

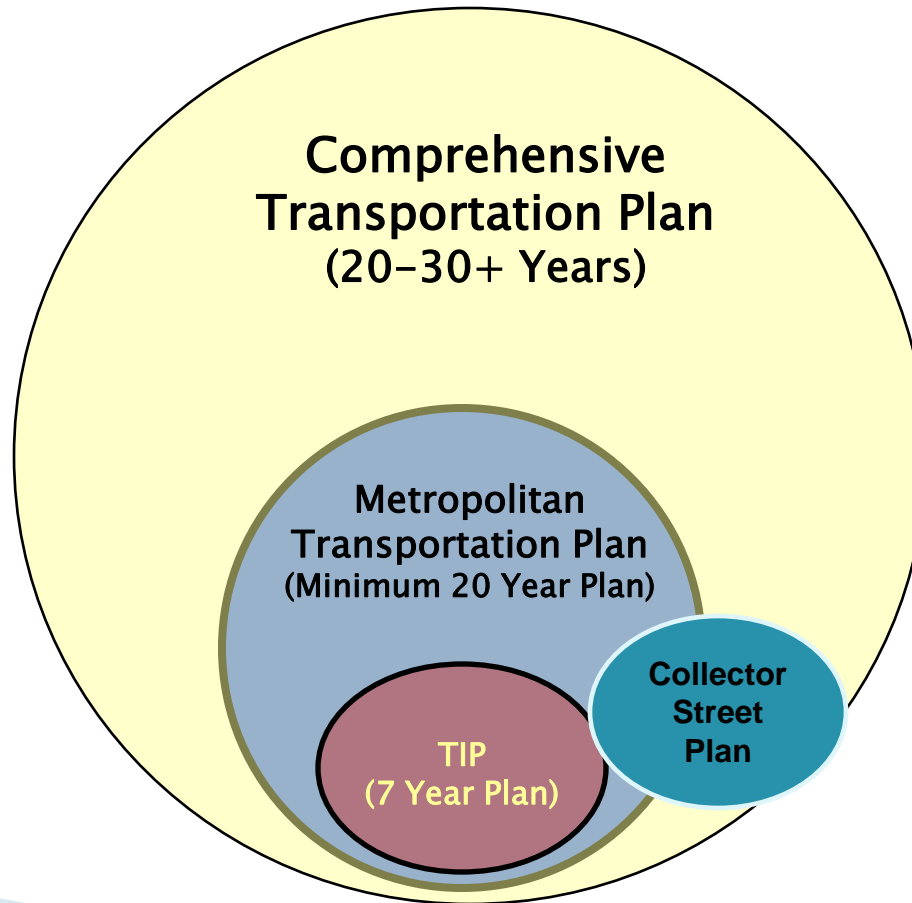


Comprehensive Transportation Plan (CTP)

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Background and Schedule

Relationship Between Plans



Plan Comparison

	Approximate Plan Horizon	Identifies?	Fiscally Constrained	Report Required
Comprehensive Transportation Plan	20-30+ Years	Existing and planned facilities	No	Yes
Metro. Transportation Plan	20 Year Minimum	Planned facilities	Yes	Yes
Transportation Improvement Program	7 Years	Planned facilities	Yes	No
Collector Street Plan	30+ Years	Existing and planned facilities	No	No

Plan Comparison (cont.)

	Who Requires?	Update Requirement	Adopted by	A/Q Conformity Required
Comprehensive Transportation Plan	State Statute	No requirement	MPO Bd and NCDOT BOT	No
Metro. Transportation Plan	Federal legislation	Every 4 years	MPO Bd (and FHWA)	Yes, for non-attainment & mtce.
Transportation Improvement Program	Federal legislation	Every 2 years	MPO Bd and NCDOT BOT	3 years, for non-attainment & mtce.
Collector Street Plan	No requirement	No requirement	MPO Bd (local ordinance reference)	No

Why do a CTP?

- **Planners are using old Thoroughfare plans for development review:**
 - Durham, 1992;
 - Chapel Hill, 1994;
 - Carrboro, 1994;
 - Hillsborough, 1996;
 - Orange County, 1990 (not adopted);
 - Chatham County, 1983 (not adopted).

Why do a CTP? (cont.)

- **State Statute § 136–66.2. “Development of a coordinated transportation system”**
- **Provide input to 2045 MTP that looks beyond 2045**
 - **CTP is not fiscally constrained**
 - **CTP can include facilities that are near capacity**
 - **CTP uses Level of Service D for highway, which is a lower capacity standard than the TRM.**

Key Issues

- Can use most SE Data, TRM (model) and project list from 2040 MTP process
- Have to consider neighbors' CTPs:
 - Orange County
 - Chatham County (draft)
 - Granville County
 - Person County
- Local ordinances reference old Thoroughfare Plans
- Potential MPO/NCDOT disagreement on roadway classification, e.g., Northern Durham Parkway

What are Key Products?

- Similar to MTP:
 - V/C congestion maps
 - Project tables
 - Multi-modal
 - Public input process
- With some additions:
 - Problem Statement for major projects
 - Comprehensive maps
 - Complete Streets
 - Replaces old T-fare plans

