

6 MOBILITY and INFRASTRUCTURE

GOAL	PROJECTS/PROGRAMS/POLICIES	PRIORITY	TIMEFRAME	METRICS	COORDINATION	ROLE	RESILIENT HOUSTON
6.1 High Quality Infrastructure PLAN: ●○○○○○○○	6.1.1 Construct and maintain storm drain, sewer, and water infrastructure <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Identify and prioritize areas with water, storm, and sanitary sewer systems that require maintenance and repair; Focus storm sewer improvements in the areas near 77th St. and Canal, Broadway and Navigation, and along La Porte Road in Smith Addition	●	Long (5 + yrs)		Community: NST City: HPW Community Connectors: District I, ECDC, Smith Addition Advocates	Advocate Assist, Implement Advocate	Goal 8 Goal 11: Action 34, 35, 38
	6.2.1 Repair and maintain area streets <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Identify and prioritize streets in need of repair and advocate for inclusion in the Capital Improvement Plan; Priority street projects include: Cesar Chavez Blvd, Avenue C, Harrisburg Blvd, Capitol St, Avenue K, Avenue E, Avenue F Broadway, 76th St, and Canal St	●	Long (5 + yrs)		Community: NST City: District I, HPW Community Connectors: EED, TIRZ #23	Organize, Advocate Advocate, Implement Advocate	Goal 11: Action 35
	6.2.2 Improve street lighting <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Develop an outreach campaign targeted to area civic and community organizations, including social media to encourage residents to report street light outages to CenterPoint	●	Medium (3 - 5 yrs)		Community: NST, Area Civic Organizations City: PDD Community Connectors: CenterPoint	Outreach, Implement Assist Implement	Goal 11: Action 35.3
	6.2.3 Enhance streetscaping on major corridors <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Develop a coalition of civic leaders and representatives of the East End District and TIRZ #23 to identify priority areas for streetscape enhancements and pedestrian amenities, focus on projects that will improve safety and connectivity such as pedestrian lighting and landscaping	●	Long (5 + yrs)	1 Workshop on the Capital Improvement Plan process will be delivered annually	Community: NST City: PDD Community Connectors: EED, TIRZ #23	Outreach, Advocate Assist Advocate, Implement	Goal 4: Action 13 Goal 11: Action 35.3
	6.2.4 Designate neighborhood heavy truck routes <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Identify and prioritize local streets with excessive heavy vehicle thru traffic and advocate for "No Thru Trucks" signage in these locations	●	Short (0 - 2 yrs)		Community: NST City: HPW Community Connectors: Area Civic Organizations	Outreach, Advocate Assist, Implement Outreach, Advocate	Goal 11: Action 35.3
6.2.5 Advocate for a workshop on the Capital Improvement Plan process <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Advocate for the development and delivery of a workshop on the Capital Improvement Plan process for area leaders and residents	○	Short (0 - 2 yrs)		Community: NST City: PDD, District I, DON	Outreach, Organize Organize, Assist, Implement	Goal 4: Action 12	
6.3 Mobile and Connected Community PLAN: ●○○○○○○○	6.3.1 Advocate for the Green Line Light Rail extension <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Activate the proposed transit coalition to advocate for the extension of the Green Line Light Rail to Hobby Airport, including identifying a preferred alignment to meet the needs of the community	●	Long (5 + yrs)		Community: NST City: District I, METRO Community Connectors: LINK Houston, Area Civic Organizations	Organize, Advocate Assist, Implement Assist	Goal 7: Action 23.3, 48.1

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- Complete Communities
- Houston Bike Plan (2017)
- HPARD Master Plan (2015)
- Harrisburg TIRZ #23
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6.3 Mobile and Connected Community	6.3.2 Improve METRO bus services <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Utilize the transit coalition to identify and prioritize area bus service improvements, including new routes and increasing the frequency of existing bus service during after school hours to connect parents and youth to public amenities such as schools, parks, and community centers		Medium (3 - 5 yrs)	1 Community-based transit coalition established by 2025	Community: NST City: District I, METRO Community Connectors: LINK Houston	Organize, Advocate Assist, Implement Assist	Goal 7: Action 23.3, 48.1	
	6.3.3 Create a community-based transit coalition <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Create a community-based transit coalition to advocate for light rail and improved bus services in the neighborhood		Short (0 - 2 yrs)			Community: NST City: District I, METRO Community Connectors: LINK Houston	Organize, Advocate Assist Assist	Goal 7: Action 23.3
6.4 Complete and Safe Pedestrian and Bike Networks	6.4.1 Advocate for a complete and accessible pedestrian network <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> The Neighborhood SWAT Team will identify and prioritize needs for sidewalks, accessibility improvements, and crosswalks, focusing on areas adjacent to schools, transit, and parks; The needs for new crosswalks or maintenance of existing crosswalks will be identified in partnership with area school principals, including adjacent to Franklin Elementary School and Milby High School; New sidewalks will be prioritized in the Manchester and Smith Addition areas, along La Porte Rd, Broadway St, 74th, Herbert St, and Roosevelt St; SWAT Team to outreach to disabled residents to identify sidewalk accessibility issues, including the need for ramps and repairs		Long (5 + yrs)	4 Miles of new sidewalks will be installed by 2025 (In 2020, there were 69 miles of sidewalks)	Community: Neighborhood SWAT Team City: HPW, MOPD Community Connectors: Area Schools and Civic Organizations, EED, TIRZ #23, METRO UAP, BBP	Organize, Advocate Assist, Implement Assist, Implement	Goal 3: Action 8.3 Goal 11: Action 35.3	
	6.4.2 Establish a Neighborhood SWAT Team <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Establish and organize a Magnolia Park / Manchester Neighborhood SWAT Team to identify and prioritize needs for new crosswalks, sidewalks, sidewalk repairs, and accessibility improvements		Short (0 - 2 yrs)			Community: Neighborhood SWAT Team City: PDD Community Connectors: Area Civic Organizations	Organize, Prioritize, Advocate Assist Assist	Goal 3: Action 8.3 Goal 11: Action 35.3
	6.4.3 Prioritize, test, and construct community bike lanes <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Prioritize the projects identified in the Houston Bike Plan for implementation and test priority routes with 'pop-up' lanes; Analyze the proposed priorities of 75th St., 76th St., Capitol St., Navigation Blvd., and extension of the Sunset Trail south to Brays Bayou		Medium (3 - 5 yrs)			Community: NST City: PDD, HPW Community Connectors: BAC, BBP, EED, HCP2	Organize, Advocate Assist, Implement Advocate, Assist, Implement	Goal 3: Action 8.2 Goal 11: Action 35.3, 48.2
6.5 Community-Centered Rail Policies	6.5.1 Establish quiet zones <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Advocate for railroad supported and funded quiet zones		Long (5 + yrs)	1 Sensor will be installed to monitor the length of time intersections are blocked by trains	Community: NST City: HPW Community Connectors: Area Railroad Companies	Organize, Advocate Assist Implement		
	6.5.2 Minimize traffic and pedestrian disruptions at area railroad crossings <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Strengthen community partnerships with area railroad companies and advocate for improved train schedules and minimal traffic and pedestrian disruptions, particularly adjacent to schools and other community amenities		Long (5 + yrs)			Community: NST City: HPW Community Connectors: Area Railroad Companies, Gulf Coast Rail District, EED	Organize, Advocate Assist, Implement Assist, Implement	Goal 3: Action 8.3 Goal 11: Action 35.3
	6.5.3 Address train safety for pedestrians <i>ACTION STEPS:</i> Advocate for an awareness campaign and improvements at railroad crossings to improve pedestrian safety		Long (5 + yrs)			Community: NST City: HPW, PDD Community Connectors: Area Railroad Companies	Outreach, Advocate Assist Implement	Goal 3: Action 8.3 Goal 11: Action 35.3

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