

OUR BLUEPRINT FOR

SAFE & EQUITABLE MOBILITY

CHARLOTTE STRATEGIC MOBILITY PLAN

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OUR 2040 ASPIRATIONS

Safe | Vision Zero

As a community, we will eliminate traffic deaths and serious injuries for all who share Charlotte streets.

Being safe means: No one in Charlotte will be seriously hurt or killed traveling on our streets.

Equitable | 50-50 Mode Share

As a community, half of our commute trips will be made by means other than a single-occupancy vehicle, through walking, biking, and taking transit.

Being equitable means: Living and working in Charlotte will not require traveling by car.



OUR VISION

Charlotte will provide safe and equitable mobility options for all travelers regardless of age, income, ability, race, gender, where they live, or how they choose to travel. An integrated system of transit and tree-shaded bikeways, sidewalks, shared use paths, and streets will support a sustainable, connected, prosperous, and innovative network that connects all Charlotteans to each other, jobs, housing, amenities, goods, services, and the region.

Our Vision & Objectives guide the policies & actions needed to achieve our goals and bring about an improved & connected mobility network.

OUR OBJECTIVES



Safe

Eliminate transportation-related fatalities and serious injuries to make our streets safe for everyone.



Prosperous

Prioritize transportation investments that promote economic vibrancy by managing congestion, connecting our workforce with opportunities, and advancing community priorities.



Connected

Increase the share of trips made without a car and broaden multimodal connectivity to expand the capacity of our transportation infrastructure.



Sustainable

Increase access to sustainable and zero carbon transportation modes and mobility options to support our strategic energy and sustainability goals.



Equitable

Increase investment and access to support equitable and affordable mobility options in our communities that have historically lacked investment.



Innovative

Integrate emerging mobility solutions and new technologies to move people and goods through our City in cleaner, safer, more affordable, and efficient ways.

Our Strategy illustrates our specific infrastructure investments & priorities to implement our mobility vision.

OUR STRATEGY



Transit Framework

Focuses our multimodal investment to support priority bus and rail transit service, access, and comfort.



Bike Framework

Defines our bicycle priority network to target the most impactful projects and program investment.



Pedestrian Framework

Establishes our pedestrian priority network to direct our investments in sidewalks, crossings, intersections, and safety.



Street & Roadway Framework

Aligns our street and roadway needs with City and regional investments to move people and goods.

OUR NEXT STEPS

The policies and strategies outlined in the Strategic Mobility Plan will shape the future of how we move in Charlotte. To achieve our vision, we will continue to build on four foundational commitments:

Continuing our commitment of Vision Zero to be a community that ensures and prioritizes the safety of all who share Charlotte's streets.

Establishing a 50-50 mode share aspiration to be a community that balances our mobility choices and transitions away from a dependency on the car for most of our travel needs.

Expanding transit throughout our city to be a community that makes rail and bus transit trips faster, more reliable, and a natural part of how we travel.

Preparing for the future of mobility to be a community on the leading edge of the on-going technological transformation of urban mobility.

The next step to implementing this vision requires identifying and prioritizing individual projects. We will consistently use these four commitments to focus our work and evaluate our progress.

In partnership with all mobility stakeholders and our community, we can achieve this ambitious vision together.

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