

## Transportation Chapter Highlights

Highlights distilled from reviewing the status of implementation actions for the Transportation chapter, with an eye to pivotal items for which there is seemingly less progress being made (with acknowledgement that more research could reveal additional information), including whether issues have a currently active implementation 'home'.

THEME: SCHOOL-RELATED TRANSPORTATION ISSUES

Implementation Action: **Implement Safe Routes to School (Safe Routes to School is a comprehensive federal program for K-8th graders) and "Walking Bus" initiatives to increase non-automotive travel to and from school.**

(under Strategy #7. Adopt initiatives from federal and state programs to enhance walkability.

Goal #4: The entire community will have enhanced walkability.)

Implementation Action: **Expand Safe Routes to School implementation to include biking to school.**

(under Strategy #8. Create and implement a Greenfield Bikes Initiative Program.

Goal #5: Our town will be a place where people of all ages can safely use bicycles for transportation and recreation.)

Implementation Action: **Explore ways to improve traffic flow issues related to school pick-up/drop-off.**

(under Goal #1: Greenfield will have ... safe, efficient, and attractive travel corridors.

Strategy #2. Implement Complete Street initiatives.)

Implementation Action: **Strengthen and enforce anti-idling laws, increase public awareness about the negative impacts of idling. [school pick-up/drop-off opportunity for this?]**

(under Goal #7: Fuel use, climate change emissions, and air pollution of vehicles will be reduced.)

QUESTION: ARE THERE CONSISTENT, COORDINATED EFFORTS TO PURSUE THIS GOAL?

Goal #3: **Neighborhoods will enjoy an improved quality of life by a reduction in the negative impact of vehicular traffic.**

Strategy #5. **Implement Traffic Calming Initiatives.**

QUESTION: HOW HIGH A PRIORITY IS THIS ISSUE?

Implementation Action: **Investigate and implement ways to reverse direction on Main Street.**

(under Strategy #4. Implement a Downtown Transportation Improvement Plan, including parking and traffic flow, for all modes of transportation.

Goal #2: Downtown will be safe for all modes of transportation, with smooth traffic flow and sufficient parking, including a Municipal Parking Garage.)

