2016-2040 Columbus Area Metropolitan Transportation Plan

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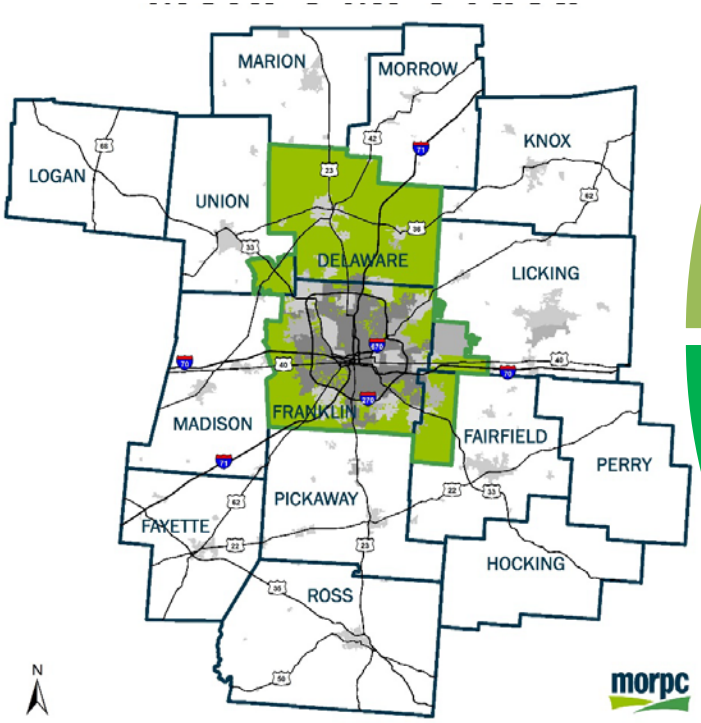
PRESENTATION TO CITY OF POWELL

WHO IS MORPC?



Policy
- State
- Federal
- Local
- Advocacy

Planning
- Land Use
- Economic Development
- Environment

Regional Data & Mapping

Energy
- Sustainability
- Air Quality
- Home Weatherization

Transportation
- Multi-modal Options
- Forecasting
- Project Capitalization

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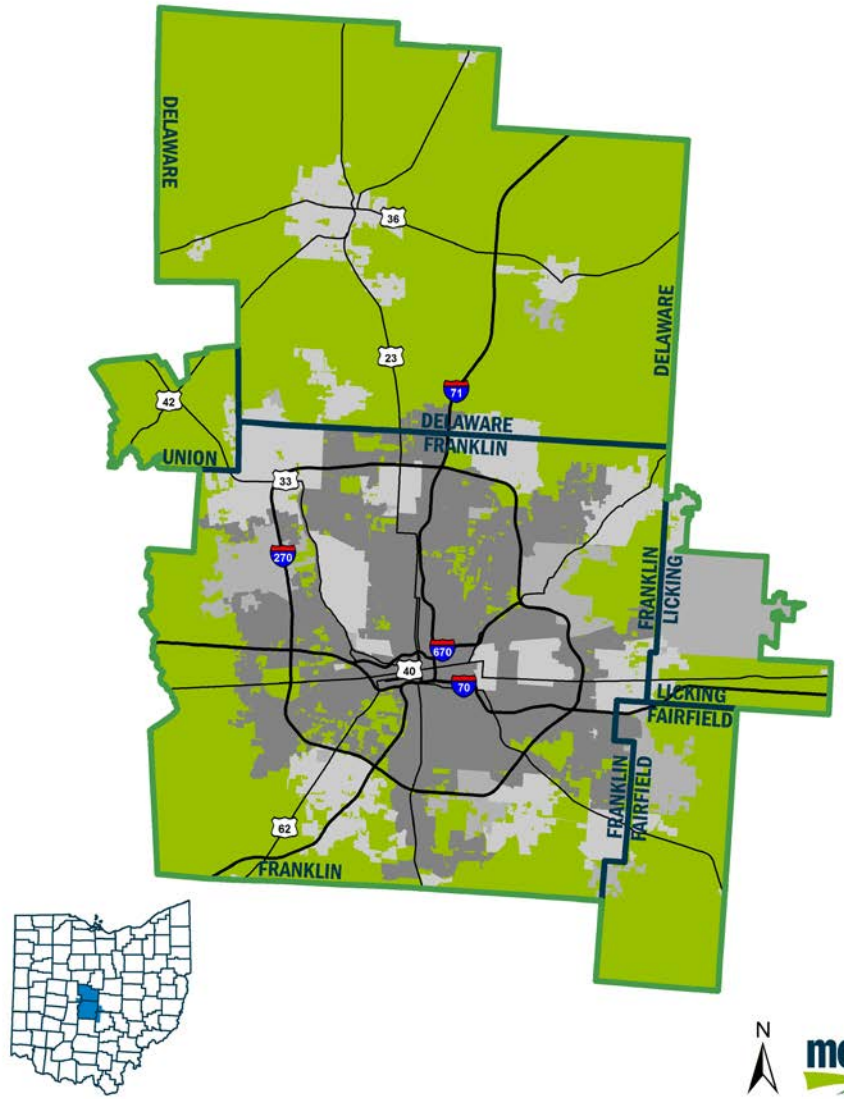
WHAT IS THE 2016-2040 METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLAN?

- Plan that sets the regional transportation priorities
- Long-range (20+ years), fiscally constrained, prioritizes strategies and projects, examines impacts to air quality
- Formal document submitted to ODOT and Federal Highway on a 4-year cycle

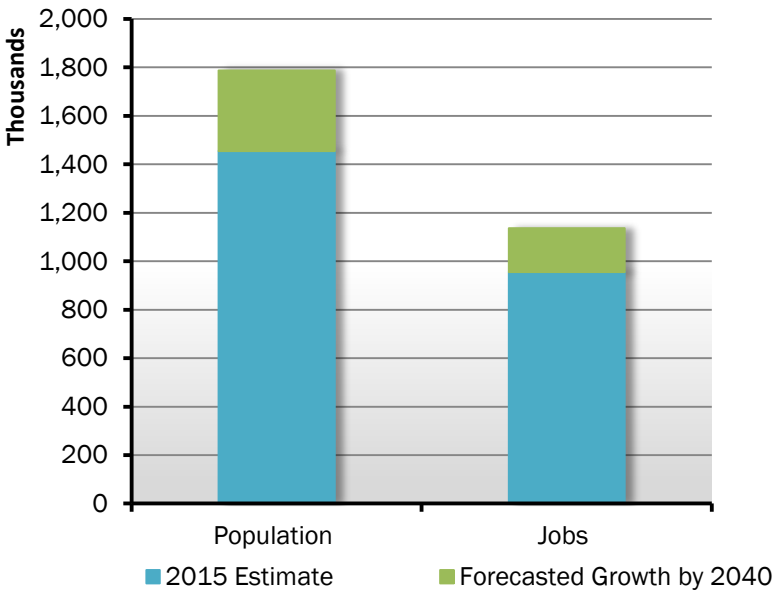
MORPC MPO Area



The 2016 Metropolitan Transportation Plan only includes communities within the official MPO boundary.

WHY IS IT IMPORTANT?

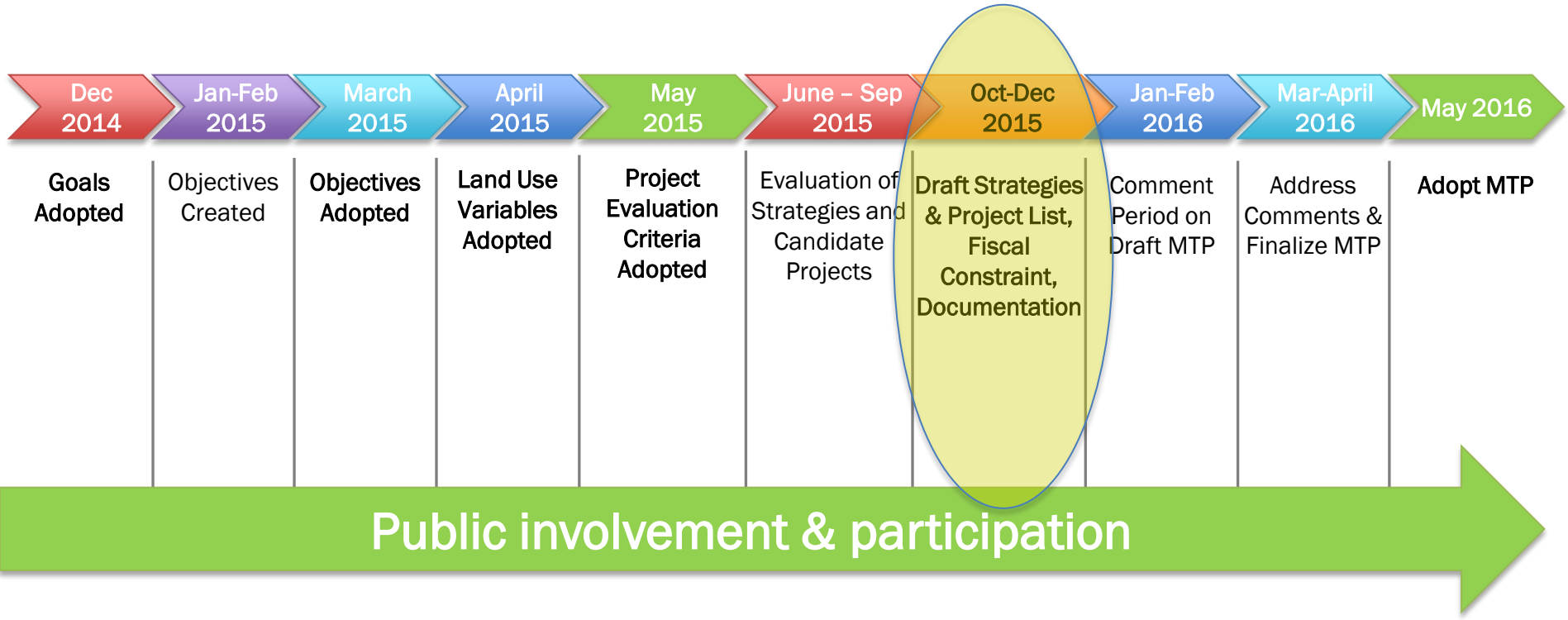
- 2016 – 2040 Growth



- Existing transportation network:
  - Over 36,590 miles of highways
  - 9,700 vehicle miles traveled per capita
  - Over 1 million service hrs of transit
  - 580 miles of bikeways

- *Transportation projects must be in MTP to be eligible for Federal funding*

PLAN DEVELOPMENT TIMELINE



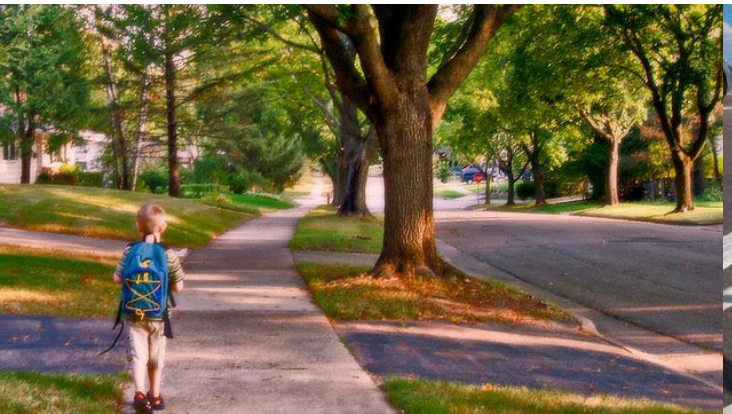
ADOPTED GOALS OF THE MTP

Through transportation:

- Reduce per capita **energy consumption** and promote **alternative fuel** resources to increase affordability and resilience of regional energy supplies
- Protect **natural resources** and mitigate infrastructure vulnerabilities to maintain a healthy ecosystem and community
- Position Central Ohio to attract and retain **economic opportunity** to prosper as a region and compete globally
- Create **sustainable neighborhoods** to improve residents' quality of life
- Increase **regional collaboration** and employ innovative transportation solutions to maximize the **return on public expenditures**
- Use public investments to benefit the **health, safety, and welfare** of people

ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION PLAN

- Goal: People can safely and easily walk, bike, and use transit.
- Focuses on 12 corridors
- Collaborative and cross-jurisdictional
- Tools:
  - Story Map
  - Cost Estimator



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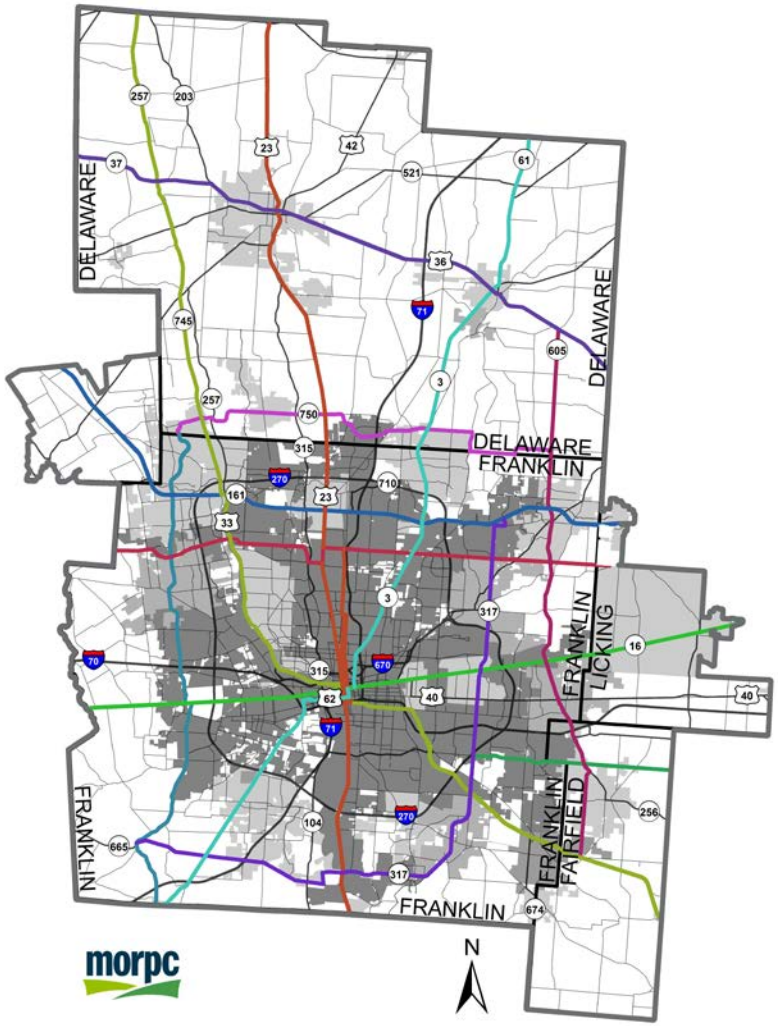

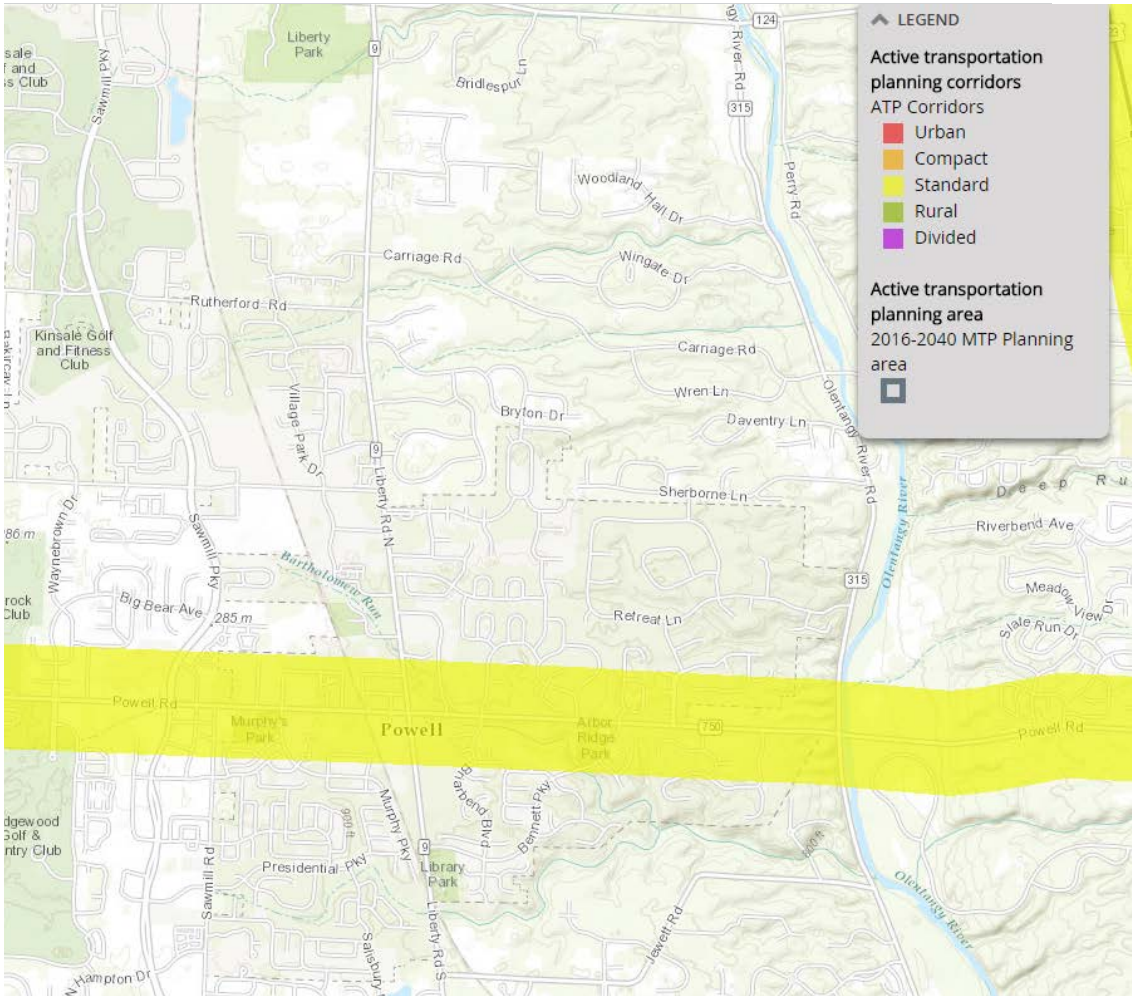

COORDINATION

- Your plans and documents along with

- COTA

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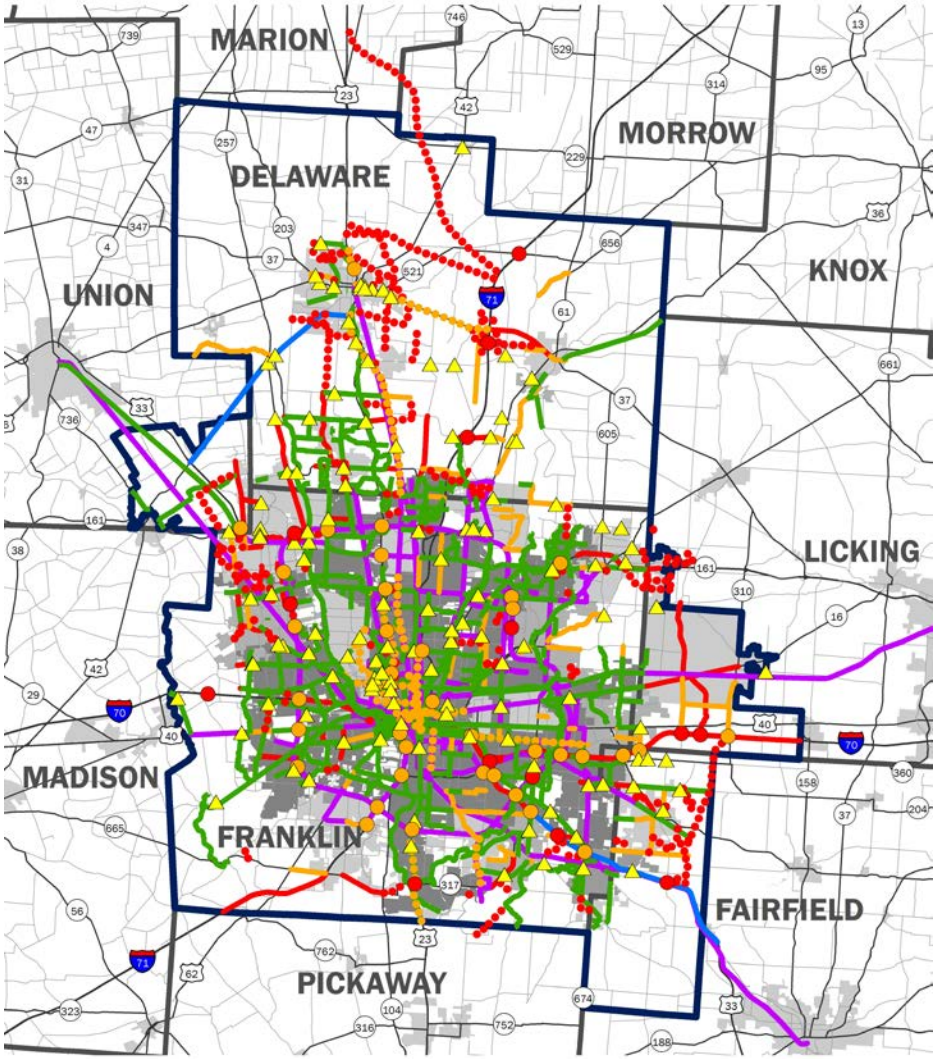
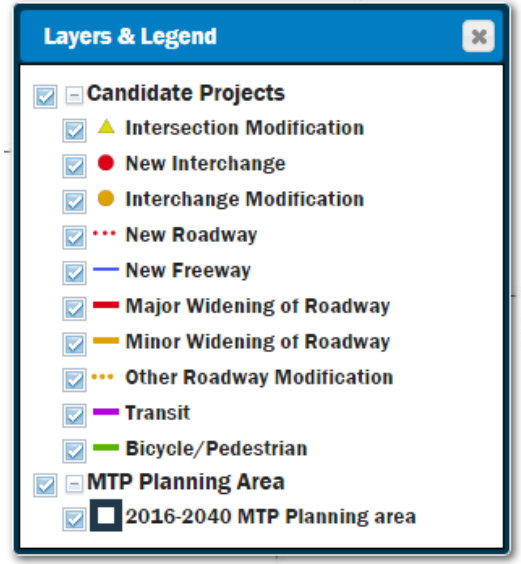
IT'S YOUR MOVE

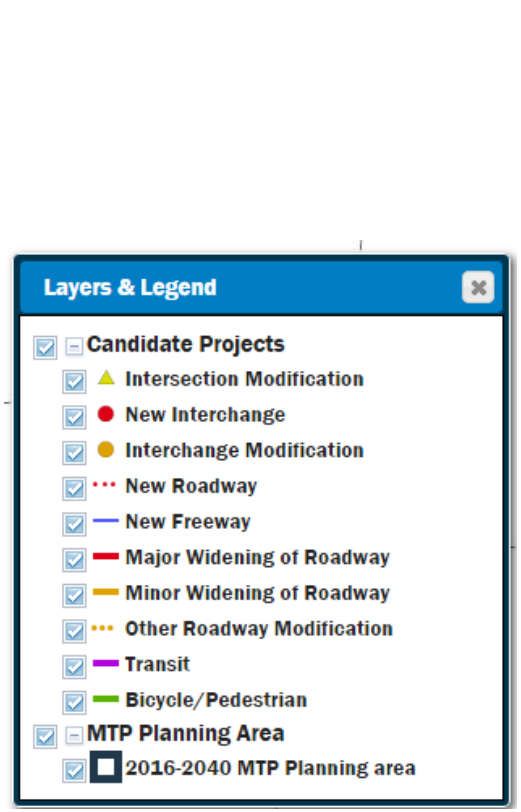
- City of Columbus

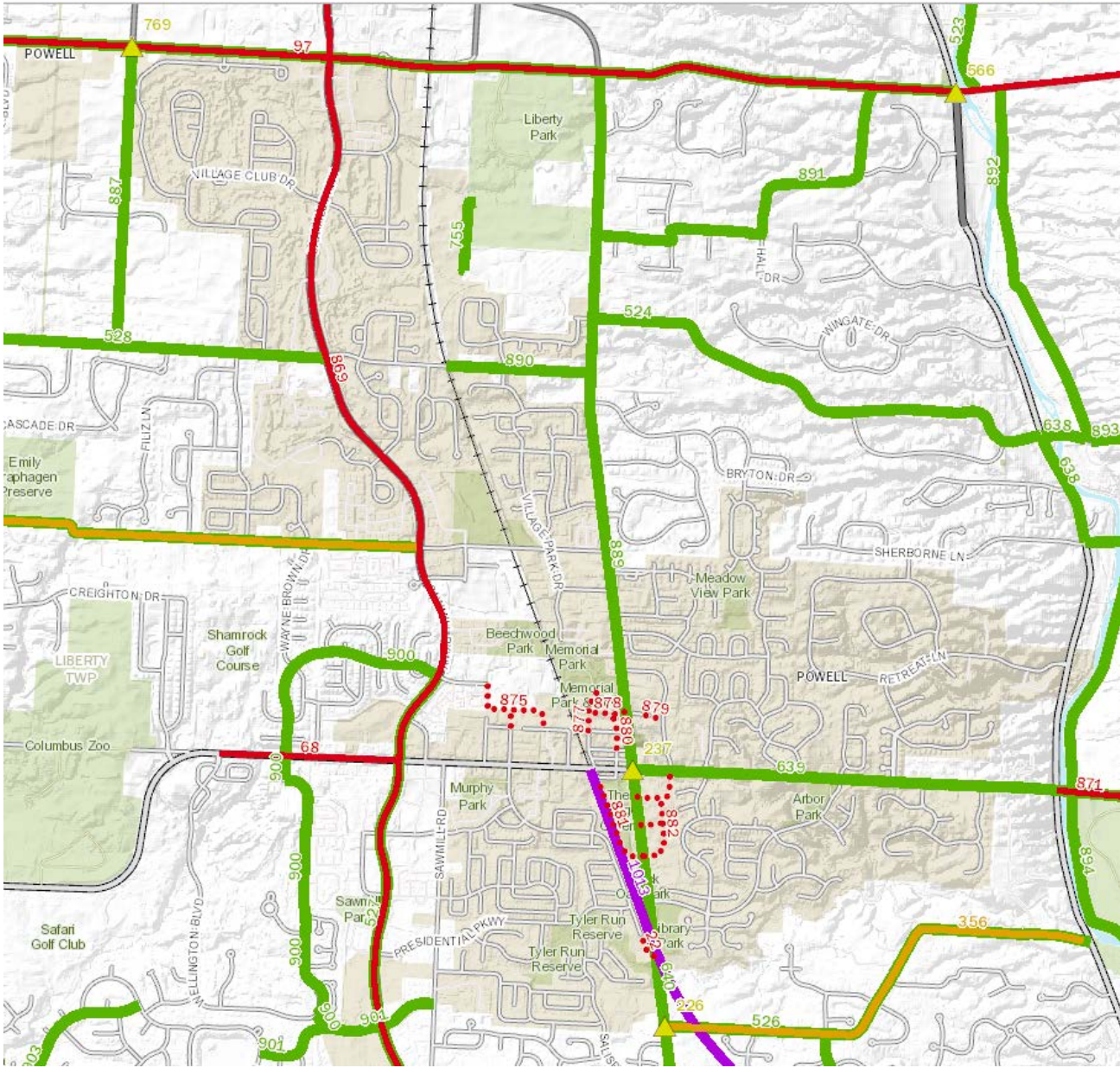
CONNECT COLUMBUS
BUILDING COLUMBUS' TRANSPORTATION FUTURE

CANDIDATE PROJECTS






Layers & Legend
Candidate Projects
Intersection Modification
New Interchange
Interchange Modification
New Roadway
New Freeway
Major Widening of Roadway
Minor Widening of Roadway
Other Roadway Modification
Transit
Bicycle/Pedestrian
MTP Planning Area
2016-2040 MTP Planning area


POWELL
Liberty Park
VILLAGE CLUB DR
BRYTON DR
SHERBORNE LN
Meadow View Park
Beechwood Park
Memorial Park
POWELL
RETREAT LN
Shamrock Golf Course
CREIGHTON DR
LIBERTY TWP
Columbus Zoo
Murphy Park
Arbor Park
Safari Golf Club
Tyler Run Reserve
PRESIDENTIAL PKWY
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NEXT STEPS

- Open house – March 15, 2016 at

  MORPC
  111 Liberty St.
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- Plan adoption May 2016

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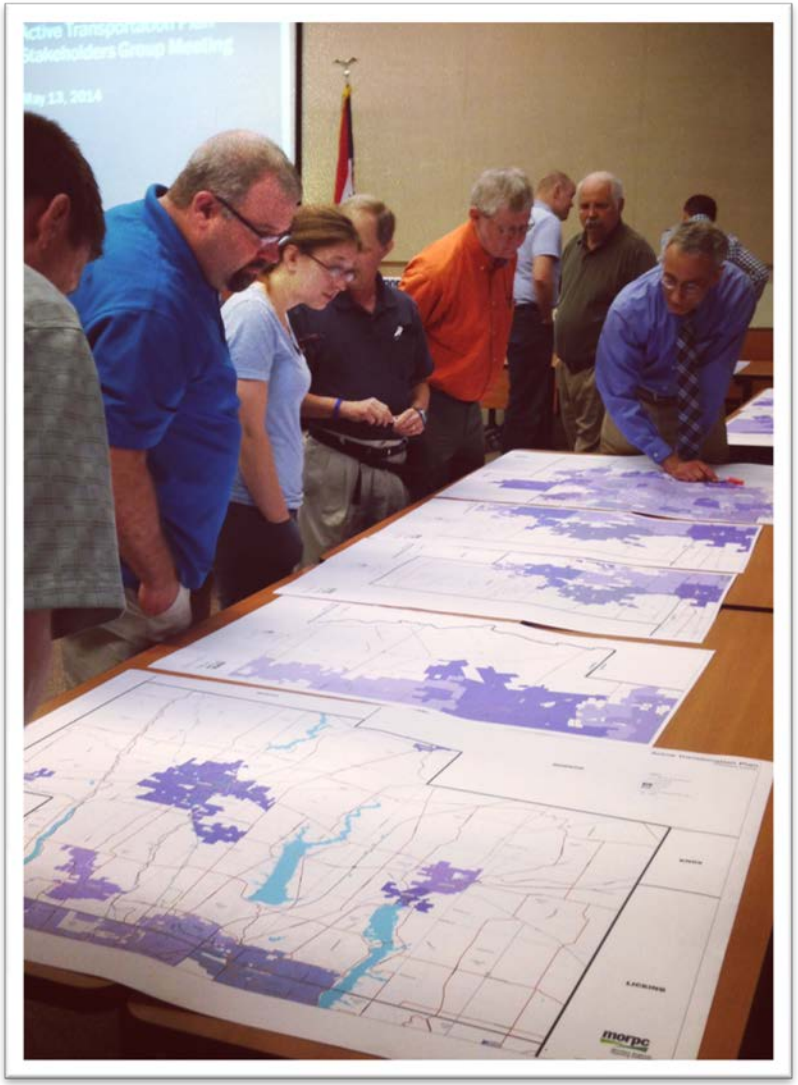

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