

Brainstormed Solutions - Passenger

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1-4c Bike-Ped / safety-street: Bike, car and pedestrian conflicts--how provide safe bicycle/ ped. use of street corridors? (HIGH)

Brainstormed Solutions	Project	Policy	Initiative	Long Term	Short Term	Fix the Symptoms	Fix the Root Cause

1-5 Carpool: More carpooling needed (MEDIUM)

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1-6 Conflicts: Eliminate/reduce modal conflicts (HIGH)

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People walking on the street due to no sidewalks, need accessible sidewalks		X	?				
Need sidewalk curb-cuts at all intersections		X					
Need bike lanes and other places to ride bikes		X					
Use wear paths in grassed areas to plan sidewalks			X				
Need grade separated multi-purpose crossing on Douglas Rd at UT by Nitchke Hall to Main Campus tied onto Backside corridor	X						
Traffic calming on Douglas Rd at UT	?						
Need grade separated rail crossings regionwide (Northwood south of city limits, Westwood Ave, Summit St, Suder, Lime City Rd, East Broadway by Tracey Rd, Oregon, McCord Rd)		X	?				
Improved scheduling of urban railroad traffic		X					
All new and improved bridges should have ped/bike provisions		X					
Ped/bike bridge to be cantilevered off of I-75 bridge	X						
More pedestrian crossings on major roads		X	?				
More grade separated ped crossing on major roads		X	?				

1-7 Economic dev't: Use transportation to support economic development (HIGH)

Brainstormed Solutions	Project	Policy	Initiative	Long Term	Short Term	Fix the Symptoms	Fix the Root Cause
Regional core circulator system (downtown circulator trolley, connected to UT)	X			X			
increase transit oriented development in the area		?	X	X			
Incorporate transit into new and refurbished developments		?	X	X			

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1-14d Ped / crossings: Pedestrians have difficulty crossing streets and highways (HIGH)

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1-14 g Ped / promote: Need to promote walking as healthy transportation (MEDIUM)

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1-15a Rail: Lack of fast, convenient & affordable intercity passenger rail (HIGH)

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Support ORDC Hub Plan							
Strongly support Cle-Tol-Det connection							
Support Chicago Hub connections							
Upgrade deteriorating infrastructure at MLK Plaza (Central Union Terminal) and improve passenger access to multiple rail lines							

1-15b Rail / to Air: Lack of rail service connecting to airports (HIGH)

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Explore connection of high-speed rail to Toledo Express Airport							

1-15c Rail / Transit connectivity: see 120q

1-16 Regional coop: Opportunity to partner with adjoining regions to address transportation issues (HIGH)

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1-17 River crossings: Keep existing river crossings open and add more (HIGH)

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1-18 Safety : Improve safety and security for passenger transportation (HIGH-MEDIUM)

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1-19a Streets / Congestion: Reduce congestion and improve flow of traffic on streets (MEDIUM)

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1-19b Streets / maintain: Properly maintain streets and highways (HIGH)

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1-20a, b, e, f, g, h, o Transit / geography: Lack of sufficient geographic reach of public transit across region (lacking in Oregon, rural areas, Springfield Twp area) (HIGH)

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Different/regional funding mechanism - geographically fair		X	X	X			
More state/county transit funding		X		X			
Subsidized bus lines to employment areas		X	X		X		
Truly integrated system that services all areas/people		X					
Coordinated effort between rural agencies		X	X	X			
Changes in liability laws		X		X			
Change federal regulations to allow transit agencies to carry medicare/medicaid passenger for premium fare		X		X			

1-20 c, k Transit / user-friendly: Improve bus stops, amenities; better information about transit (HIGH)

Brainstormed Solutions	Project	Policy	Initiative	Long Term	Short Term	Fix the Symptoms	Fix the Root Cause
Transfer stations	X		X		X		
Real time bus arrival info.				X			
Enforce snow removal		X			X		
More sidewalks needed	X	X	X	X			
Review bus stop locations			X		X		
Design standards for bus stops		X	?				
Better "policing" of bench condition at bus stops		X			X		
Jurisdictions provide good pedestrian access to bus stops (including corner pickup areas)		X		X			
Businesses & other transit generators required to provide transit amenities		X		X			

1-20 i, j Transit / more effective: Improve transit operations (hours of service, etc.) (HIGH)

Brainstormed Solutions	Project	Policy	Initiative	Long Term	Short Term	Fix the Symptoms	Fix the Root Cause
More money		X		X			
Automatic passenger counters on buses			X	?	?		
Signal prioritization for buses	X	?	?	X			
Increase frequency of buses		X		X			
Transfer stations	X	X		X	X		
Increase funding in order to add multiple hubs			X	X			
Rural circulators	X			X			
Expand hours of service	X	X		X			
Public transit connecting to rail		X	X		?		

1-20 l, m, r Transit: innovation: Opportunity to improve region with transit innovations (new forms, UT tech corridor people mover, trolley/light rail) (HIGH)

Brainstormed Solutions	Project	Policy	Initiative	Long Term	Short Term	Fix the Symptoms	Fix the Root Cause
Toledo/BG light rail	X			X			
Fund and build Technology corridor people-mover	X	X		X			
Technology corridor expanded to include BGSU			X		X		
Plan for higher demand [Plan for greater development densities that will create higher demand??]		X	?	X			
Integrate entertainment/other amenities			X	X			
Tech. Corridor expansion to Owens CC, UM, etc			X	X			

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Downtown trolley system and link to UT	X			X			
Alternative/more hi-tech buses	X		X	X			

1-20 n Transit / intercity: Lack of affordable and effective intercity bus service (MEDIUM)

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1-20 p Transit / seniors, special needs: Lack of sufficient transportation for senior citizens & people with disabilities or other special needs (HIGH)

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All transit should be accessible to seniors/disabled		X					
All transit should be more senior friendly		X					
Better pedestrian facilities linking to transit			X		X		
Language-friendly (transit information available for non-English speakers)		X			X		
More wheelchair-accessible taxi cabs		X					
More accessible cabs in Toledo area [is this different from the one above?]	?						
Limo service at Tol Express airport needs to be wheelchair accessible		X	?		X		
Regional transit to airport	X	X		X			

1-20 q, s Transit / intermodal links: Need better intermodal connectivity with passenger rail and air. (HIGH)

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Need a transportation service from the train station - Bus, trolley, people mover							

1-21 Transportation choices: Provide more viable personal transportation choices (HIGH)

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1-22 Water: Opportunity to increase use of water transport for passengers (MEDIUM)

