

Problem Statements Rewritten at the January Funding Goal Group Meeting

7-1 Need to more efficiently use existing funds and balance use of funds more effectively between capacity expansion, preservation of the existing system, and maintenance and operation of the system (is current money spent in right areas)

7-2 Need to cooperate more regionally and work to get the most out of existing funding

7-3 Need to ensure that our region's transportation system gets its fair share of federal, state, local, and other available funding

7-4 Need to increase dedicated funding for transportation from traditional sources at the federal, state, and local level

7-5 Need to find innovative new ways to get additional funding for new transportation system improvements

7-6 Need to be able to balance split of funding between modes based on priorities and needs in our region