



## Request for City Council Committee Action From the Department of Public Works

**Date:** September 28, 2004  
**To:** Honorable Sandra Colvin Roy, Chair Transportation & Public Works Committee  
**Referral to:** None

**Subject:** 2030 Met Council Transportation Policy Plan

**Recommendation:** Receive and file – presentation regarding this draft report.

**Previous Directives:** None

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**Approved by:**

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**Financial Impact** (Check those that apply)

No financial impact - or - Action is within current department budget.  
(If checked, go directly to Background/Supporting Information)

- Action requires an appropriation increase to the Capital Budget  
 Action requires an appropriation increase to the Operating Budget  
 Action provides increased revenue for appropriation increase  
 Action requires use of contingency or reserves  
 Other financial impact (Explain):

Request provided to the Budget Office when provided to the Committee Coordinator

The Twin Cities is projected to generate another 4 million daily trips by 2030 based on the future growth and development forecasts. This represents a 37 percent increase in travel on metro-area roads. To help plan and prepare for growth in travel, the Metropolitan Council is updating the regional Transportation Policy Plan (TPP), an update that federal law requires every three years. The Council has adopted a draft plan for public review and comments through October 22, 2004. In addition, Met Council has scheduled a series of upcoming information sessions, with a public hearing Sept. 27. Final adoption by Met Council is scheduled for December 2004. At the October 12, 2004 Transportation & Public Works Committee, we will be presenting draft comments on the TPP for Council action.

The draft Transportation Policy Plan and meetings can be found at the Met Council web site at: <http://www.metrocouncil.org/planning/transportation/TPP/2004/summary.htm>

Attachment 1: Summary Draft 2030 Transportation Policy Plan

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