

We want to continue to work with you and your neighbours to implement the transportation policies approved in the Marpole Community Plan

MARPOLE'S TRANSPORTATION STRATEGY

Through the Marpole Community Plan process, we heard that transportation was a topic of particular concern for residents and there was a desire to see more details on how the transportation policies identified in the Plan would be prioritized.

In response, the City's Transportation Division is developing a Transportation Implementation Strategy to address the Marpole Community Plan transportation policies that were approved by Council on April 2, 2014. The Strategy will not create new policies, but it will help inform decisions around transportation priorities in on the Marpole Community Plan and Transportation 2040 Plan.

The goals of the Strategy are to:



WHAT WE'VE BEEN DOING

On April 24 staff from the City's Transportation Division held a walking tour at the request of a group of residents. The tour provided the opportunity for staff to share information about the City's transportation goals and guidelines while residents shared their concerns and priorities around transportation in Marpole.

WHAT'S NEXT

To help us develop a strategy that reflects the priorities of Marpole residents, businesses, community groups and service providers, we will be arranging more walks, bike rides and meetings. Anyone who wishes to provide input or participate in tours or meetings is welcome.

To be sure you receive invitations to our upcoming events, register your email at vancouver.ca/marpoleplan

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BUILDING ON APPROVED POLICIES

The Transportation Implementation Strategy for Marpole will build on policies approved in the Marpole Community Plan which are also based on the goals approved in the City's long-range Transportation 2040 Plan (2012).

The Transportation 2040 goals include:

- Make walking safe, convenient and delightful.
- Make cycling safe, convenient, and comfortable for people of all ages and abilities.
- Support transit improvements to increase capacity and ensure service that is fast, frequent, reliable, fully accessible, and comfortable.
- Support the efficient movement and delivery of goods and services, while reducing negative impacts to the community and the environment.
- Manage the road network efficiently to improve safety, minimize congestion, and support a gradual reduction in car dependence.
- Support shorter trips and sustainable transportation choices by creating compact, walkable, transit-oriented neighbourhoods.