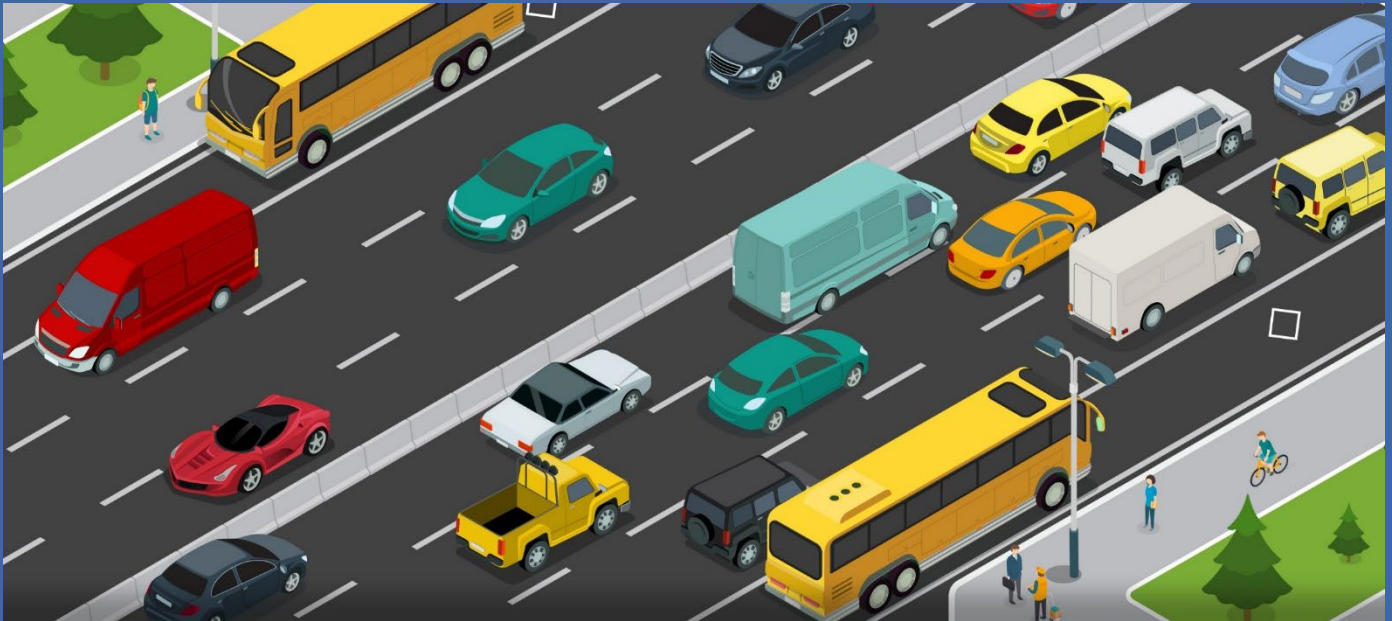


2024 MASTER PLAN OF HIGHWAYS AND TRANSITWAYS TECHNICAL UPDATE WORKING DRAFT



Approve the Working Draft of the 2024 *Master Plan of Highways and Transitways Technical Update* as the Public Hearing Draft and set the public hearing date.



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RECOMMENDATION

Approve the Working Draft of the 2024 *Master Plan of Highways and Transitways Technical Update* as the Public Hearing Draft and set the public hearing date for September 12, 2024.

SUMMARY

A technical update to the *Master Plan of Highways and Transitways* (MPOHT) is necessitated by the County Council's approval of two bills in 2022 (Bill 24-22 and 34-22) that revised the street types identified in Chapter 49 of the County Code, also known as the "Road Code," to conform to the county's Complete Streets Design Guide. While the updated county code provides an interim translation from the previous "functional" classification system to the new "complete streets" classification system, adjustments to these default translations are needed for various road segments in the county.

The Working Draft of the 2024 *Master Plan of Highways and Transitways Technical Update* is included as Attachment 1 to this staff report. The Working Draft Appendices are included as Attachment 2 to this staff report.

During the development of the master plan recommendation, considerable public comments were received and some of these comments were used to modify the recommendations contained in the Working Draft. All comments received are summarized and included as Attachment 3 to this staff report.

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: 2024 Master Plan of Highways and Transitways –Technical Update Working Draft

Attachment 2: 2024 Master Plan of Highways and Transitways –Technical Update Working Draft
Technical Appendices

Attachment 3: Public Comments