

# Council Agenda Summary

March 7, 2023

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## Title:

Public hearing and consideration of a Resolution to approve the 2045 Transportation Master Plan – Greeley on the Go

#### Summary:

The City of Greeley initiated the Greeley on the Go Transportation Master Plan process in 2021 to update the 2035 Comprehensive Transportation Plan (adopted in 2011). Through extensive community outreach, analysis of existing conditions, forecasts for growth and future land use, and an exploration of emerging mobility options, the city has developed a 2045 mobility network plan which emphasizes multimodal connectivity to meet current and future travel demand. Moreover, the 2045 Transportation Master Plan-Greeley on the Go emphasizes investment in priority areas and corridors through near-term (10-year) enhancements to promote multimodal connectivity across the City of Greeley. Connected transportation networks will provide community members with access to a variety of resources and allow for comfortable travel options by multiple modes. This strategic investment in a multimodal transportation network will achieve the Greeley on the Go transportation vision by fostering a livable community attractive to both current and new residents as well as businesses seeking to have a presence in a city where employees can live, work and play. The plan seeks to create an improved transportation system to support economic development of the City of Greeley.

The key differences between the current and proposed transportation plan begin with the establishment of plan goals – safety, multimodal network, equity & health, economic vitality, environment & technology, and funding & strategic investments. Additionally, the new plan is focused on urban design geared towards vibrant and inviting neighborhoods with great public spaces to go to and not just spaces to pass through. The new plan provides for flexibility for integrated mobility options (walking, rolling, biking, transit, and driving), readies the City of Greeley to deploy transportation technology and, increases community connectivity as the City of Greeley continues to grow.

This Plan was recommended for Council Approval by the Citizen Transportation Advisory Board on January 23, 2023. The Planning Commission conducted a public hearing to consider the Plan on January 24, 2023, and voted unanimously to adopt the plan. The City Council reviewed this Plan at its February 28, 2023, work session.

#### Fiscal Impact:

| Does this item create a fiscal impact on the City of Greeley? | No  |
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| Is there grant funding for this item?                         | N/A |

# Legal Issues:

Consideration of this matter is a legislative process which includes the following public hearing steps:

- 1) City staff presentation (if requested)
- 2) Council questions of staff
- 3) Public input (hearing opened, testimony up to three minutes per person, hearing closed)
- 4) Council discussion
- 5) Council decision

# Strategic Focus Area:



**Business Growth** 



**Community Vitality** 



**Infrastructure and Mobility** 



**Quality of Life** 

## **Decision Options:**

- 1) Adopt the resolution as presented; or
- 2) Amend the resolution and adopt as amended; or
- 3) Deny the resolution; or
- 4) Continue consideration of the resolution to a date certain.

#### Council's Recommended Action:

A motion to adopt the Resolution.

### **Attachments:**

Resolution

2045 Transportation Master Plan – Greeley on the Go

Citizen Transportation Advisory Board minutes (January 23, 2023-draft)

Planning Commission minutes (January 24, 2023)

PowerPoint presentation