



REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION PLAN
2012-2035 RTP
 SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES STRATEGY
 Towards a Sustainable Future

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BENEFITS OF THE 2012–2035 RTP/SCS FOR Westside Cities Council of Governments (COG)

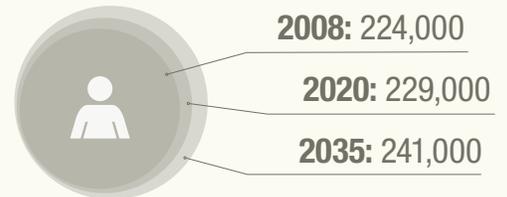
The Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) undertakes a variety of planning and policy initiatives on behalf of the region, in coordination with its members and stakeholders. SCAG worked with the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro), elected officials and local jurisdictions in Los Angeles County to develop the 2012–2035 Regional Transportation Plan and Sustainable Communities Strategy (RTP/SCS), a long-range plan that improves overall mobility, reduces greenhouse gases and enhances the quality of life for the region’s residents. Approved by state and federal agencies in June 2012, the plan includes \$180 billion in transportation projects for Los Angeles County. The 2012-2035 RTP/SCS is guided by and incorporates all projects from Metro’s own Long-Range Transportation Plan. The list below features major transportation projects in the Westside Cities Council of Governments subregion from a total of 1,614 Los Angeles County-specific projects contained in the 2012-2035 RTP/SCS.

Major Projects in the Westside Cities Subregion

- ▶ Metro Purple Line Westside Subway Extension from Wilshire Blvd./Western Ave. to La Cienega Blvd.; Cost: \$2.5 billion; Estimated completion: 2023
- ▶ Metro Purple Line Westside Subway Extension from La Cienega Blvd. to Century City; Cost: \$2.5 billion; Estimated completion: 2026
- ▶ Metro Purple Line Westside Subway Extension from Century City to Westwood; Cost: \$1.6 billion; Estimated completion: 2035
- ▶ Crenshaw/LAX Transit Corridor; Cost: \$1.7 billion; Estimated completion: 2018
- ▶ Exposition Line from Culver City to Santa Monica; Cost: \$1.3 billion; Estimated completion: 2017
- ▶ Add HOV lane on I-405 between I-10 and US-101; Cost: \$1 billion; Estimated completion: 2016
- ▶ Metro Green Line Extension from Mariposa Ave./Nash St. to Century Blvd./Sepulveda Blvd.; Cost: \$330 million; Estimated completion: 2028
- ▶ Metro and municipal regional clean fuel buses and facilities; Cost: \$150 million; Estimated completion: 2035
- ▶ Replace Higuera St. bridge over Ballona Creek between Eastham Dr. and Jefferson Blvd. with new 4-lane bridge; Cost: \$8 million; Estimated completion: 2018
- ▶ Colorado Pedestrian Promenade to connect the Metro Exposition Line station with downtown Santa Monica, the pier and beach; Cost: \$7 million; Estimated completion: 2015
- ▶ Century City Urban Design and Pedestrian Connection Plan; Cost: \$3 million; Estimated completion: 2015
- ▶ Widen SR-1 from Jefferson Blvd. to Fiji Way and construct new bridge over Ballona Creek; Cost: \$3 million; Estimated completion: 2017

WESTSIDE CITIES COG AT-A-GLANCE

Projected Population Growth



Projected Household Growth



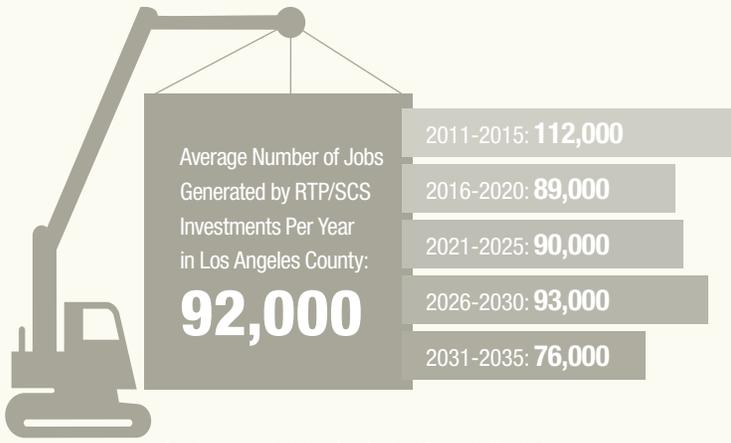
LOS ANGELES COUNTY AT-A-GLANCE

Projected Improvements in Daily Delay per Person



Implementation of the 2012-2035 RTP/SCS is expected to reduce delay below 2008 levels, mitigating traffic congestion in light of increasing population growth.

EMPLOYMENT IMPACT OF 2012–2035 RTP/SCS*



*Data based on calculations from Regional Economic Models, Inc.

LOS ANGELES COUNTY RTP PROJECTS*



*excludes debt service and regional projects located within Los Angeles County

Additional Projects in Los Angeles County (continued)

- ▶ Construct bicycle network linkages to Exposition Line; Cost: \$3 million; Estimated completion: 2015
- ▶ Metro Gold Line Eastside Extension from Atlantic Station farther east; Cost: \$2.5 billion; Estimated completion: 2035
- ▶ Regional Connector light rail from Alameda St./1st St. to 7th St./Metro Center; Cost: \$1.4 billion; Estimated completion: 2019
- ▶ Metro Red Line Extension from North Hollywood Station to Burbank Bob Hope Airport; Cost: \$940 million; Estimated completion: 2035
- ▶ Metro Orange Line Extension from Canoga Station to Chatsworth Metrolink Station; Cost: \$221 million; Estimated completion: 2013
- ▶ San Fernando Valley Bus Rapid Transit Phase 2 on major North/South arterials; Cost: \$157 million; Estimated completion: 2018
- ▶ Construct Hollywood Intermodal Transportation Center on Hawthorn Ave. between Highland Ave. and N. Orange Dr.; Cost: \$41 million; Estimated completion: 2020

SCAG Regional Projects

- ▶ California High Speed Rail – Phase 1 (includes Metrolink AVL and LOSSAN corridor speed upgrades); Cost: \$47.7 billion; Estimated completion: 2033
- ▶ East-West Freight Corridor; Cost: \$15.3 billion; Estimated completion: 2035
- ▶ Regional Express/HOT Lane Network; Cost: \$9.5 billion; Estimated completion: 2035
- ▶ High Desert Corridor; Cost: \$6.9 billion; Estimated completion: 2020
- ▶ Additional active transportation investments; Cost: \$5 billion; Estimated completion: 2035

SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES STRATEGY BENEFITS

For the first time, SCAG has integrated land use, housing and environmental strategies with transportation planning to help meet emissions reduction targets by the California Air Resources Board. This Sustainable Communities Strategy provides an alternative to “business as usual” development. It encourages community revitalization and neighborhoods that are bike and pedestrian friendly, with convenient access to transit. By implementing these strategies, Los Angeles County will benefit from:

64%
Reduction in Greenfield Land Consumed
(the plan preserves 85 square miles of undeveloped land in Los Angeles County)



Household Costs Savings

(includes Fuel, Auto Operating, Energy, and Water Costs per Household, 2011 dollars)

\$17,200 – **\$14,000**
Business as Usual SCS Adopted Plan

19% Savings
\$3,200
Annual Household Savings

On April 4, 2012, the Regional Council of the Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) adopted the 2012–2035 Regional Transportation Plan/Sustainable Communities Strategy (RTP/SCS): Towards a Sustainable Future. The RTP/SCS is the culmination of a multi-year effort involving stakeholders from across the SCAG Region.

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2012–2035 RTP/SCS
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