

TEXARKANA MPO REGIONAL THOROUGHFARE PLAN



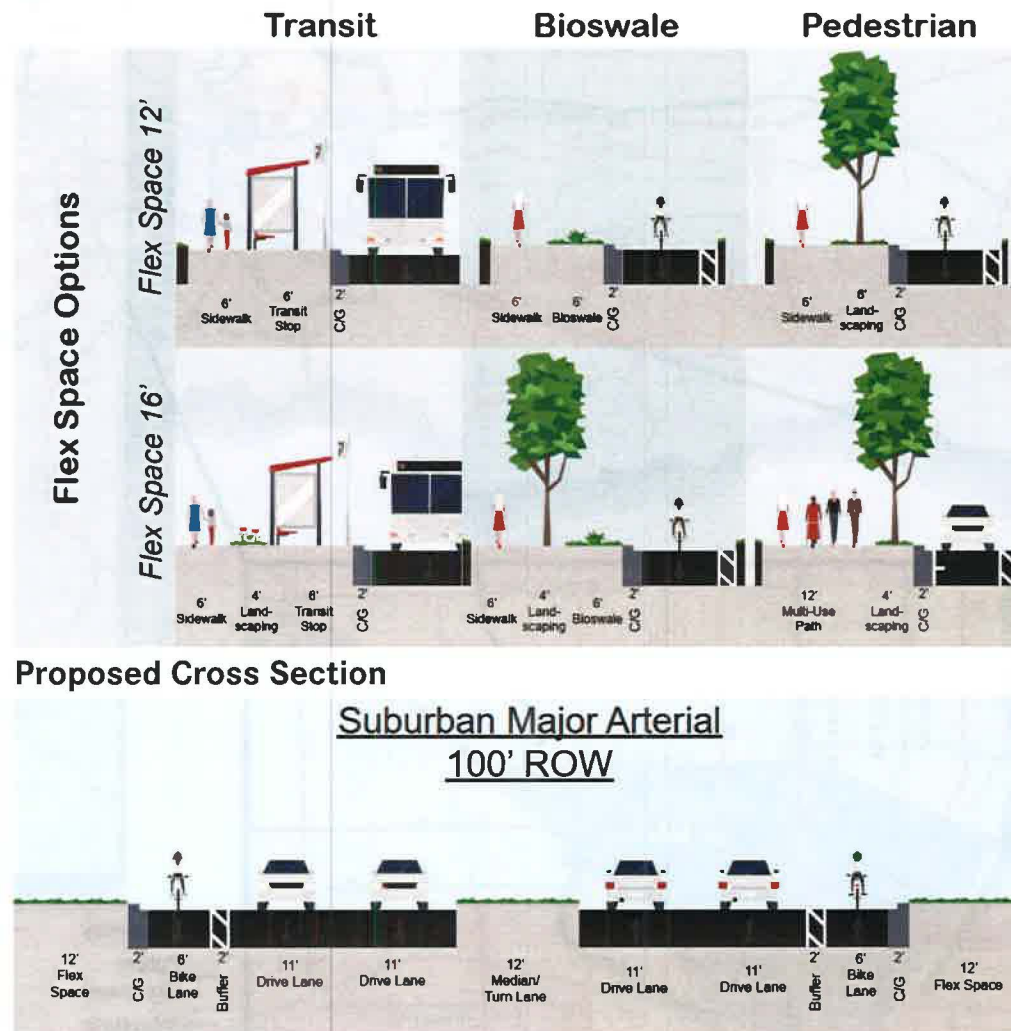
What is a Thoroughfare Plan?

The **Regional Thoroughfare Plan** is a strategic planning document that will serve as a master guide to implement complete streets projects, active transportation networks, and traffic management solutions through 2050.

To develop the Regional Thoroughfare Plan, the Texarkana MPO took a holistic approach to transportation planning, considering the economic vitality of the region and focusing on residents' quality of life. As the Texarkana area continues to grow, the transportation network should evolve to articulate community goals and innovative practices. The final plan provides model cross-sections that will guide street design.

How did we get here?

Combined with public meetings and surveys for input, we conducted detailed analyses of existing and future traffic conditions to ensure the transportation network accommodates all future growth in the region.



How do we use Thoroughfare Plan Implementation?

Thoroughfare plans are implemented through reservation of land for future improvements during the subdivision process and later through capital improvement projects for acquisition, design, and construction.

How do cross sections benefit our community?

The proposed cross sections are designed to promote resilience, improve traffic safety, and encourage more active transportation throughout the region.

The Texarkana Regional Thoroughfare Plan includes four different contexts – urban, suburban, rural and rural main street – to ensure any future street improvements are consistent with the surrounding neighborhood.