

TECHNICAL APPENDIX

2025-2030

Transportation Mode Shift

- Inputs
 - AADT in 2025 = 12,626 vehicles
 - Anticipated annual AADT growth = 0.5% (From CTDOT Planning Office)
 - Expected transportation mode shift to walking and biking = 20%
 - Average trip = 2.5 miles (From Google Environmental Insights for 2022 in boundary trips)

2025: Project design, environmental/historic review, and permitting; 12,626 AADT

2026: Complete Street construction; 12,626 2025 AADT x 0.5 growth = 12,690 2026 AADT

2027: (12,690 2026 AADT x 0.5 growth) x .20 travel mode shift x 2.5 average passenger miles x 365 days x 400 grams CO₂/mile = 931,042,000 grams CO₂ (931,042.00 kilograms CO₂); 931,042.00 kilograms CO₂ equates to 931.04 MTCO₂e in 2027

2028: (12,754.00 2027 AADT x 0.5 growth) x .20 travel mode shift x 2.5 average passenger miles x 365 days x 400 grams CO₂/mile = 935,714,000 grams CO₂ (935,714.00 kilograms CO₂); 935,714.00 kilograms CO₂ equates to 935.71 MTCO₂e in 2028

2029: (12,818 2028 AADT x 0.5 growth) x .20 travel mode shift x 2.5 average passenger miles x 365 days x 400 grams CO₂/mile = 940,459,000 grams CO₂ (940,459.00 kilograms CO₂); 940,459.00 kilograms CO₂ equates to 940.46 MTCO₂e in 2029

2030: (12,883 2029 AADT x 0.5 growth) x 0.20 travel mode shift x 2.5 average passenger miles x 365 days x 400 grams CO₂/mile = 945,204,000 grams CO₂ (945,204.00 kilograms CO₂); 945,204.00 kilograms CO₂ equates to 945.20 MTCO₂e in 2030

Total: A total of 3,752.42 MTCO₂e will be reduced due to travel mode shift between 2025 and 2030.

More Transit Ridership

- Inputs
 - AADT in 2025 = 12,626 vehicles
 - Anticipated annual AADT growth = 0.5% (from CTDOT Planning Office)
 - Expected transportation mode shift to transit = 10%
 - Average trip = 2 miles (From Google Environmental Insights for 2022 in boundary trips)

2025: Project design, environmental/historic review, and permitting; 12,626 AADT

2026: Complete Street construction; 12,626 2025 AADT x 0.5% growth = 12,690 2026 AADT

2027: (12,690 2026 AADT x 0.5 growth) x 365 days x 0.10 new transit use x 2 average passenger miles x 400 grams CO₂/mile = 372,416,800 grams CO₂ (372,416.80 kilograms CO₂); 372,416.80 kilograms CO₂ equates to 372.42 MTCO₂e in 2027

2028: (12,754 2027 AADT x 0.5 growth) x 365 days x 0.10 new transit use x 2 average passenger miles x 400 grams CO₂/mile = 374,285,600 grams CO₂ (374,285.60 kilograms CO₂); 374,285.60 kilograms CO₂ equates to 374.18 MTCO₂e in 2028

2029: (12,818 2028 AADT x 0.5 growth) x 365 days x 0.10 new transit use x 2 average passenger miles x 400 grams CO₂/mile = 376,183,600 grams CO₂ (376,183.60 kilograms CO₂); 376,183.60 kilograms CO₂ equates to 376.18 MTCO₂e in 2029

2030: (12,883 2029 AADT x .05 growth) x 365 days x 0.10 new transit use x 2 average passenger miles x 400 grams CO₂/mile = 378,081,600 grams CO₂ (378,081.60 kilograms CO₂); 378,081.60 kilograms CO₂ equates to 378.08 MTCO₂e in 2030

Total: A total of 1,500.97 MTCO₂e will be reduced due to more transit ridership between 2025 and 2030.

Less Congestion and Idling

- Inputs
 - AADT in 2025 = 12,626 vehicles
 - Anticipated annual AADT growth = 0.5%
 - Expected transportation mode shift to transit = 10%
 - Expected mode shift to bike/ped = 20%
 - Average trip = 2.5 miles
 - Minutes of saved time (2025-2030) = 0.8 minutes

2025: Project design, environmental/historic review, and permitting; 12,626 AADT

2026: Complete Street construction; 12,626 2025 AADT x 0.5 growth = 12,690 2026 AADT

2027: ((12,690 2026 AADT x .05 growth) – ((12,690 2026 AADT x .05 growth) x 0.20 travel mode shift) – ((12,690 2026 AADT x .05 growth) x 365 days x 0.10 new transit use)) x 0.8 minutes idle time savings x 35.28 grams CO₂/minute = 229,930,132.32 grams CO₂ (229,930.13 kilograms CO₂); 229,930.13 kilograms CO₂ equates to 229.93 MTCO₂e in 2027

2028: ((12,754 2027 AADT x 0.5 growth) – ((12,754 2027 AADT x 0.5 growth) x 0.20 travel mode shift) – ((12,754 2027 AADT x 0.5 growth) x 365 days x 0.10 new transit use)) x 0.8 minutes idle time savings x 35.28 grams CO₂/minute = 231,083,929.44 grams CO₂ (231,083.93 kilograms CO₂)

CO₂); 231,083.93 kilograms CO₂ equates to 231.08 MTCO₂e in 2028

2029: $((12,818 \text{ 2028 AADT} \times 0.5 \text{ growth}) - ((12,818 \text{ 2028 AADT} \times 0.5 \text{ growth}) \times 0.20 \text{ travel mode shift}) - ((12,818 \text{ 2028 AADT} \times 0.5 \text{ growth}) \times 365 \text{ days} \times 0.10 \text{ new transit use})) \times 0.8 \text{ minutes idle time savings} \times 35.28 \text{ grams CO}_2/\text{minute} = 232,255,754.64 \text{ grams CO}_2$ (232,255.75 kilograms CO₂); 232,255.75 kilograms CO₂ equates to 232.26 MTCO₂e in 2029

2030: $((12,883 \text{ 2029 AADT} \times 0.5 \text{ growth}) - ((12,883 \text{ 2029 AADT} \times 0.5 \text{ growth}) \times 0.20 \text{ travel mode shift}) - ((12,883 \text{ 2029 AADT} \times 0.5 \text{ growth}) \times 365 \text{ days} \times 0.10 \text{ new transit use})) \times 0.8 \text{ minutes idle time savings} \times 35.28 \text{ grams CO}_2/\text{minute} = 233,427,579.84 \text{ grams CO}_2$ (233,427.58 kilograms CO₂); 233,427.58 kilograms CO₂ equates to 233.43 MTCO₂e in 2030

Total: A total of 926.70 MTCO₂e will be reduced due to less idling between 2025 and 2030.

Green Infrastructure

- Inputs
 - Number of trees planted = 100 trees
 - GHG emissions reductions (2025-2030) = 3,175.15 CO₂ grams /year

2025: Project design, environmental/historic review, and permitting

2026: Complete Street construction

2027: XXX trees x 3,175.15 CO₂ grams /year = 317,515 grams CO₂ (317.515 kilograms CO₂); 317.515 kilograms CO₂ equates to 0.32 MTCO₂e in 2027

2028: XXX trees x 3,175.15 CO₂ grams /year = 317,515 grams CO₂ (317.515 kilograms CO₂); 317.515 kilograms CO₂ equates to 0.32 MTCO₂e in 2028

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2030: XXX trees x 3,175.15 CO₂ grams /year = 317,515 grams CO₂ (317.515 kilograms CO₂); 317.515 kilograms CO₂ equates to 0.32 MTCO₂e in 2030

Total: A total of 1.3 MTCO₂e will be reduced due to carbon capture by street trees between 2025 and 2030.

2025-2050

Transportation Mode Shift

Total: A total of 23,690.25 MTCO₂e will be reduced due to travel mode shift between 2025 and

2050.

More Transit Ridership

A total of 9,476.10 MTCO₂e will be reduced due to more transit ridership between 2025 and 2050.

Less Congestion and Idling

Use same formula

Presume idling reduction benefits decrease over time due to growth:

- 0.80 minutes per trip between 2025-2030
- 0.75 minutes per trip between 2030-2035
- 0.70 minutes per trip between 2035-2040
- 0.65 minutes per trip between 2040-2045
- 0.60 minutes per trip between 2045-2050

A total of 5,071.52 MTCO₂e will be reduced due to less idling between 2025 and 2050.

Green Infrastructure

Presume carbon sequestration benefits increase over time due to trees maturing:

- Young street trees (boxelders, hedge maples) will reduce 3,175.15 grams of atmospheric CO₂ annually between 2025-2030
- Maturing streets will reduce 12,473.78 grams of atmospheric CO₂ annually between 2035-2040
- Mature street will reduce 21,772.40 grams of atmospheric CO₂ annually between 2040-2050

Total: A total of 30.87 MTCO₂e will be reduced due to carbon capture by street trees between 2025 and 2050.

Total Project

Total: A total of 6,181.39 MTCO₂e will be reduced due to the project between 2025 and 2030.

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