Meeting 6 Recap & Input Round 4 Preliminary Results
**Working Group Meeting 6 Recap**
- Developed objectives
- Prioritized to objectives for each goal

**Round 4 Details**
- May 28 – June 28
- About 165 participants to date
- Two Formats (Metroquest):
  - Online
  - Meeting in a Box

**Two questions**
- Step 1: Rank Goals
- Step 2: Prioritize Top Objectives to Reach Goal
Choose Goals What do we want to achieve?

Efficient Infrastructure

Building infrastructure extensions to serve low density sprawl and leapfrog development is not as efficient as developing near existing roads, sewers, and utilities.

To make the best use of our current investment and to keep operating and maintenance costs low, we must fully use our existing infrastructure.

This goal is not above the line.

Would you like to add a comment?
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Goal Rankings in Top 5

- Clean Air & Water: 159
- Healthy People: 141
- Regional Prosperity: 124
- Transportation Choices: 121
- Efficient Infrastructure: 118
- Local Food Production: 106
- Create Great Places: 92
- Housing Choices: 84
### Goal 6: Expand choices of transportation

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<td>5. Expand public and private transit opportunities to all parts of the region</td>
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<td>6. Create parking incentives/disincentives</td>
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<td>7. Provide specific needs transportation (disabled, aging)</td>
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<td>8. Provide connectivity between all modes of transportation</td>
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Choose Top 5
Objectives What are the best ways to accomplish our goals?

Expand the options we have for moving around the region when an additional 300,000 people call East Tennessee home in 2040.

To expand transportation choices, we need to:

Provide options for people who don't drive
Make transportation options available and easy for those people who can't or don't want to drive.

Enhance our existing transit system
Provide more frequent transit service with more destinations and better facilities.

Expand our transit opportunities throughout the region
Create connected transit systems that reach communities throughout the region.

Create more walking and biking opportunities
Create safe, convenient walking and biking options connected to transit and to places where we learn, work, play and shop.

Encourage development that supports transit
Support transit systems by encouraging the development of nearby places to live, work, learn, play and shop.

Indicate which three objectives you would support by choosing:

(Yes) or (No)

For each goal, you may also choose one favorite:
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Transportation Choices

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Goal 8: Maximize efficiency of existing infrastructure

1. Increase maintenance budgets
2. Conserve of water and energy
3. Extend infrastructure incrementally from the core facilities outward
4. Identify bottlenecks or choke points in our infrastructure systems
5. Jurisdictions will cooperate and coordinate
6. Discourage development on substandard infrastructure
7. Work with existing transportation infrastructure before building new
8. Tie infrastructure investment to transit investment

Choose Top 5
Objectives What are the best ways to accomplish our goals?

Maximize the efficiency and value of our current infrastructure investment and keep operating and maintenance costs low.

To maximize existing infrastructure efficiency, we need to:

**Adequately fund infrastructure maintenance**
Fund the maintenance of roads, water lines, sewers and other infrastructure to maximize their lifecycle.

**Extend infrastructure incrementally**
Avoid leapfrog extensions of infrastructure by extending systems in steps from the core facilities outward.

**Coordinate across jurisdictional boundaries**
Share information and work together to provide support and backup in times of emergency or need.

**Conserve water and energy resources**
Conserve water and energy to extend the life of our resources and avoid the cost of upgrading our systems.

**Avoid development that is not supported by infrastructure**
Recognize that building with inadequate infrastructure is not safe and costs us more money in the long run.
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Efficient Infrastructure

- Adequately fund infrastructure maintenance: 123, 28 (Yes, Favorite)
- Avoid development that is not supported by infrastructure: 115, 39
- Conserve water and energy resources: 103, 26
- Extend infrastructure incrementally: 79, 7
- Coordinate across jurisdictional boundaries: 70, 5

Legend: Red = Yes, Blue = Favorite