

Integrated Regional Transportation Select Committee

Regional Transportation Service Delivery
and Governance Models - Update

Background

Mandate

- Collaboration on regional transportation projects, priorities and infrastructure including the specific promotion of a bike commuter path or multi-use corridor along Comox Road; and the development of an application to the Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure's (MOTI) BikeBC funding program for roadside greenway improvements; and
- Consideration of the concept of a single point of contact for transportation-related initiatives in the Comox Valley.

Service Delivery and Governance Models

- 2017 recommendation to the CVRD Board for planning and advocacy service.
- 2019 – 2023 CVRD Board Strategic Priorities
- Regional multi-modal transportation planning

Regional Transportation Service Goals

What are the outcomes and benefits that can be achieved?

- Administrative efficiencies
- Increased senior government support e.g. funding
- Regional policies and plans
- Enhanced information and tools
- More cohesive transportation programming

Governance Principles

What are the governance principles and values that should guide a regional transportation service model?

- Single point of contact for regional transportation related projects
- Local autonomy
- Stable and equitable funding
- Holistic
- Sustainable

Regional Transportation Activities

What are the activities that should be provided within the Comox Valley?

- Transportation Planning
- Transportation Advocacy
- Transportation Program Administration
- Transportation Project Administration

Transportation Gaps

Are there transportation gaps that can be addressed through regional collaboration?

Regional Transportation Service Delivery and Governance Models

Independent agencies

- Status quo

Informal coordination

- Sustainable Transportation Partnership of the Central Okanagan
- Spokane Regional Transportation Council

Formal coordination

- TransLink
- Capital Regional District

Is there a model and set of activities that should be advanced?