

## Transportation Needs Survey

Thank you for taking the time to complete this important survey. The Toledo Metropolitan Area Council of Governments (TMACOG) will use your responses to update the region's transportation plan.

There are **21 QUESTIONS** and the survey should take **LESS THAN 10 MINUTES** to take.

Upon completing the survey, you may enter to win either a \$25 gas card or bus pass! Four lucky winners will be selected.

## Transportation Questions:

Please answer the following questions as they relate to your experiences traveling throughout Lucas County, Wood County, and the southern portion of Monroe County (see map below). The term "REGION" used throughout the survey refers the depiction in the map.

Region's planning area outlined in red



1. Please select the top **THREE** modes of transportation you take most frequently:

- Drive Alone
- Carpool/Vanpool/Rideshare
- Motorcycle
- Public Transportation
- Bike
- Walk

Other (please specify)

2. Select the top **THREE** transportation issues that affect you the most:

- Traffic **congestion**
- Poor pavement** and infrastructure conditions
- Getting stuck at **railroad crossings**
- There aren't enough **carpooling/vanpooling/ridesharing** options for me
- Public transportation** isn't available where I need it
- There aren't enough **bike paths/lanes** for me
- Sidewalks** are either nonexistent or in poor condition and are difficult to traverse
- There aren't enough **flight destinations** at Toledo Express Airport
- There aren't enough **passenger rail destinations** at the Amtrak Station
- I am unable to **access recreational facilities** near me (e.g. hiking trails, boat ramps, playgrounds, etc.)

Other (please specify)

3. If you have a transportation issue at a specific location, please identify it at the following webpage or describe where you are having the issue below:

**[ArcGIS weblink to be added](#)**

4. Mark each regional transportation network either as one which we should:

**MAINTAIN** - *keep as is*

**IMPROVE** - *upgrade existing infrastructure*

**EXPAND** - *add new infrastructure to*

	Maintain	Improve	Expand
<b>Expressway Network</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Local Roadway Network</b> (non-expressway)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Bicycle/Pedestrian Network</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Public Transportation Network</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Freight Rail Network</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Passenger Rail Network</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>ADA Accessibility</b> (e.g. wheelchair ramps)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

5. Please select **TWO** areas we should invest in for the future:

- Green infrastructure, better air quality, and better water quality
- Keeping roads in good repair
- Public transportation
- Transportation education (e.g. driver improvement courses, bicyclist safety education, boating safety)
- Smart infrastructure (e.g. self-driving cars, connected vehicles, electronic message boards, etc.)
- Carpool/Vanpool/Ridesharing
- Improved bicycle network

Other (please specify)

6. Which level of improvements to the **region's transportation system** do you think are needed to positively impact the **region's economy**?

- No improvements** - the transportation network supports the region's economy just fine
- Minor improvements** - there are minor issues which impede economic growth
- Major improvements** - there are major issues which hurt the region's economy

Other (please specify)

7. Do you think the **level of funding for transportation** should increase or decrease over the next 10 years?

- Significantly increase**
- Slightly increase**
- Stay the same**
- Slightly decrease**
- Significantly decrease**

Add any comments here:

8. If a new job was available further than you can walk or bike, would you be able to take the job based on your current transportation situation?

- I would **drive myself**
- I would use **public transportation**
- I would **carpool** or have someone take me
- I would **not have transportation**
- Don't know/not applicable (you are retired or not seeking work)

9. Please select what you think the **THREE** most important transportation goals should be:

- Safety**: Reduce traffic-related fatalities and serious injuries across all modes
- Infrastructure Condition**: Maintain and improve the transportation system to a state of good repair
- Congestion Reduction**: Reduce congestion on all major roads
- System Reliability**: Improve the efficiency of the surface transportation system
- Freight Movement**: Strengthen freight access to national and international trade markets to support economic development
- Environmental Sustainability**: Protect and enhance the community and natural environments
- Project Delivery**: Expedite construction to maximize effective use of public funds
- Personal Mobility**: Improve the quality, accessibility, and efficiency of the multimodal personal transportation system

10. Are you open to using a **self-driving, privately owned car**?

- Yes
- No

11. Are you open to riding in a **self-driving, public transit shuttle**?

- Yes
- No

12. Please rank the following self-driving vehicle concerns

**ONE** being your **BIGGEST** concern

**FIVE** being your **SMALLEST** concern

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<b>User cost</b> (e.g. buying, leasing, user fees, fares)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<b>Safety</b> (e.g. accidents caused by vehicle not detecting other vehicles/people)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<b>Hacking</b> (e.g. cybersecurity issues, stolen data)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<b>Updating existing roads</b> (e.g. cost and time in making our transportation system compatible with self-driving vehicles)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<b>I don't want to give up driving</b> (you like driving too much or don't want to give up control)

13. Do you have any other concerns/comments about self-driving technology?

14. Which of the following best describes **how often you have used public transportation** (such as TARTA, TARPS, BG Transit, Bedford Dial-A-Ride, Perrysburg Transit) during the past year:

- Almost every day
- A few times a week
- A few times a month
- A few times a year
- Never

## Demographic Survey

### Demographic Questions:

Your individual responses will remain confidential

15. In which county do you live, and what is your ZIP code?

- Lucas
- Wood
- Monroe
- Other

Zip Code

16. What is your age?

- Under 18
- 18-24
- 25-34
- 35-44
- 45-54
- 55-64
- 65+
- Prefer not to say

17. Which of the following best describes the highest level of education that you have completed?

- Less than high school graduate
- High school graduate (includes equivalency)
- Some college or associate's degree
- Bachelor's degree
- Graduate or professional degree
- Prefer not to say

18. What is your gender?

- Male
- Female
- Other
- Prefer not to say

19. Which of the following best describes your annual household income?

- Under \$15,000
- Between \$15,000 and \$29,999
- Between \$30,000 and \$49,999
- Between \$50,000 and \$74,999
- Between \$75,000 and \$99,999
- Between \$100,000 and \$150,000
- Over \$150,000
- Prefer not to say

20. Do you currently have a disability which affects your transportation options?

- Yes
- No
- Prefer not to say

21. Please enter your name and preferred contact information for a chance to win a \$25 gas card or bus pass! Four lucky winners will be selected.

Name:

Email, phone number,  
or address: