

Community Design Strategy Map

STRATEGIES - ACTIONS

OBJECTIVES

GOALS

VISION

Monitor, Evaluate, and Adapt

Plan for more active corridors and districts

Carry Out Urban Corridors Strategy & Sust. Thurston

- Capitol Boulevard
- Brewery District
- Woodland District

Increase availability of neighborhoods parks and other supports

- Local matching grants

Improve street design

- Build 'complete streets'

Increase extent of trails and pathways

Sustain Safe Routes to School (SRTS) programs

- Continue county-wide efforts

Promote use (Education & Encouragement)

Align development codes

Increase housing density near commercial services and other destinations

Measure: Market trends for housing in walkable environments... e.g., near... transit, trails, etc.

Increase mix of uses near housing

Measure: Walk Score or similar way to capture local diversity of destinations

So that

Increase convenience & safety of walking, biking and transit

Measure: Counts of use on current trails and other facilities

Measure: # of transit boardings

Measure: Trends in pedestrian, other non-motorized traffic safety

Residents are encouraged to walk/bicycle/be active

Measure: TBD – proportion of schools with SRTS program

So that

Integrate public health and development planning

Measure: TBD

Affordability is increased by proximity of services, etc...

Improve Places

Measure: Proportion of new development occurring in location-efficient settings

Target: increase by 6.25% in 5 years, from 47% to over 53%

Improve Connections

Measure: # of new trail miles

Target: increase by 2.5 miles in 5 yrs.

Measure: # of new (improved) access points to existing trails

Target: 1+ each year for 5 years

Measure: # of transit stops w/improvements

Target: 125 improved transit stops in 5 years

Residents have support for using active transportation

Being active is a community norm

Measures: Proportion of students within a walkable distance who walk to school/ SRTS Travel Tallies; Commute Trip Reduction mode splits; Vehicle Miles Traveled

Align Regulatory Framework with Healthy Development Plans

Measure: Proportion of new development meeting walkable design guidelines (in development); annual meeting with local staff/officials suggested for tracking progress

TT Housing Action Team Strategy

Create safe, convenient and abundant opportunities for physical activity

Use of trails and other walkable places increases

Measure: Adult and youth health survey physical activity data

People are physically active in our daily lives

Key Measures: {Community Indicators}

- Adult physical activity levels: 58% meet
- Youth physical activity levels: 35% meet
- Youth walking and bicycling to school rate: 34%
- # of multi-use trail miles: 56.7 miles ~ 1.4 mile added since strategy began (2014).
- Proportion of housing built within 1/2 mile of an activity center: 45.8% (2014)
- NEW in 2016-17
- # of new/improved trail connections

