



PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT UPDATE

WHAT IS A METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLAN (MTP)?

Required of all metro areas

–Required update every 5 years

Connected KC 2050 is the currently adopted long-range transportation plan for the Kansas City region.

Update of plan policy framework, forecasts and project listings due to MARC Board by June 2025.



THE PLAN UPDATE IS NEARING THE FINISH LINE OF A A 3-YEAR PROCESS...

We are here

**Refresh Data
& Identify
Objectives**

**Set Policy
Framework**

**Identify Projects
& Conduct
Scenario Planning**

**Prioritize
Projects**

**Confirm Goals
& Strategies**

**Adopt
Updated Plan**

Kick-Off

Public Engagement & Outreach

WE ARE PRESENTING MAJOR UPDATES TO THE PLAN, INCLUDING...

NEW GOAL:



HOUSING: Reduce the housing/transportation cost burden for residents and increase attainability of housing by planning for and connecting housing to our region's activity centers and corridors.

NEW STRATEGIES:

- **DIGITAL CONNECTIVITY & EQUITY**
- **HOUSING COORDINATION**

MAJOR UPDATES TO THE PLAN

524 proposed projects totaling \$25 billion in project costs over the next 25 years:

- **164 Rehabilitation/Maintenance Projects**
- **94 Expansion/Enhancement Projects that are Financially Constrained**
(we believe we will have the resources for them)
- **266 Illustrative Projects** *(need new revenues to advance)*

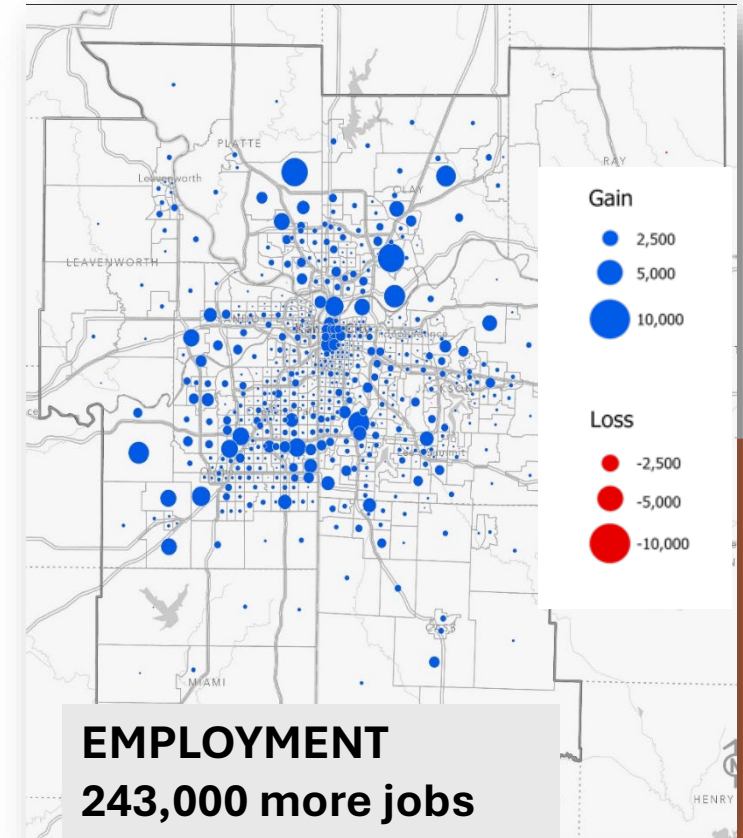
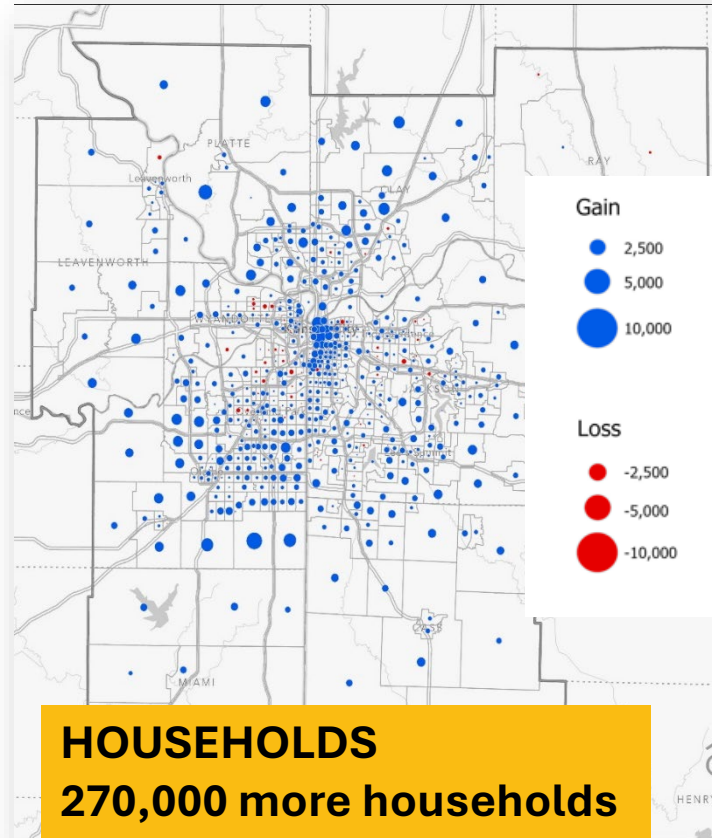
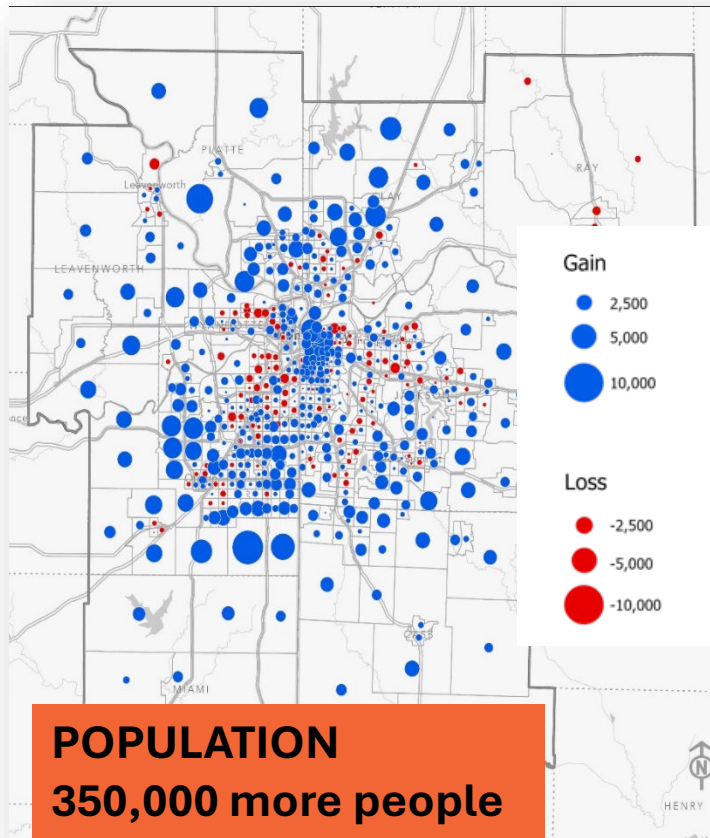
The updated financial forecast identifies a growth in available funding for transportation projects in both states.

However, under current revenue assumptions, no funding is anticipated to be available for public transit enhancements or expansion.



MAJOR UPDATES TO THE PLAN

BY 2050, WE WILL GROW BY...



Our rate of growth is slowing down. Our region is also becoming older and significantly more diverse. Households will also shrink in size.

WE NEED PUBLIC FEEDBACK!

On **Nov. 14**, MARC hosted a Public Meeting to showcase the updates to our plan, including:

- Updated policy framework
- An interactive map of proposed projects
- Adjusted land-use forecast
- Travel modeling results
- An initial Environmental Justice analysis



ONLINE PUBLIC MEETING AVAILABLE NOV. 14-DEC. 13

If you missed the In-Person meeting...
that's okay!

This information is also available on
the Connected KC 2050 website,
where you can:

- View updates to the plan
- Comment on specific local projects
- Take a general survey

The screenshot displays a website interface with two main sections. The top section, titled "What we need your feedback on", features an aerial photograph of a roundabout and a red button labeled "PROPOSED PROJECTS" with the text "Share your thoughts about projects in your community or other places you travel in the region" and a "Review and comment on the projects" button. The bottom section, titled "What you need to know", contains three columns: "UPDATED GOALS & STRATEGIES" (blue background, "See the new goals and strategies" button), "ADJUSTED FORECAST" (green background, "Look at the forecast" button), and "FUTURE MODELING" (yellow background, "See the modeling results" button).

WHAT'S NEXT?

Complete public outreach & engagement (Q4 2024)

- Online public meeting
- Targeted stakeholder group discussions

Draft plan write up (1Q ~ 2Q 2025)

Final round of public engagement (May 2025)

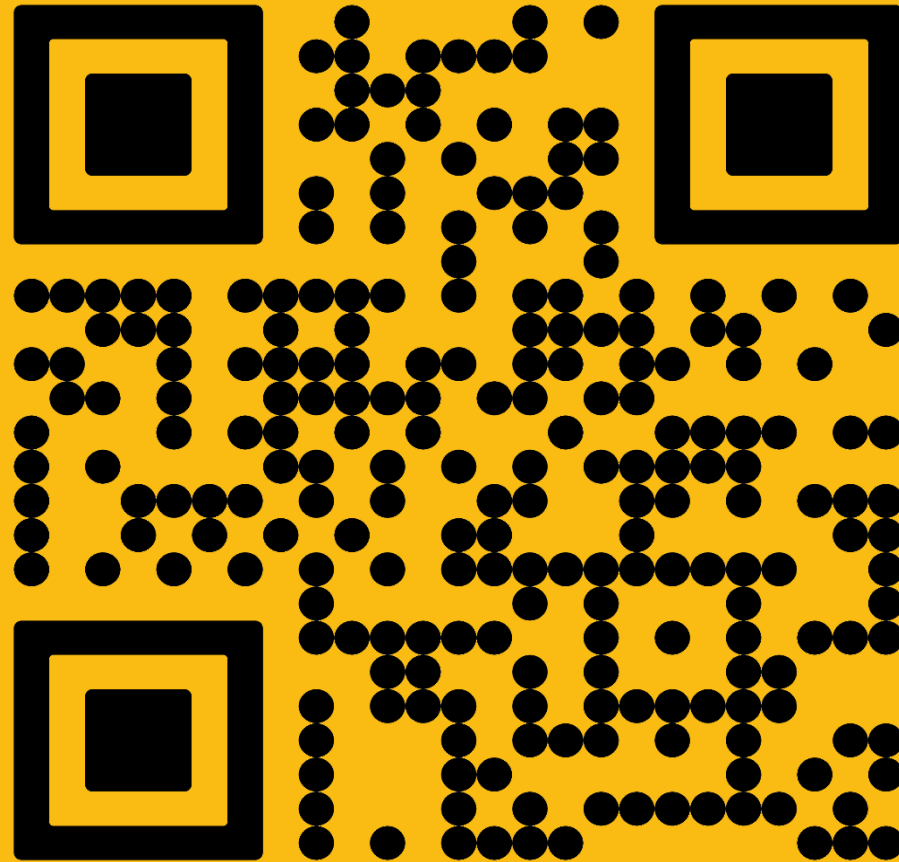
Approval by MARC Board of Directors (June 2025)



HELP US GATHER INPUT

**VIEW THE
ONLINE
PUBLIC
MEETING**

Nov. 14—Dec. 13



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THANK YOU!