

Update on *Resilience 2050: Adapting to the Challenges of Tomorrow* December 6, 2022



## White Papers

- <u>https://publicinput.com/resilience2050whitepapers</u>
- 40+ comments received; staff drafting responses to be posted on public input
- Recently released white papers
  - Active Transportation (October)
  - Round 10 Socioeconomic Forecasts of Housing, Employment, and Jobs (November)
- Upcoming
  - Demographic Trends anticipated to impact transportation
  - Climate change and Resilience





## **Financial Forecast**

- Resolution in January
  - Federal, State and Local Forecasts through 2050:
    - System Preservation
    - Operations
    - Expansion
  - State and Federal:
    - Use forecast and methodology provided by MDOT
  - $\circ$  Local: New this year
    - Resolution to include a short summary from local financial forecast task
    - Local funds for system preservation, operations, and expansion summarized regionally (not jurisdiction-by-jurisdiction)





## Financial Forecast Preview

LRTP Financial Forecast Comparison: Funds by Category







## **Preferred Alternative**

- Close to sharing a draft preferred alternative
- We will reach out over the coming weeks
- Major Capital vs Expansion
  - $\circ~$  Change in methodology from MDOT as to how they categorize projects
  - Prior LRTP project submittals were "major capital" projects which could include large scale projects that didn't expand roadway or transit capacity
    - Examples: Overhaul transit vehicles/infrastructure or roadway reconstruction without adding lanes
  - Major capital is now exclusively expansion
  - What this means:
    - System preservation funds in the financial forecast increase
    - Some projects submitted for the LRTP will be listed under the system preservation portion of funding







- Draft preferred alternative to be shared soon
- Financial Forecast resolution in January
- Kickoff with consultant to begin design and layout of *Resilience 2050* document



