



# Stay Involved

To get updates and information on the Downtown Mobility Study, visit the following website:

<https://raleighnc.gov/projects/downtown-mobility-study>

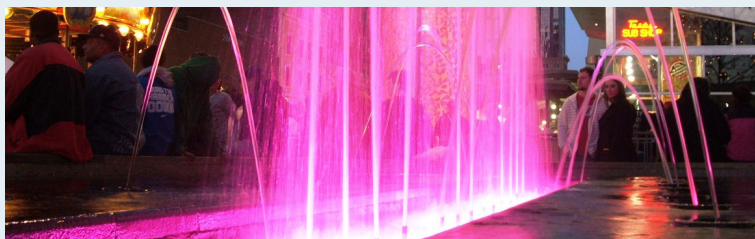
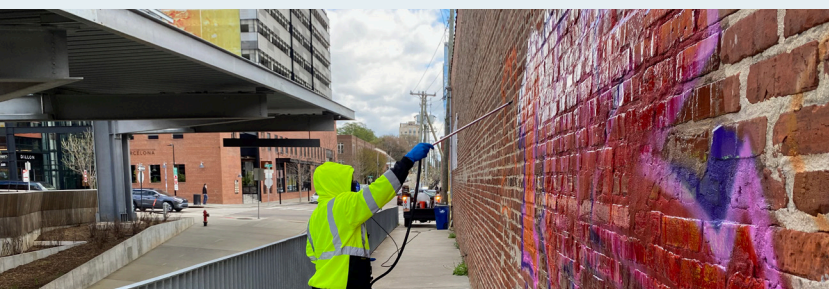
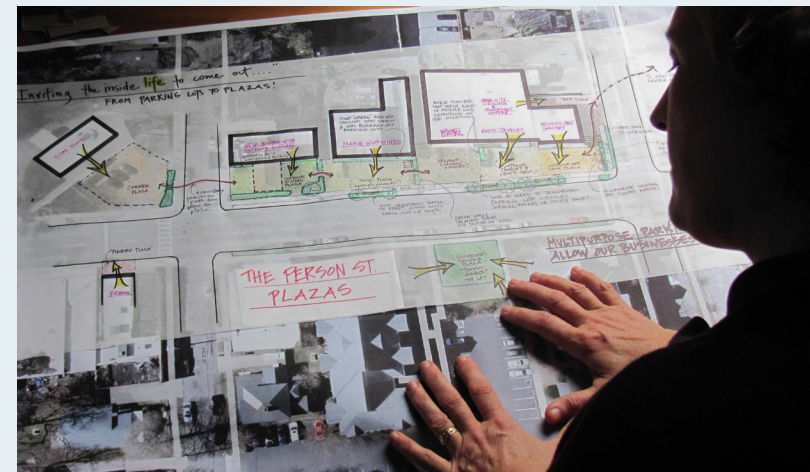
The project website will be updated during major project milestones and include information about engagement opportunities in the community.



April 2024

# Downtown Mobility Study

## City of Raleigh





# Introduction

The Raleigh Downtown Mobility Study is a City-led initiative to streamline multimodal planning and policy recommendations for the downtown area. The study will be community-driven and will consider the competing needs of stakeholders, advocates, and business owners. Throughout the development of the study, there will be various touch points with the downtown community.

The Raleigh Downtown Mobility Study will:

- Integrate and update existing transportation plans to reflect best practices.
- Consider all modes of transportation, including walking, biking, transit, and driving.
- Document policy and programmatic strategies to bolster linear transportation recommendations.

The result will be a transportation strategy that supports the community vision of Downtown Raleigh as safe, vibrant, and active place.

# Concurrent Efforts

The City of Raleigh is currently leading several other planning initiatives. These other concurrent planning initiatives must be considered as part of the Raleigh Downtown Mobility Study to ensure consistency and promote collaboration. The following efforts are anticipated to overlap the planning time frame of the study.

- Update to the Bicycle and Pedestrian Plans
- Development of the Vision Zero Safety Action Plan
- Update to the 2030 Comprehensive Plan
- Bus Rapid Transit (BRT)
  - » New Bern BRT Construction
  - » Western and Southern BRT Final Design
- Other catalytic Transportation/Downtown Plans and Projects



# Timeline

The study is anticipated to be developed over a twelve-month period. The major elements are outlined below.

- Project Initiation**  
*Feb - Apr 2024*  
 During the project initiation phase, the project team will collect data and complete a street inventory on roads in the study area.
- Existing Conditions**  
*May - Jul 2024*  
 The spring will kickoff the first round of public engagement. Using your input, the project team will document opportunities, challenges, and competing needs in Downtown Raleigh.
- Network Elements**  
*Aug - Oct 2024*  
 The network elements will blend technical analysis and public input to create draft transportation elements.
- Implementation Strategy**  
*Nov 2024 - May 2025*  
 The implementation strategy will document the policy and program recommendations to accompany the on-street recommendations.
- Summary Report**  
*Apr - Jun 2025*  
 The draft document will be released for public comment in April 2025. The final report will be presented for City Council consideration.

# Downtown Study Area

The study area of the Raleigh Downtown Mobility Study is outlined below. The study will focus on transportation elements that support mobility and connectivity in Downtown Raleigh.

