixer interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with icons for Home, Topics, Activity, and About, along with search and notification icons, and buttons for Sign Up and Log In. Below the navigation bar is a banner with the text "Welcome to Envision HOI. The Long Range Transportation Plan for the Heart of Illinois. Share your ideas. Be heard. Help build a stronger region." and icons for a bicycle, a pedestrian, a bus, and a train. Below the banner are buttons for "Connect with Facebook" and "Sign Up with Email".

The main content area is titled "Topics" and includes the instruction "Join the discussion and add to current topics. View All Topics". A topic card is displayed for "Congested Roads and Safety Concerns", posted on Jul 5 with 0 interactions and 14 days remaining. The card features an icon of four cars and the text: "What are some congestion hot spots in our Community? Also, where do you feel unsafe on the road, sidewalk, bicycle trail". Below this is a question: "Where do you feel unsafe in our Community because of either road conditions or traffic congestion? What could be improved to make you feel safer?" and a text input field labeled "My idea is...". At the bottom of the card are buttons for "Learn More", "Share", and "Continue".

At the bottom of the page, there is a section titled "Who's Listening" with the instruction "Connect with these leaders. View All Listeners".



Why is the LRTP important?

- 1 Economic Development
- 2 Health
- 3 Environment
- 4 Quality of Life
- 5 Safety and Security



What is your role?



Attend working meetings



Develop goals

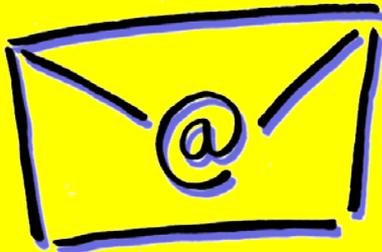


Provide technical expertise



Determine priority projects

Thank you!



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