# NEVADA COUNTY REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION PLAN

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## WHAT IS AN RTP?

## WHAT IS A REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION PLAN (RTP)?

Required for most state and federal transportation funding programs and must be...

Long-Range (20 + Years)

### Multimodal

(i.e., must consider cars, trucks, pedestrians, cyclists, aviation, railways)

Shared Regional Vision

Performance Driven

Financially Constrained

Regularly Updated (Last update 2018) Meet On-Road Mobile Source Air Quality/ Pollutant Requirements

Meet Environmental Justice/Social Equity Goals

Informed through Community Engagement

# A PROJECT MUST BE IN THE RTP TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR STATE AND FEDERAL TRANSPORTATION FUNDS

## WHAT ARE SOME NEW THINGS CONSIDERED IN THIS PLAN?

- Greater focus on new technology trends
  - > Electromobility and Micro-mobility



> Consideration of Advancements in autonomous vehicles



> Broadband Expansion



• Evacuation needs and network resilience



- Greater state and local flexibility on speed limits in developed areas
- New state guidance on intersection control, Vehicle Miles Traveled, complete streets and pedestrian and cyclist safety





### PERFORMANCE DRIVEN

- Consideration of vehicle miles traveled
  - > One mile travelled in a vehicle = one VMT
  - > Can be reduced through use of alternatives to the single occupant vehicle (walking, biking, carpooling, transit use, etc.)
- Focus on all road users
  - > Congestion and Travel Time Reliability
  - > Serious Injury and Fatal Collision Rates
  - > Complete Streets and Multimodal System Plans
- Performance Measures
  - > Countywide and Corridors
  - > Seasonal Travel Demand



## OTHER PLANS/REQUIREMENTS INFORMING THE RTP

- Local General Plans
- SR 49 Improvement Plans
- Truckee Micro-Transit Pilot Project
- California Statewide Transportation Plan
- Vehicle Miles Traveled Requirements
- National Performance Measurement Requirements
- Federal/State Alternative Fuels Corridor Planning
- State Middle-Mile Broadband Initiative
- County (Last-Mile) Broadband Strategy





## **COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

# NEVADA COUNTY 2045 REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION PLAN UPDATE



#### What is the Nevada County 2045 Regional Transportation Plan Update?

This local update is a long-range transportation funding plan that identifies the needed transportation improvements to support the existing and future population needs. The update builds upon the

Join us for an upcoming virtual workshop to learn more about the update of the Nevada County Regional Transportation Plan and how you can help shape the vision for the long-range regional transportation system in Nevada County!

Join us for the March 16, 2023 NCTC Virtual Workshop.

For more information please contact: 530-265-3202

Click <u>HERE</u> to register for the March 16, 2023 workshop.

\*You can also scan the QR Code below to help you

health-based and climate change pollutants from transportation sources)

#### Why is the RTP Important?

First and foremost, the RTP is the mechanism that enables projects to go from a concept to reality. The plan identifies the vision for the County and lays out the following:

- Establishes long-range transportation goals and policies to meet current and future transportation needs.
- Identifies transportation priorities for Nevada County.
- Identifies and prioritizes programs, actions and a plan for projects to be consistent with the adopted goals and policies.
- Establishes eligibility of transportation projects and programs listed in the RTP for state or federal funding.
- Guides the development of the Regional Transportation Improvement Program (RTIP).

## Communities Covered by the NCTC RTP



- Alta Sierra
- Floriston
- · City of Grass Valley
- City of Nevada City
- Graniteville
- Kingsvale
- · Lake of the Pines

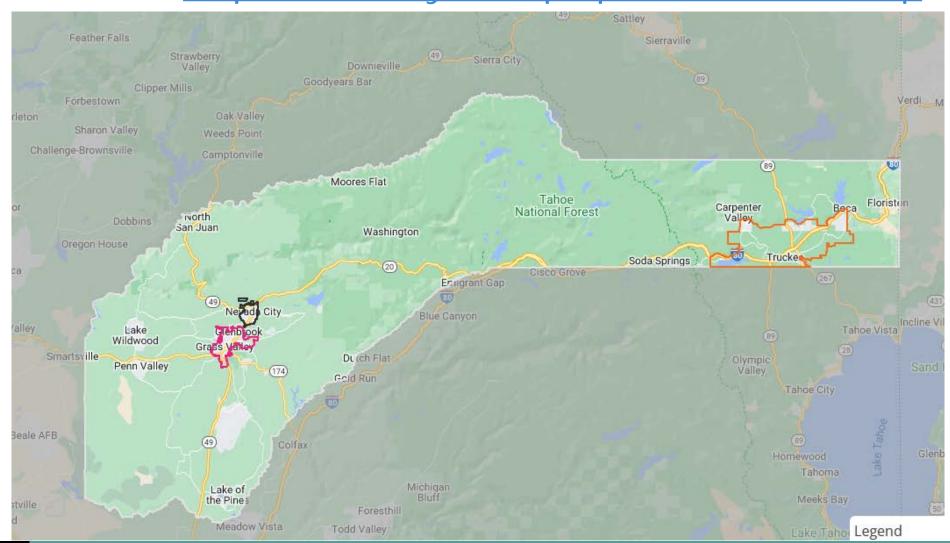
- Lake Wildwood
- · North San Juan
- Penn Valley
- Rough and Ready
- Soda Springs
- Truckee
- Washington

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## WHAT ARE YOUR PRIORITIES?

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# NEXT STEPS IN THE RTP PROCESS

## COMING UP NEXT...

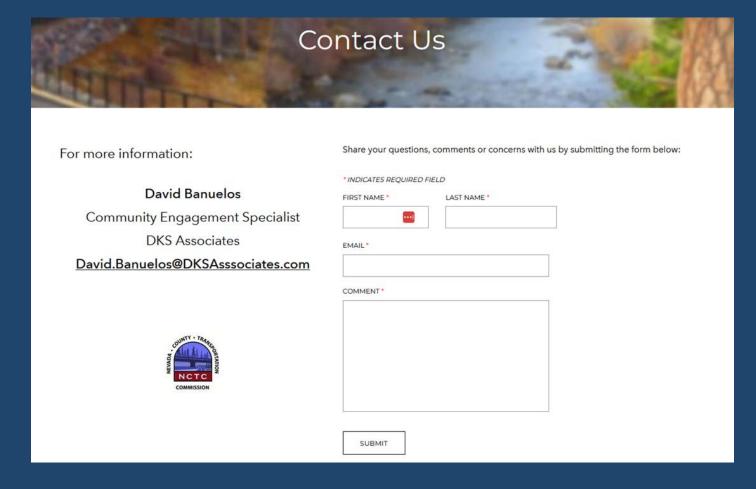
- Finalize Goals/Policies/Objectives (Spring)
- Finalize Revenue Projection (Spring)
- Finalize Project List (Spring)
- Second Round Public Workshops (virtual) (Spring)
- Council/Board Presentations (Dates TBD)
- Draft Plan/EIR Release (45-Day Public Review)
- Finalize Plan (Summer)
- NCTC Board Adoption Public Hearing (Summer)



## QUESTIONS/COMMENTS



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## THANK YOU

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