



Working together to plan for the future

Work Group: Active Transportation Workgroup (ATWG)
Staff Liaison: Liisa Itkonen

Purpose:

The purpose of the Active Transportation Workgroup is to provide guidance into the development, integration and implementation of the regional bicycle/pedestrian planning. This encompasses stakeholder coordination, data collection and analysis, regional infrastructure mapping, needs identification and member agency decision support.

Tasks:

1. Review and provide feedback on COMPASS bicycle/pedestrian counter program and data analysis, including characteristics, seasonality/weather, etc.
2. Review bicycle and pedestrian safety data, and help develop crash rates and counter measures.
3. Develop and coordinate first/last mile improvements.
4. Review and provide feedback on regional Safe Routes plan.
5. Review and provide feedback on an update to COMPASS Complete Streets policy.
6. Develop a proposal for bicycle/pedestrian forecasting tools and model development for 2019/2020 Resource Development Plan.

Deliverables, Schedule:

1. Bicycle and pedestrian crash rates and list of counter measures. (March 2019)
2. Toolkit for first/last mile improvements. (July 2019)
3. Regional Safe Routes plan. (August 2019)
4. Updated Complete Streets policy. (Fall 2019)
5. Proposal for bicycle and pedestrian forecasting model for 2019/2020 Resource Development Plan.

Membership:

Membership in the ATWG will be drawn from: member agency staff from ACHD, ITD, City of Boise, City of Meridian, City of Nampa, City of Caldwell, City of Eagle, City of Kuna and Valley Regional Transit. Others will include health-related organization staff, representation from the Foundation for Ada/Canyon Trails System (FACTS), advocacy group representatives, and at least one member of the Public Participation Workgroup. One member of the ATWG shall serve on the Rails with Trails Workgroup.

Charter recommended by Executive Committee: July 10, 2018
Date

Charter approved by COMPASS Board: August 20, 2018
Date

Next planned review of charter by Executive Committee: June 2019

All decisions and recommendations of COMPASS workgroups are reached through consensus and there are no quorum requirements for workgroups. All workgroup meetings are open to anyone interested in attending. Individuals interested in attending should contact the staff liaison to obtain the scheduled meeting dates and planned agendas.