

Bicycle & Pedestrian Plan Update Public Survey



As part of the 2040 Long Range Transportation Plan the Mobile Metropolitan Planning Organization is updating the Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan that recommends bicycle lanes and pedestrian facilities designed to encourage bicycling and walking within The Mobile MPO Study Area. Public input is an essential part of the Plan's creation and your participation in the survey is appreciated.

The MPO is looking for responses from anyone who either lives or works in the Mobile metropolitan area. You need not be a bicyclist or a dedicated walker to complete this survey. Individual answers will be kept confidential and used only for development of the Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan.

The survey is also available online at: http://www.destination2040.org/Bicycle_Ped.html

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1. Are you a resident within Mobile County? Yes No
2. Do you work in Mobile County? Yes No
3. What is your gender? Male Female
4. What is your age? 16 or less 17-24 25-34 35-44 45-54 55-64 Over 65
5. How often do you walk or bicycle between home and work, school or to run an errand?

WALK:

- Daily
- Weekly
- Bi-weekly
- Monthly
- Never

BICYCLE:

- Daily
- Weekly
- Bi-weekly
- Monthly
- Never

6. How often do you walk or bicycle for recreation or exercise purposes?

WALK:

- Daily
- Weekly
- Bi-weekly
- Monthly
- Never

BICYCLE:

- Daily
- Weekly
- Bi-weekly
- Monthly
- Never

7. Where do you go when you walk or bicycle? (Check all that apply)

WALK:

- To work
- To do errands or shopping
- To the park or community center
- To my school
- To the library
- To the home of a family member or friend
- Recreation / exercise (routes vary)

BICYCLE:

- To work
- To do errands or shopping
- To the park or community center
- To my school
- To the library
- To the home of a family member or friend
- Recreation / exercise (routes vary)

8. Where do you primarily walk or bicycle? (Check all that apply)

WALK:

- On sidewalks
- On streets
- On off-street walking trails or paths
- Other (walking track, shopping mall, etc.)

BICYCLE:

- On sidewalks
- On major urban streets
- On neighborhood streets
- On off-street bicycle trails or paths
- Outside Mobile County

9. What prevents you from walking or bicycling more or at all? (Check all that apply)

WALK:

- Lack of sidewalks
- Lack of off-street walking trails or paths
- Sidewalks are too narrow
- Difficult and unsafe streets to cross
- Sidewalks in poor condition or hazardous
- Intersection crossings (too little crossing time)
- Concerns about personal safety
- Poor health or physical handicap
- Too far to walk where I want to go
- Not interested in walking
- If other, please describe: _____

BICYCLE:

- Lack of bicycle lanes
- Lack of off-street bicycle trails or paths
- Streets are too narrow
- Concerns about bicycle theft
- Amount and speed of traffic
- Aggressive drivers
- Concerns about personal safety
- Poor health or physical handicap
- Too far to bicycle where I want to go
- Don't have a bicycle

10. What would encourage you to walk or bicycle more? (Check all that apply)

WALK:

- Less traffic or slower moving traffic
- Off-street walking trails or paths
- Wider sidewalks
- Better connectivity of sidewalks
- Sidewalks in better condition
- Safer crossings at intersections
- Better street lighting
- Shopping, schools, parks closer to home
- If other, please describe: _____

BICYCLE:

- Dedicated bicycle lanes
- Off-street bicycle trails or paths
- Paved shoulders
- Better connectivity of bicycle facilities
- Better enforcement of traffic laws for drivers
- Bicycle detection at intersections
- Better street lighting
- Shopping, schools, parks closer to home
- Employer provided a car for work-day trips
- Better bicycle parking availability

11. Bicycling do you consider yourself as a bicyclist? (Select one)

- Advanced or experienced riders comfortable riding with motor vehicle traffic
- Comfortable riding on neighborhood streets and shared use paths; prefer designated facilities such as bike lanes or wide shoulder lanes on busier streets
- Child or pre-teen

12. Identify and discuss specific roadway/intersection locations where you think bicycle and pedestrian facilities would be most beneficial:

13. Are there any specific areas where you think safety concerns need to be addressed?

14. Do you have any specific thoughts or ideas for improving cycling and walkability?

15. You are encouraged to provide any additional comments or concerns about improving walking and/or bicycling on a separate sheet of paper. The separate piece of paper can then be stapled to this survey.