

Southwest Neighborhoods Transportation Committee Action Plan 2018-2019

SWNI empowers citizen action to improve and maintain the livability of Southwest neighborhoods.

Committee purpose: The Transportation Committee acts as a forum in the community to address transportation issues in southwest Portland and in other places as they affect southwest Portland. The term transportation is defined broadly to include all modes of transportation, including but not limited to the modes of motor vehicles, pedestrian, bicycle, transit, and freight. Such modal uses may take place in rights-of-way and on public and private property, and include travel on trails. More specifically, the committee:

- Participates in transportation system planning and policy-making at the neighborhood, community, and city-wide, regional, and state levels; and reviews and recommends as appropriate.
- Participates in project planning for streets in southwest Portland.
- Participates in promulgation of codes and laws that implement transportation goals and policies.
- Advocates for funding for transportation projects.
- Assists SWNI neighborhood associations with transportation related issues.
- In recognition of the connection among transportation, land use and stormwater management, participates in land use and stormwater management issues as they relate to transportation.

Action Item	Ongoing/ New & Lead	Other Committees and partners	Status: Active or Inactive	SWNI: Strategic plan objective
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Top Priority Areas

Participate in Portland Transportation Bureau Advisory Committee, Barbur Road Safety Audit.	Ongoing	City of Portland, ODOT	Inactive /Active	Advocacy
Work with neighborhood associations (NA's) regarding transportation needs. Support and encourage NA's to identify their own problems and work with them for solutions.	Ongoing		Active	Communication

Formulate plan for pursuing funding and implementation of SW priority transportation projects. RTP update, SWIM & SWC LTR project	Ongoing		Active	Advocacy
Work with Safe Routes to Schools	Ongoing	SW Trails and neighborhoods	Active	Advocacy
Participate in transportation planning, design and Implementation. Tracking funded projects, planning efforts, & capitol improvements *Project list below	Ongoing	City of Portland, Metro, TriMet, ODOT	Active	Advocacy
Advocate to PBOT for short term plan detailing developers infrastructure requirements	Ongoing		Active	Advocacy

Project List	Funded	Planning Efforts
SWIM	X	
The Barbur Demonstration Project (while the project has been terminated, the funding should still be tracked)		X
Red Electric Trail	X	
Garden Home Road/Multnomah Blvd. Intersection	X	
SW Capitol Highway	X	
Miscellaneous Fixing Our Streets projects	X	
SW 19th Residential Street and Stormwater Project	X	
SW Lavin trail		X

Other Areas of Interest and Involvement

<p>Provide education and information regarding transportation issues</p> <p>Be a conduit for transportation information from city, regional and state jurisdictions</p> <p>Advocate for traffic safety on SW streets</p>	Ongoing	SWNI Public Safety Committee	Active	Communication
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<p>Participate in Land use and stormwater management issues related to transportation.</p>	Ongoing	Land Use & Watershed Committee, BPS, BES	Active	Advocacy
<p>Coordinate with other citizen-driven transportation organizations such as Oregon Walks, The Street Trust, and SW Trails PDX.</p>	Ongoing	Oregon Walks, Street Trust, SW Trails PDX	Inactive	Communication
<p>Work with PBOT on mitigating any adverse impacts from infill development.</p>	Ongoing	PBOT	Active	Advocacy
<p>Identify possible test safety projects</p>	New	PBOT, ODOT	Active	Advocacy