

On the Move - 2007-2035 Transportation Plan Needs Input

Need/Opportunity	Venue	Rank (High or Moderate)	Priority (Group Top 5)	# Dots (votes)	Non-Transportation Issue
Road conditions. (safety, bad PR, costly to vehicles)	Bedford	H	Y	4	
Economic development opportunity for Monroe from new freight link to Canada. (new border crossing in Detroit area)	Bedford	H	Y	3	
Public transit link missing between Whitman Center and MCCC (better educational opportunities - cost / environment - jurisdictional issues)	Bedford	H	Y	2	
Lack of sidewalk(s) or path connectivity between communities. (safety, personal mobility, access to recreation)	Bedford	H	Y	2	
Safety and congestion problems from mixing large number of car and truck traffic. (crashes, possible money saving, pavement cost)	Bedford	H	Y	1	
Opportunity: Monroe County regional trail system plan and accessing MDOT money to build it (upcoming charrette per Royce)	Bedford				
Freight: Congestion at weigh station	Bedford				
Road condition - poor. Getting worse (regionally)	Bedford	H			
Whitman Center MCCC link - transit (save money, save environment, students who don't drive/can't drive, disabled - need what's available at the main campus.)	Bedford	H			
Lack of safe places to bicycle - need trails, bike lanes	Bedford				
lack of sidewalk / or path connectivity between neighborhoods	Bedford	H			
opportunity: linking to Toledo bikeway network	Bedford				
Wheelchairs, scooters etc. in the road - safety	Bedford				
Blue trails; opportunity to connect via water trails to big wildlife refuge planned	Bedford				
Road condition (roads don't last, building cheaper)	Bedford				
liability for local governments for trails - controls to provide for safety	Bedford				
opportunity: Require sidewalks?	Bedford				
improved materials needed. regionally Warranty the work?	Bedford				
opportunity: research and development improved road materials.	Bedford				
Safety and congestion from mixing cars and trucks.	Bedford	H			
Gateways to region on highways. (Monroe area)	Bedford	H			
Opportunity: Same for trucks (see above)	Bedford				

Opportunity: Freight transportation and economic development when new border crossing with Canada, position Monroe County to take advantage of business (trade) - pre-border screening facility expected	Bedford	H			
Gas prices and save road repair - trolley (steel rail)	Bedford	H ?			
Highway congestion opportunity: "trains" of cars linked together.	Bedford	?			