

# Envision 2050

## *Transportation* *Chapter Overview*

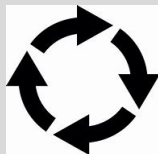
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# The following presentation provides general information about the Transportation Chapter of Envision 2050

- On upcoming slides transportation goals will be displayed in **Bold Text.**
- Selected policies and recommendations/actions will be displayed in *Italicized Text.*
- A complete listing of the policies and recommendations/actions as well as additional information can be viewed in the draft Transportation Chapter of Envision 2050.

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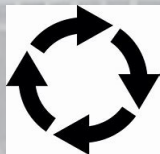
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# Envision 2050 - General Transportation Policy

“Future transportation plans developed and maintained by local jurisdictions, La Crosse County, the La Crosse Area Planning Committee, and the State of Wisconsin should address all modes of transportation including highway, rail, water, air, public transit, bicycle and pedestrian travel. Special attention should be paid to the public transit needs of the elderly and persons with disabilities. Opportunities for intergovernmental cooperation on planning and funding of transportation facilities and services shall be encouraged.”

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# Goals and Selected Policies and Recommendations/actions

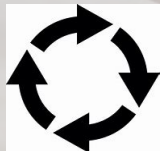
**Maintain and improve the transportation system based on regional priorities that will benefit all users.**

- *Ensure transportation system planning is coordinated between La Crosse County, La Crosse Area Planning Committee (LAPC) and municipalities.*

**Build upon La Crosse County's strong bike and pedestrian trail system to enhance recreational and utilitarian travel opportunities.**

- *Encourage cooperative efforts to further develop a countywide trail system that provides safe and efficient routes to interconnect La Crosse County communities.*

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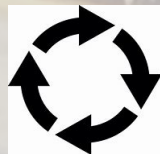
**Support and promote rail improvements that will benefit passenger and freight rail in La Crosse County and the region.**

- *Assist in the implementation of the TCMC (Amtrak 2<sup>nd</sup> daily train) rail project.*

**Continue to improve public transportation services to meet the needs of all residents with heightened attention to the unique needs of disabled, low income, and aging residents.**

- *Promote "Transit Ready" development especially along current transit routes.*
- *Facilitate discussions between La Crosse County local units of government to seek ways to expand public transit.*

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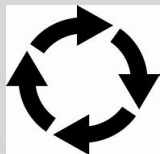
**Support and promote air passenger and freight services that meet the needs of the county and region.**

- Ensure the La Crosse Municipal Airport continues to serve the general aviation and air commuting needs of the community as well as regional air passenger and freight services.*

**Maintain and enhance the public road system throughout the County.**

- Continue consistent monitoring and recording of the county highway system (through WISLR and others) to identify, reduce, and minimize deficiencies in the system.*

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