

Public Engagement Best Practices



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CTC's Current Public Engagement Practices



- Commission Meeting & Workshop Accessibility
 - Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act
 - Meeting Days & Times
 - Pre-COVID-19/COVID-19 pandemic meeting logistics

Community Engagement in Planning and Program Guidelines



- Examples of our planning and program guidelines include:
 - Regional Transportation Plan (RTP) Guidelines
 - Multimodal Corridor Plans
 - Solutions for Congested Corridors Program Guidelines
 - Active Transportation Program

Active Transportation Program Public Engagement Efforts



- 60 project site visits
 - In 24 cities throughout the state (November 2019 to March 2020)
- 21 Workshops
 - Central & Branch
- ATP Engagement Summary
 - Lessons learned and outcomes from the 2021 Active Transportation Program engagement process.



First Branch workshop - Town of Truckee



Discussion: Enhancing Community Engagement Practices – Public Meetings, Workshops, and Planning and Program Guidelines

Questions:



1. What barriers or challenges does your community, or the communities you work with, experience in engaging on transportation plans or projects?
2. What are examples of the best public engagement practices you have seen or participated in that should be emulated?
3. How can we demystify the transportation decision making process and identify key opportunities for communities to engage?
4. How to best offer Interpretation and Translation Services?

Questions Cont'd:



5. As we transition back to in-person meetings, how can we continue to use virtual tools to expand the reach of public meetings?
6. How to engage non-traditional stakeholders to attend meetings and workshops?
7. What does good community engagement look like for large complex transit and roadway projects that may apply for CTC competitive grant programs?

Questions Cont'd:



8. What are some examples of inclusive engagement to assess and prioritize transportation needs at the local and regional scale?
9. How to create an inclusive space for Community Voices at Commission meetings and workshops?
10. Are there any questions that we have not included here that you think are important to center in this conversation?

Thank You



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