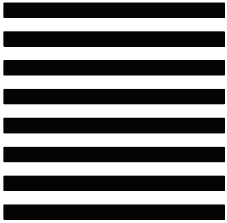


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Transportation Plan (LRTP) Community Survey!**
Complete the survey by November 9, 2025 to be entered into a drawing for a chance to win one of four \$50 gift cards.
Continue to participate and comment on the LRTP by attending a virtual community meeting on Wednesday, October 8, 2025 at 6:00 p.m.
Scan the QR code or visit www.OCTA.net/LRTP for survey rules, meeting details, and more.



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**KEY TRANSPORTATION
CHALLENGES & OPPORTUNITIES**

The Long-Range Transportation Plan (LRTP) is a blueprint for transportation improvements in Orange County over the next 20+ years. Below are some of the transportation challenges forecasted going into the year 2050.

SHIFTING MOBILITY TRENDS



Travel patterns in Orange County have **changed** due to remote work, e-commerce growth, and emerging technologies.

The number of people commuting into the county for work **continue to rise**. These shifts highlight the **need for flexible transportation planning** to meet the county's evolving and diverse needs.

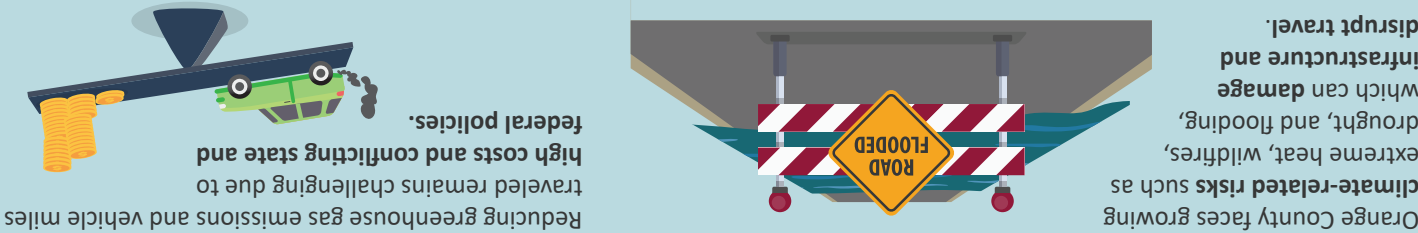
BUILT OUT ROADWAYS



Widening roads isn't always feasible without impacting nearby homes or businesses.

In developed areas, adding lanes is increasingly costly and can cause significant disruption.

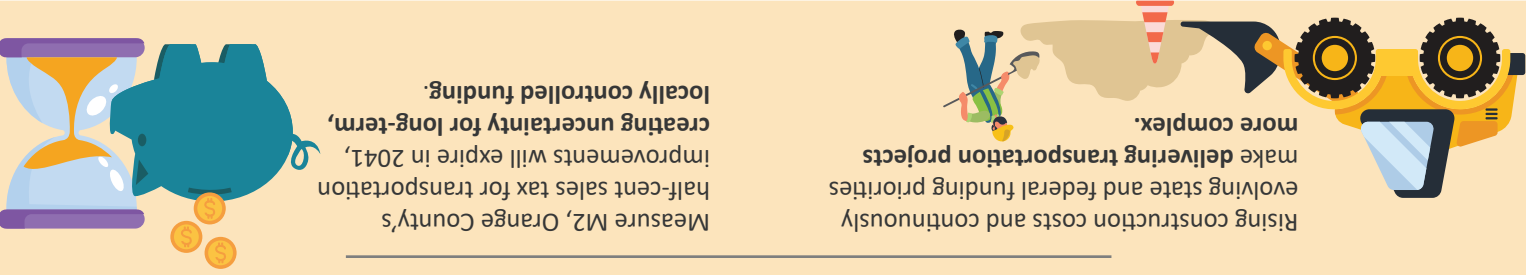
INCREASING RISK TO SYSTEM RESILIENCY



Orange County faces growing **climate-related risks** such as drought, and wildfires, extreme heat, which can damage infrastructure and disrupt travel.

Reducing greenhouse gas emissions and vehicle miles traveled remains challenging due to **high costs and conflicting state and federal policies**.

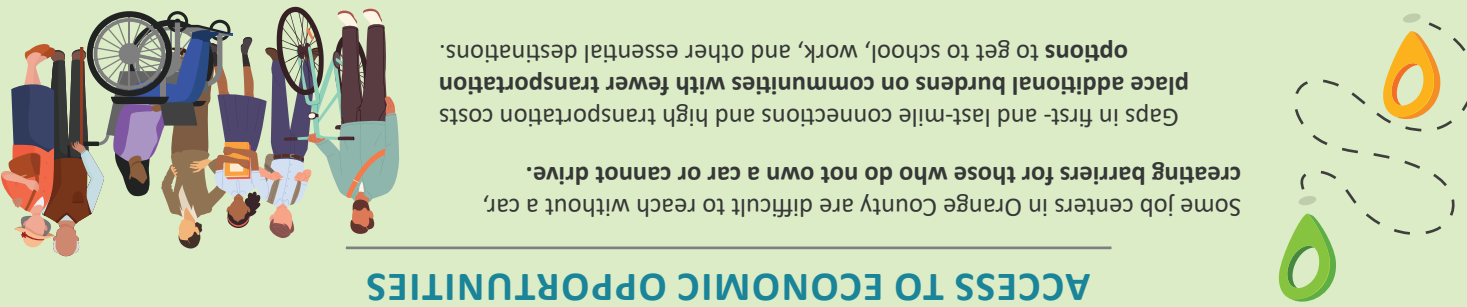
EVOLVING FUNDING LANDSCAPE



Measure M2, Orange County's half-cent sales tax for transportation improvements will expire in 2041, creating uncertainty for long-term, locally controlled funding.

Rising construction costs and continuously evolving state and federal funding priorities make delivering transportation projects more complex.

ACCESS TO ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES



Some job centers in Orange County are difficult to reach without a car, creating barriers for those who do not own a car or cannot drive.

Gaps in first- and last-mile connections and high transportation costs place additional burdens on communities with fewer transportation options to get to school, work, and other essential destinations.

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For survey rules, visit www.OCTA.net/LRTP.

1. What will impact your daily travel the most in the next 20+ years? *(Select 3)*

- ☐ More traffic congestion
- ☐ Higher transportation costs (e.g. gas, tolls, and transit fares)
- ☐ Pedestrian and bicyclist safety
- ☐ Difficulty getting around without a personal car
- ☐ Aging roads and sidewalks (e.g. potholes and poor conditions)
- ☐ Extreme weather or climate-related disruptions
- ☐ New technologies (e.g. telecommuting, driverless vehicles, and e-bikes)
- ☐ Other: _____

2. How easy is it for you to get to jobs, school, errands, or medical appointments without driving a personal car?

- ☐ Very easy
- ☐ Somewhat easy
- ☐ Difficult
- ☐ Not possible

3. What are the main reasons you usually drive instead of using other travel options? *(Select 2)*

- ☐ Driving is the only option for where I need to go
- ☐ No easy way to get to the nearest transit stop
- ☐ I make multiple stops during the day (e.g. school drop-off, errands, and appointments)
- ☐ Transit is too slow, infrequent, or unreliable
- ☐ Security concerns when walking, biking or taking transit
- ☐ Driving is more comfortable and convenient

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The LRTP is a framework of strategies that aims to address long-term mobility needs and guide investment decisions in Orange County over the next 20+ years.

Thank you for your interest in improving how we move. Complete the survey before November 9th for a chance to win one of four gift cards!

4. Which improvements would be most helpful in expanding your travel options? *(Select 2)*

- ☐ More bus routes
- ☐ More bike lanes
- ☐ More sidewalks and pedestrian crossings
- ☐ Expanded light rail network (e.g. OC Streetcar)
- ☐ Shuttles to and from transit stations
- ☐ On-demand local shuttles
- ☐ A mobile app that integrates trip planning and payments

5. Which destinations should be prioritized for better transit, walking, and biking access? *(Select 2)*

- ☐ Job centers and business parks
- ☐ Schools, colleges, and universities
- ☐ Hospitals and clinics
- ☐ Senior or community centers
- ☐ Grocery, shopping, and entertainment areas
- ☐ Major transit hubs (e.g. where bus and train routes connect)

6. Which strategies would improve your travel experience most in Orange County? *(Select 3)*

- ☐ Reduce traffic on busy freeway sections to improve travel time and safety
- ☐ Expand express lanes for faster freeway travel
- ☐ Create mobility hubs that connect transit, shuttles, bikeshare, and rideshare
- ☐ Give buses green lights at intersections to reduce delays
- ☐ Provide bus rapid transit services with dedicated lanes and fewer stops
- ☐ Offer on-demand or flexible shuttle services
- ☐ Other: _____

7. What should be the highest priority for future transportation investments in Orange County? *(Select 1)*

- ☐ Reduce traffic on freeways
- ☐ Reduce traffic on local streets
- ☐ Expand high-frequency or rapid bus services
- ☐ Increase rail frequencies (i.e. Metrolink and Amtrak)
- ☐ Improve safety for walking and biking

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8. Measure M2, the half-cent sales tax that funds local transportation improvements, will expire in 2041. How important is it for Orange County to maintain a local funding source rather than relying solely on state or federal funding which often have restrictions?

- ☐ Very important
- ☐ Somewhat important
- ☐ Neutral
- ☐ Not important
- ☐ Not sure

9. What are the best ways to collect local funding for future transportation improvements? *(Select 2)*

- ☐ Continue local transportation sales tax (i.e. Measure M)
- ☐ Expand express lanes and collect toll revenues
- ☐ Charge developer fees for new housing or commercial projects
- ☐ Charge drivers based on miles driven

Other: _____

10. Which types of transportation projects are most important to prepare for extreme weather and future climate risks? *(Select 2)*

- ☐ Add trees and shelters along transit stops and walkways
- ☐ Expand transit, walking, and biking options to reduce pollution
- ☐ Protect roads and railways in flood-prone areas
- ☐ Speed up transition to low-emission or electric vehicles
- ☐ Reduce wildfire risks (e.g. protect infrastructure and improve evacuation routes)
- ☐ Other transportation improvements should come first
- ☐ Other: _____



Thanks for your input! Now, please tell us a little about yourself. *(Optional)*

11. What is your HOME zip code? _____

12. What is your age range?

- ☐ 16-24
- ☐ 25-34
- ☐ 35-44
- ☐ 45-54
- ☐ 55-64
- ☐ 65-74
- ☐ 75 or older
- ☐ Prefer not to answer



13. What is your combined annual household income?

- ☐ Less than \$30,000
- ☐ \$30,000 – \$49,999
- ☐ \$50,000 – \$79,999
- ☐ \$80,000 – \$109,000
- ☐ \$110,000 – \$169,000
- ☐ \$170,000 or more
- ☐ Prefer not to answer

14. What ethnic group do you consider yourself a part of or feel closest to?

- ☐ Caucasian/White
- ☐ Latino/Hispanic
- ☐ African American/Black
- ☐ American Indian or Alaskan Native
- ☐ Asian – Korean, Japanese, Chinese, Vietnamese, Filipino or other Asian
- ☐ Pacific Islander
- ☐ Middle Eastern
- ☐ Mixed Heritage
- ☐ Prefer not to answer
- ☐ Other: _____



Enter your email and/or mobile phone number to receive project updates and meeting invites. You will also be entered in a drawing for a chance to win one of four \$50 gift cards. *(Optional)*

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