

Northern Virginia Joint Transportation Meeting

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FY2020-2025 Six Year Program Planning & Prioritizing for the Region



****Six Year Program Update Adopted, July 9, 2020****

- **Authority's 5th Funding Program** – Most competitive to date
- **\$539 Million** in Authority regional revenues programmed on **21** transportation projects encompassing various modes
 - **Roadway/Intersection/Interchange; Metrorail/VRE Commuter Rail/BRT/Bus Facility; and Bike/Pedestrian Facility**
- **\$1.44 Billion** in regional revenue funds requested for **41 projects**
- To date, **the Authority is advancing 106 regional multimodal transportation projects, totaling \$2.5 billion**, for congestion reduction throughout the region

****Despite COVID-19 impacts on revenue, the Authority is able to preserve all project funding programs.**



Get Real-Time Project Status Updates NoVA Gateway



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Filters: Project Sponsor: Showing All Project Location: Showing All Corridor Segment: Showing All Transportation Mode: Showing All

NVTA-Funded Projects

87 Projects FUNDED

\$1.6 billion NVTA Funding ALLOCATED

Project Funding Sources

■ NVTA
■ Non-NVTA
■ Funding Gap

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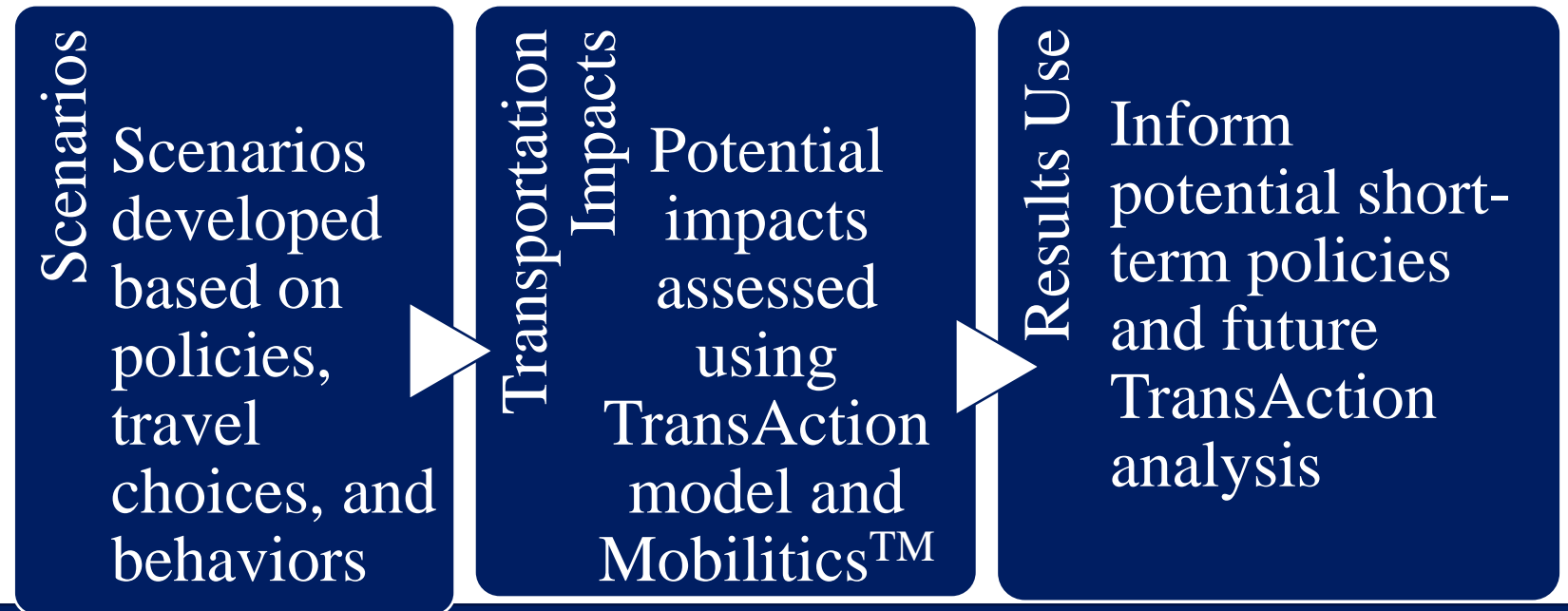
- **Newly launched tool that allows searches by project location, transportation mode, corridor segment and project sponsor – with just a click of a button!**



COVID-19: Transportation Impacts and Opportunities



- **Analysis and updates of change in travel behavior due to COVID-19 (Authority conducted with AECOM)**
 - **GOAL:** Explore impacts to operating conditions and future transportation project investment considerations
 - **SCENARIOS & IMPACTS:** Analyze plausible possible future scenarios, not intended to predict the future or imply any preferences





NVTA Analysis Scenario Comparison: Assumptions



	Quick Recovery		Active Transportation		Second Wave		Cautious Recovery	
	Short Term	New Normal	Short Term	New Normal	Short Term	New Normal	Short Term	New Normal
Telework*	10%	10%	20%	15%	50%	10%	25%	15%
Jobs Lost*	3%	0.5%	5%	1%	10%	6%	8%	2%
School Attendance	90%	95%	90%	95%	0%	100%	40%	90%
Transit Safety Perception	85%	100%	75%	95%	25%	95%	40%	100%
Active Transportation	Pre-COVID Mode Share		60% trips <5 mi are walk/bike. Mode share increases 30%.		Pre-COVID Mode Share		Pre-COVID Mode Share	

*Compared to pre-COVID levels (Telework % noted: Increase in telework; Jobs Lost % noted: Fewer jobs)



Looking Ahead: What Does This Mean?



- **Transportation Silver Linings**
 - Reduced driving, less congestion, lower emissions
 - Recovery of local bus services
- **Areas of Potential Concern**
 - Rate of transit recovery, especially rail/longer distance bus commutes
 - Perception of transit safety
- **Unknowns (short-term)**
 - K-12 return to in-classroom instruction
- **Unknowns (long-term)**
 - Work-from-home practices/preferences
 - E-commerce trends (click versus brick)
 - Commercial/residential real estate trends
- **Additional Considerations**
 - 24% NoVA population increase (2016 – 2040)
 - 37% NoVA employment increase (2016 – 2040)

*based on analysis in TransAction



TransAction Update



- **Region's long-range transportation plan updated every five years**
 - **Current plan adopted October 2017**
- **Projects required to be in TransAction for eligibility of 70% revenues**
- **Include assessment of COVID impacts on transportation**
- **3 Goals: Improve Mobility; Increase Accessibility; and Build Resiliency**
- **Public Engagement throughout all three phases of update**
- **TransAction update anticipated for Fall of 2022 adoption**





Travel Decisions Powered by Data

Virginia Regional Multi-Modal Mobility Program (RM3P)

RM3P is a collaborative program to improve safety, reliability, and mobility for travelers in the Northern Virginia region. Through the RM3P initiative, public and private sector transportation safety and service providers across Northern Virginia will adopt technologies to improve multi-modal travel conditions. Funded under the Commonwealth of Virginia's Innovative Technology and Transportation Fund (ITTF), the RM3P is led by the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT), the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority (NVTA), and the Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation (DRPT).



Data-Exchange Platform



The Data-Exchange Platform (DEP) will be a reliable, continuously updated, cloud-based data storage and exchange system. It will be used by regional partners and third-party providers to capture, process, and exchange information on real-time and historic multi-modal travel conditions. This platform will feed necessary data to other RM3P program elements and disseminate value-added and full-grown data produced by these elements.

AI-Based Decision Support System



The AI-Based Decision Support System (AI-DSS) will help predict the impact of disruptions to the transportation network and provide coordinated response options to agencies. The automated tool for operators will use travel data to monitor emerging conditions and recommend plans for coordinated, multi-agency responses to congestion, incidents, and events.

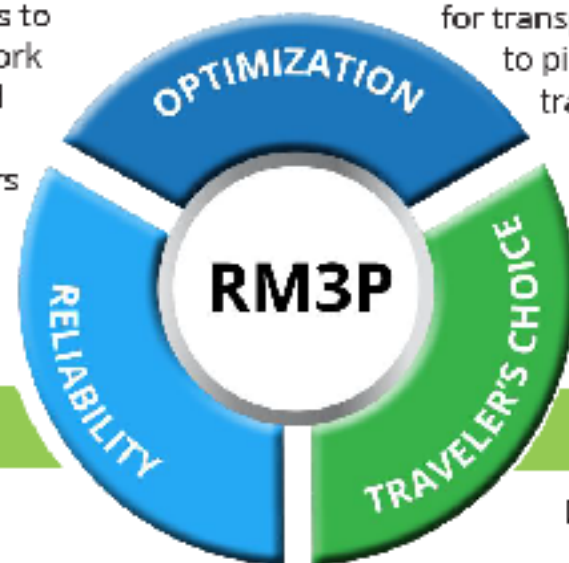
Commuter Parking Information System



The Commuter Parking Information System (CPIS) will entail a real-time, app-based parking availability information system that provides reliable information about parking space availability at lots serving bus, vanpool, and carpool commuters.

Multi-Modal Analytical Planner

The Multi-Modal Analytical Planner (MMAP) will be a collaboration tool for transportation service providers to pinpoint unmet needs in the transportation network. This highly interactive tool will enable mobility providers to study the impacts of "what-if" scenarios and better plan for travel demand by identifying underserved areas, especially during disruptive events.



Dynamic Incentivization

Dynamic Incentivization (DI) will be a data-driven system offering the public incentives to modify their travel choices and behaviors in response to real-time travel conditions. The incentives will be offered by regional agencies and third-party providers.





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