

EXAMPLES OF VTP 2050 PROGRAMMATIC CATEGORIES

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Across Barrier Connections	Pedestrian or bicycle safety and access improvements through interchanges, or across major barriers (freeways, highways, expressways, waterways, rail lines). Includes pedestrian/bicycle bridges or tunnels, freeway interchange and ramp modifications, and improvements to at-grade crossings of expressways and highways.
Safe Routes to School Infrastructure and Programs	Bicycle or pedestrian infrastructure improvements, supporting facilities (e.g., bike parking), and education and encouragement programs to improve safety for students K-12 walking, biking, or taking transit to school. Projects and programs that encourage students/parents to walk, bike, transit, or carpool to school.
Vision Zero Infrastructure and Programs	Improvements to mitigate or eliminate safety issues along priority safety corridors. Safety education and behavior change campaigns.
Local Bicycle and Pedestrian Plans	Implementation of projects in local adopted bicycle, pedestrian, safe routes to school, vision zero, and trail plans.
Transportation Demand Management (TDM) Program	Development of VTA TDM Strategies, support for existing local agency TDM Programs, research and evaluation, Mode Shift and Incentives, New Mobility (incl. pilots), and Transit Education.
First and Last Mile Connections	Establish innovative public/private pilot projects to reduce the distance between a traveler's origin/destination and a transit station/stop. Inclusion of micromobility and microtransit opportunities.
Transit Oriented Communities/Priority Development Area Local Improvements	Funding for local access projects in proximity to local Priority Development Areas, VTA Transit Oriented Communities, and support for local agencies in the implementation of MTC's Transit Oriented Communities Policy.
Countywide Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS) Program	Funding for technology and signal timing improvements countywide, funding for implementation of transit signal priority, and projects identified in the countywide ITS Strategic Plan.
Minor Local Roadway Improvements	Completion of minor spot roadway improvements, local intersection improvements, traffic calming projects, and local complete streets projects.

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Equity Priority Communities (EPC) Improvements	Community based planning efforts for EPCs, other underserved neighborhoods, and areas with vulnerable population; countywide equity evaluations and planning efforts; implementation of projects in Community Based Transportation Plans (CBTPs); and support for outreach strategies to engage local community groups.
Paratransit Operations	Paratransit door-to-door van, taxi, and other transportation services for seniors and people with disabilities who are unable to use fixed route transit service.
Innovation and Technology	Assistance for planning and capital related to transportation innovation, research and data collecting.
Climate Adaptation/Resiliency and Sustainability Program	Assistance for capital improvements that address sea level rise, implementation of Climate Action Plans, and implementation of Sustainability Programs.