Your Long-Range Transportation Plan is Not a Paperweight

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Introduction

• COMPASS
• The Transportation-Land Use Problem
• Bridging Local and Regional Planning
• How to DIY
COMPASS By the Numbers

2—MPO for 2 Idaho counties: Ada and Canyon
1—Ada County Highway District (ACHD)
6—cities in Ada County
9—cities in Canyon County
7—cities have no planning staff
1—Vision for the Future
9—hours from Vegas
Communities in Motion (CIM) 2040 Vision
Now, what?

Transportation  Land Use

COMPASS
COMMUNITY PLANNING ASSOCIATION
of Southwest Idaho
Making the First Move

1. Development Tracking
2. Development Checklist
3. Demographic dataset
4. Dashboard
Definition:
Accounting process of how well development in the region, including new housing and employment, is consistent with the Communities in Motion 2040 Vision.
What Should We Do?

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2. Reallocate growth

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Development Checklist

- Used for “large” developments or on arterial roads
- Represents each CIM 2040 category
- Based on the Scenario Planning Performance Measures
- Maintains authority with local agencies
- Triggers dialogue
- Held focus group with P&Z Commissioners
CIM 2040 Checklist

- Links proposals to CIM 2040 Vision
- Information to decision-makers

### Neighborhood (Transportation Analysis Zone) Demographics

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- Yes ☑️ No ☒️ N/A The number of jobs and/or households in this development is consistent with jobs/households in the CIM 2040 Vision in this neighborhood. (Goal 2.1)

### Area (Adjacent Transportation Analysis Zone) Demographics

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# CIM 2040 Checklist

## Community Infrastructure
- **Yes** ☑️ | **No** ☓️ | **N/A** ☑️ The proposal is infill development. *(Goals 4.1, 4.2)*
- **Yes** ☑️ | **No** ☓️ | **N/A** ☑️ The proposal is within or adjacent to city limits. *(Goals 4.1, 4.2)*
- **Yes** ☑️ | **No** ☓️ | **N/A** ☑️ The proposal is within a city area of impact. *(Goals 4.1, 4.2)*

## Health
- **No** ☑️ | **Yes** ☓️ | **N/A** ☑️ The proposal is within 1/4 mile of a transit stop. *(Goal 5.1)*
- **Yes** ☑️ | **No** ☓️ | **N/A** ☑️ The proposal is within 1/4 mile of a public school. *(Goal 5.1)*
- **Yes** ☑️ | **No** ☓️ | **N/A** ☑️ The proposal is within 1/4 mile of a grocery store. *(Goal 5.1)*
- **Yes** ☑️ | **No** ☓️ | **N/A** ☑️ The proposal is within 1 mile of a park and ride location. *(Goal 5.1)*
Dashboard

COMPASS Performance Dashboard

Introduction

This section provides a wealth of information about southwest Idaho through a variety of topics - from transportation and economic development to housing and land use. We invite you to explore the community’s local data and work with us to create our own future today. Our online Communities in Motion 2040 Performance Dashboard tool highlights trends in our the local social, economic, and environmental community data. It’s like a report card for the community. This dashboard empowers our local leaders to track and monitor the community’s stats so we may be more effective at the work we do.

COMPASS Performance Dashboard Instructions

Other Performance Measures

Photography:

The photos used on this page were provided by the following photographers, as part of the Your Treasure Valley Future Photo Challenge.

[Sea of Hands Images]
Do It Yourself

• Top-Down direction
• Scenario planning set agreed-upon objectives and targets
• Build good relationships
• Borrow off-the-shelf data (Walkscore, HUD Location Affordability, AARP Livability Index, etc.)
• Commitment—both in development and care and feeding
• Planning and Zoning Commissioners focus group
• Understand your policy implications
Conclusion

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