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TAKE THE REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION PLAN SURVEY

BEAVERTON, Ore. – Metro's 2018 Regional Transportation Plan survey is live. Now through Saturday, Feb. 17 the public is invited to share input to help define how the greater Portland region's transportation system should look in 20 years, and how you would focus transportation investments.

With 500,000 more people – more than half from growing families – and 350,000 more jobs in greater Portland by 2040, we'll see more economic activity and more people and goods traveling on the region's transportation system than today. This means more traffic and congestion, busy buses, and more people walking and biking.

The 2018 Regional Transportation Plan will establish priorities for state, federal and regional funding and help set the stage for new and expanded options for people and products to get where they need to go. Projects are submitted by city, county, regional and state partners and evaluated for what they will do for the people and businesses of greater Portland.

The Regional Transportation Plan provided guidance for the recently completed City of Beaverton Active Transportation Plan and will help to shape other future planning efforts such as the next update of the city's Transportation System Plan.

For more information about Metro, visit www.oregonmetro.gov. To take the survey and learn more about the Regional Transportation Plan, visit www.oregonmetro.gov/rtp.

The city of Beaverton is home to more than 95,000 residents and is Oregon's sixth largest city. We are a friendly, active and responsive city well-known for our exceptional community services and amenities, helping Beaverton residents enjoy a high quality of life. Ranked in *Money* magazine's Best Places to Live, Beaverton truly is "The Best of Oregon."

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