Attachment A: Transportation Levy Spending Breakdown

Seattle Transportation Levy (Draft May 1, 2024)

The Seattle Department of Transportation anticipates funding for the following project and program areas over the 8-year property tax levy. Annual budget appropriations will be made through the city budget. Expected additional leverage amounts are estimated grant and partnerships funds estimated to be secured and spent in order to complete or supplement project and program areas as identified below.

These investments are in support of the goals set forth in the Seattle Transportation Plan, a 20-year vision for the future of our transportation system:

- Prioritize safety for travelers in Seattle, with no serious injury or fatal crashes
- Co-create with community and implement restorative practices to address transportationrelated inequities
- Respond to climate change through innovation and a lens of climate justice
- Provide reliable and affordable travel options that help people and goods get where they need to go
- Reimagine city streets as inviting places to linger and play
- Improve city transportation infrastructure and ready it for the future

Vision Zero, School and Neighborhood Safety: Make targeted and community-requested improvements to streets, sidewalks, intersections, and crossings to reduce traffic collisions, severe injuries, and fatalities.

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Category	Estimated Investments	Levy Funding
Vision Zero	 Implement: Safety redesign projects on up to 12 corridors on the High Injury Network Responsive safety projects at up to 40 high-collision locations Leading pedestrian intervals at 280 intersections Traffic calming on 50 corridors 	\$70M
	Anticipated Initial Vision Zero projects on: • Aurora Ave N • N/NE 85th St • S Othello St • N 105th St/Holman Rd NW • Dexter Ave N • Lake City Way NE • 4 th Ave S • MLK Jr Way S • Lakeside Ave S at Lake Washington Blvd • N/NE 50th St • Other projects as identified in Vision Zero work plans	
Safe Routes to	Contribute to up to 70 projects to improve safety and	\$7M
School	fund safety education programs at public schools	

Aurora Avenue N Safety	 Implement safety improvements and phased reconstruction on Aurora Ave N aided by leverage funds 	\$30M
Neighborhood- Initiated Safety Partnership Program	 Build up to 16 neighborhood-initiated and co-created projects, focusing on community priorities with an emphasis on equity. This could include safety and mobility enhancements like new sidewalks, crossings, and transit access. 	\$41M
District Project Fund	 Provide funds to address emergent safety concerns and requests 	\$14M
Levy Funding		\$162M
Expected Additional Leverage		\$74M-\$90M

Street Maintenance and Modernization: Repave arterial streets that carry the most buses, trucks, and cars, and improve infrastructure for people walking, rolling, biking, and taking transit. Category **Estimated Investments Levy Funding** Arterial Repave approximately 15 major corridors. This will \$350M Roadway include a combination of roadway reconstruction and Maintenance preservation projects. Initial projects are anticipated to include portions of the following: o N 130th St: 1st Ave NW to I-5 o Roosevelt Way NE: NE 92nd St to Pinehurst Way NE E Marginal Way S: 1st Ave S to 16th Ave S Rainier Ave S: S Walden St to S Jackson St Additional corridors that will be evaluated for specific paving extents through a design process include: o 15th Ave NE: Pinehurst Way NE to NE 145th St o Pinehurst Way NE: Roosevelt Way NE to 15th Ave NE NE 65th St: 2nd Ave NE to 35th Ave NE NW Market St: 15th Ave NW to 24th Ave NW o 23rd Ave E/24th Ave E: E John St to Lake Washington Blvd o Elliott Ave/Western Ave: Bell St to Thomas St James St: 3rd Ave to Broadway o Beacon Ave S to support Route 36 improvements o 35 Ave SW: SW Morgan St to SW Holden St S Albro Pl, Corson Ave S, and Ellis Ave S: E Marginal Way S to I-5 o Olson Pl SW/1st Ave S: 2nd Ave SW to SW Cloverdale St S Henderson St: MLK Jr Way S to Seward Park Ave S **Paving Spot** Repair approximately 400 locations, totaling about 50 \$67M Improvements lane-miles of pavement on arterial streets Fill 80% of reported potholes within 72 hours

Markings	Remark up to 3,600 crosswalks and refresh pavement markings on at least 2,100 miles of roadway	\$6M
Levy Funding		\$423M
Expected Additional Leverage		\$19M-\$24M

Bridges and Structures: Keep bridges and structures in reliable working condition and prepare for		
future bridge pr	rojects.	
Category	Estimated Investments	Levy Funding
Bridge Structural Repairs and Upgrades	 Upgrade electrical and mechanical systems on moveable Ship Canal Bridges: Ballard Bridge Fremont Bridge University Bridge Make structural repairs on: Ballard Bridge 	\$71M
Bridge Preventative Maintenance	 Magnolia Bridge Implement preventative maintenance for the City's 134 bridges, making optimum preservation-focused treatment schedules for deck and joint replacement, bridge cleaning and painting, and spot repairs 	\$127M
Project Readiness	Advance 6 structures in preparation to seek funding partnerships for future replacement:	\$20M
Areaways	 Improve data collection, strengthen public-private partnerships, pursue grants, and advance repairs 	\$3M
Levy Funding		\$221M
Expected Additional Leverage		\$45M-55M

Transit Corridors and Connections: Connect people safely to transit hubs, including Link light rail			
stations and bus	stations and bus stops; and reduce delays on bus routes.		
Category	Estimated Investments	Levy Funding	
Transit Spot Improvements	 Implement 160 projects citywide to improve bus reliability, access, equity, and safety with a focus on performance pinch points affecting multiple routes, such as: SW Oregon St between 44th Ave SW and California Ave SW along routes 50 and 128 MLK Jr Way S between S Myrtle St and S Othello St 	\$27M	

	along Route 106	
	 E Jefferson St between 9th Ave and 12th Ave along 	
	routes 3 and 4	
	 W Nickerson St between 3rd Ave W and 4th Ave N 	
Tueneit	along routes 31 and 32	\$3M
Transit	Invest in strategies that increase transit rider safety	\$3IVI
Passenger	and security	
Safety		644584
Transit	 Make transit improvements on streets with high- 	\$115M
Improvements	ridership bus routes with a focus in equity priority	
and Access to	areas, including:	
Light Rail	o Rainier Ave S	
	o Beacon Ave S	
	 Aurora Ave N (funded via Vision Zero, School and 	
	Neighborhood Safety)	
	 Denny Way/Olive Way 	
	 Build access projects to Link light rail stations such as 	
	enhanced bus stops, sidewalks, crossings, bike lanes,	
	and/or lighting:	
	o N 130th St	
	S Henderson St	
	 Judkins Park Station Connections 	
	 Advance key connections to future Link light rail 	
	stations in coordination with partner agencies:	
	NE 145th St	
	SW Alaska St	
	o 4th Ave S	
	S Graham St	
	 East-West South Lake Union Transit Connections 	
Levy Funding		\$145M
Expected Additi	onal Leverage	\$143M - \$175M

Pedestrian Safety: Build and repair sidewalks, crossings, and curb ramps so people walking and		
rolling can safely get to where they need to go.		
Category	Estimated Investments	Levy Funding
New Sidewalks	Support construction of 280 blocks of new sidewalks, including: • 250 blocks of new sidewalks and alternative walkways, complete or in construction by 2029 • 30 blocks of new sidewalks located on the frequent transit network	\$63M
	Anticipated initial projects include:	
	 1st Ave NE: NE 120th St – NE 130th St 	
	 SW Brandon St: 26th Ave SW to 30th Ave SW 	
	 NE Ravenna Blvd: 12th Ave NE to Brooklyn Ave NE 	

Expected Additi	onal Leverage	\$18M - \$22M
Levy Funding		\$135M
	○ 11th Ave E and E Aloha St	
	o 35th Ave NE	
	 Rainier Ave S and S Henderson St 	
	 5th Ave NE and NE Banner Way 	
	are expected to include:	
mprovements	pedestrian crossing signals, and more. Initial projects	
Improvements	 Make improvements at street crossings, including upgraded crosswalks, visibility improvements, 	Ş14IVI
Crossing		\$14M
Stairways	Complete up to 9 stairway repairs or expansions	\$4M
	projects to reach 1,250 annual ramps required by Consent Decree)	
	curb ramps citywide (combines with other funds and	
ADA Program	Contribute to building 10,000 new ADA-accessible	\$30M
Solutions		
Infrastructure	infrastructure repair and funding strategies	
Sidewalk and	Investigate and implement sidewalk and	\$5M
Safety Repair	sidewalks	
Sidewalk	Make up to approximately 34,000 spot repairs to	\$19M
	NE 95th St: Sand Point Way NE to 35th Ave NE	
	Gilman Ave W: W Manor Pl to 28th Ave W	
	Greenwood Ave N: N 112th St to N 117th St	
	Renton Ave S: 35th Ave S to S Dawson St	

Signals and Operations: Install, maintain, and upgrade traffic signals for safe, reliable movement; improve pedestrian and bike accessibility signals; and support traffic operations during large events, incidents, and for trips in and out of the port.

Category	Estimated Investments	Levy Funding
Traffic Signal Timing	 Complete 40 corridor signal timing adjustment projects Implement up to 4 Intelligent Transportation System projects 	\$32M
Traffic Signals and Maintenance	 Design and install traffic signals at up to 10 locations Complete major maintenance on 40 traffic signals Add accessible pedestrian signals for at least 50 crossings Conduct preventative maintenance at traffic signals 	\$45M
Sign Maintenance	Replace at least 5,500 signs	\$5M
Transportation Operations	 Research and respond to approximately 24,000 constituent operational complaints and questions Maintain 24/7 service in the Transportation Operations Center 	\$18M
Levy Funding		\$100M

Expected Additional Leverage	\$0
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Bicycle Safety: Expand Seattle's protected bike lane network; connect schools to bike lanes, paths,		
and neighborhood greenways; and maintain and upgrade existing bike lanes		
Category	Estimated Investments	Levy Funding
Neighborhood Greenways	 Create bicycle connections for all ages and abilities with at least 5 new neighborhood greenways on residential streets with a focus on K-8 public schools and south Seattle connections 	\$20M
Bike Lane Maintenance	 Maintain existing protected bike lanes with regular sweeping and barrier repair 	\$8M
Protected Bike Lanes	 Add concrete-protected bike lanes as part of paving projects, closing gaps in all ages and abilities bicycle network. Initial projects include segments along the following corridors: N 130 St S Henderson St Beacon Ave S (Middle and Southern segments) Highland Park Way SW Cleveland High School Swift Ave S protected bike lane and Georgetown S Albro Pl Connection Chief Sealth Trail: S Myrtle St to S Webster St 	\$68M
Upgraded Bike Lanes	 Upgrade 30% of existing protected bike lanes with improved barriers or buffer areas 	\$8M
Bike Spot Improvements	 Make safety improvements to existing bike lanes, trails and neighborhood greenways 	\$10M
Levy Funding		\$114M
Expected Additi	onal Leverage	\$24M - \$30M

People Streets and Public Spaces: Activate public spaces and improve lighting in partnership with business districts and community organizations so people can enjoy unique and vibrant neighborhoods and business districts.

Program	Estimated Investments	Levy Funding
People Streets	Design, implement, and co-create People Street Projects to	\$39M
Capital Projects	activate business districts and community spaces, with a	
	focus on high equity priority areas. Improvements could	
	include redesigned streets, seating, wayfinding, lighting,	
	and activation. Anticipated initial projects include:	
	S Henderson St	
	Occidental Promenade	
	Chinatown/International District Alley Activation	
	E Union St Revival Corridor	
	NE 42nd St Green Street Improvements	
	Additional projects identified with business districts	

	and community organizations	
Downtown	Invest in near-term maintenance and placemaking	\$15M
Activation	improvements, construction coordination, and	
	advancement of a longer-term vision for 3rd Ave	
People Streets	Provide maintenance for existing activation projects and	\$2M
and Wayfinding	citywide wayfinding system	
Maintenance		
Pedestrian	Install pedestrian lighting leading to transit stops	\$10M
Lighting		
Levy Funding		\$66M
Expected Additional Leverage		\$14M - \$17M

Climate and Resiliency: Address climate change directly, reducing air pollution and making				
sustainable transportation options more available.				
Category	Estimated Investments	Levy Funding		
Climate and Electrification Program	 Support Seattle City Light's expansion of electric vehicle charging stations to libraries, community centers and parks Support partnerships and pursue grants that help 	\$22M		
Low Pollution	 electrify the transportation system Partner with at least 3 neighborhoods on low 	\$8M		
Neighborhoods	pollution pilot projects, which could include low- emissions goods delivery in areas most impacted by climate change			
Urban Forestry	 Plant and maintain trees, meeting the Mayor's Executive Order for 3 to 1 tree replacement Expand tree species diversity in areas that historically have had less investment in tree planting and care 	\$29M		
Levy Funding		\$59M		
Expected Additional Leverage		\$15M - \$19M		

Freight and Goods Movement: Make freight improvements to support trucks delivering goods and			
providing services			
Program	Estimated Investments	Levy Funding	
Freight Spot	Make at least 32 investments to support the freight network,	\$17M	
Improvements	including adjustments to improve truck movement,		
	intersection upgrades, and additional truck parking		
Heavy Haul	In partnership with the Port of Seattle and alignment with the	\$8M	
Network	Heavy Haul Network agreement, identify and pave streets		
	that carry the heaviest truck traffic		
Levy Funding		\$25M	
Expected Additional Leverage		\$12M - \$15M	
Grand Total Levy Funding (All Categories)		\$1,450M	

Note: Totals may not sum properly due to rounding.