



**LRTSD Working Group Meeting #2**  
**September 27, 2023**  
**3:00 – 5:00 p.m.**

**MOA Planning Department – Conference Room 170, 4700 Elmore Road**  
**OR**

**Microsoft Teams:**

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**Meeting Purpose:** Review updated Vision statement and begin identifying strategic goal statements.

1. **Welcome, Land Acknowledgement, Safety Minute, Introductions, and Agenda** – Julie Jessen, HDR
2. **Planning Context** – Julie Jessen
  - Previous Plans Review and Summary
  - Terminology
3. **Breakout Session #1: Draft Vision** – All
4. **Break**
5. **Breakout Session #2: Goal Statements** -- All
6. **Wrap Up and Next Steps** – Julie Jessen
  - Next Working Group Meeting – October 2023

**Pre-Meeting Homework:** Identify three broad goal statements on what we would like to achieve (based on our draft Vision) and send to Daniel McKenna-Foster ([daniel.mckenna-foster@anchorageak.gov](mailto:daniel.mckenna-foster@anchorageak.gov)) by September 22.

Example goal statements from the draft AMATS MTP:

- **Maintain Existing Infrastructure:** Maintain transportation infrastructure in a state of good repair.
- **Improve Safety & Security:** Provide safer and more secure places to live, walk, bike, ride the bus, and drive.
- **Improve Access & Mobility Options:** Support an efficient, reliable, and connected transportation system that equitably improves access and mobility to all activities.
- **Support the Economy:** Develop a transportation system that supports a thriving, sustainable, broad-based economy, while maintaining or enhancing the surrounding area's land use character.
- **Promote a Healthy Environment:** Protect, preserve, and enhance the natural environment to promote sustainability and public health.
- **Advance Equity:** Promote equitable transportation options, improvements, and maintenance activities for vulnerable populations.

*Invitees:*

- Radhika Krishna – Anchorage Downtown Partnership
- Sarah Preskitt- Transit Advisory Board
- Daniel George – At Large
- Mike Edgington – Girdwood resident
- Matt Cruickshank – Eagle River resident
- C.B. Brady – AK Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired
- Teri Lindseth – Ted Stevens International Airport
- Brian Lindamood – Alaska Railroad Corporation
- Jed Drolet – Anchorage Health Department
- Jason Motyka – Downtown business owner
- Donovan Camp, Engineer
- Katie Severin – AARP
- Jasmin Smith – Mountain View resident
- Kristine Bunnell – At Large
- AMATS representative

*Staff & Consultants:*

- Julie Jessen, HDR
- Colin Singleton, CRW
- Daniel Mckenna-Foster - PM, Senior Planner MOA Long Range Planning
- AMATS representative – Ex Officio
- Ryan Yelle - Long-Range Planning Manager
- Craig Lyon – Planning Director
- Miles Colecott - Long-Range Planning Summer Program Specialist.