Each of Oregon’s cities and counties has a Transportation System Plan (TSP), a long range plan for future transportation investments.

TSP Assessment is a service provided by the Transportation and Growth Management Program to evaluate local TSPs in light of transportation planning needs, requirements, and objectives. Assessments are used to identify and prioritize issues and potential solutions. The Assessment results in a document outlining areas for potential update or revision.

A TSP Assessment includes several different elements, which can be specialized for the individual community. Generally a TSP Assessment includes:

- Strengths and weaknesses of a TSP
- Need for and timing of a potential TSP update
- Potential methods of solving problems without a full TSP update

The assessment will provide the community a foundation for developing a focused scope for an updated TSP or other planning work.

Recent TSP Assessments include Curry County, the City of Donald, the City of Umatilla, the City of Mt. Angel, and the City of Rogue River.

While TSP Assessments will be helpful to local governments wishing to apply for Transportation and Growth Management (TGM) Planning Grants, a formal assessment can be done at any time and is not required to apply for a Planning Grant. This information can also be a starting point for exploring other TGM resources.

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TGM supports community efforts to expand transportation choices for people. By linking land use and transportation planning, TGM works in partnership with local governments to create vibrant, livable places in which people can walk, bike, take transit or drive where they want to go.