

Transportation Services Department - Transportation Planning

2017 Budget Briefing Note

Description

The Transportation Services Department brings together all services related to the mobility of the City, serving as a holistic transportation hub that focuses on the planning, implementation, operations and delivery of all modes of transportation. Every service and project delivered by the department impacts how people commute – whether by bus, train, car, bicycle, walking or a combination of these – both now and in years to come.

The role of the Transportation Planning Branch is to provide strategic planning to address the City's transportation needs in a sustainable and affordable manner.

Programs/Services Offered

- Collect data and undertake transportation modeling and forecasting to assess infrastructure requirements
- Develop transportation policies and modal share targets
- Implement cycling and walking programs
- Develop, monitor and update the Transportation Master Plan, Cycling Plan, and Pedestrian Plan
- Undertake functional planning for growth projects for cycling and pedestrian facilities, transit (bus, rail), roads and undertake environmental assessments where necessary for transit (bus, rail), roads, cycling and pedestrian facilities
- Develop and implement Area Traffic Management Plans (e.g. traffic calming measures)