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Thank you for your interest in Southlake 2030, the City's comprehensive master plan. These regular emails are intended to keep interested persons like you updated on Southlake 2030 meetings and news. If available, presentations from previously held meetings can also be viewed at www.Southlake2030.com. All Southlake 2030 committee meetings are open to the public and planning staff is always available to answer any questions regarding the comprehensive plan.

Upcoming Southlake 2030 Meetings

Wayfinding Signage Plan

Wayfinding Signage Committee Meeting

Date & Time: 1:00PM Friday, December 11, 2009

Location: 3rd Floor Training Room 3C/3D; Southlake Town Hall

Topic: After bringing the meeting to order, the committee will view full-scale mock-ups of the proposed signs in actual roadway conditions and return to Town Hall to discuss a sign location & priority schedule as well as destination nomenclature.

Southlake 2030 News

Your Support Needed to Advance Pedestrian Mobility in Southlake

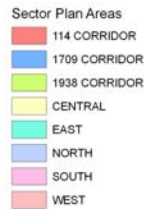
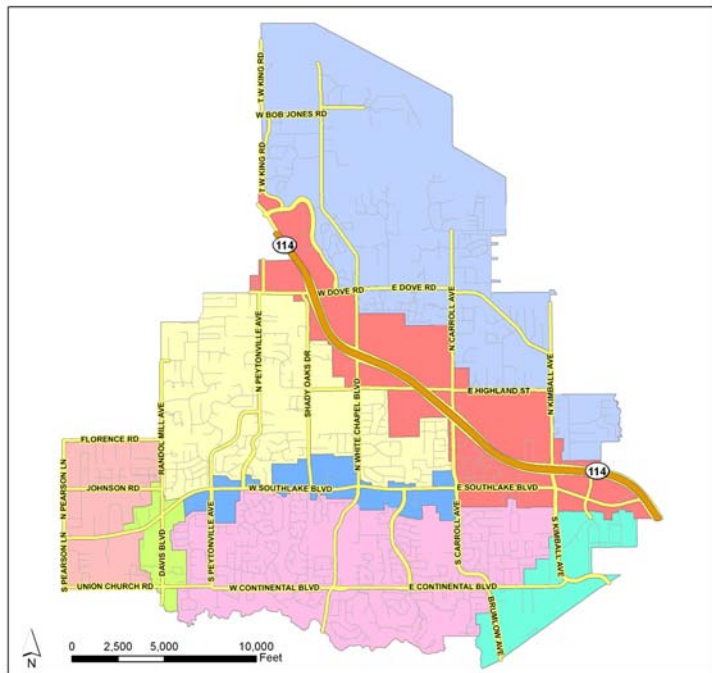
Public letters of support being accepted through Dec 10 for S.T.E.P. funding

During the development of the Sidewalk Plan, a component of the Southlake 2025 Plan, sidewalks along F.M. 1709 (Southlake Boulevard) were identified as a priority for completion. As such, the city is preparing an application for the 2009 Transportation Enhancement Program (aka Statewide Transportation Enhancement Program or "STEP") for funding for the construction of the missing sidewalk segments along F.M. 1709. The Transportation Enhancement Program is a competitive funding program for "non-traditional" transportation related activities, such as pedestrian (sidewalks) and bicycle infrastructure and safety projects, scenic and historic highway programs, landscaping and scenic beautification, historic preservation, and environmental mitigation. **The city will be accepting letters of support to include with the application submittal until 5:00 PM Thursday, December 10, 2009.** For more information, please visit http://www.cityofsouthlake.com/SouthlakeGovernment/City_Departments/Planning_and_Development_Services/ReportsandProjects/2009_STEP.asp or contact Jenny Crosby at 817-748-8195.

As part of the 2030 Plan, the city will be combining the Sidewalk Plan, Pathways Plan and Mobility and Master Thoroughfare Plan into a consolidated Mobility Plan that addresses streets, sidewalks, and trails. This Mobility Plan will guide future decision making regarding all components of the mobility system. In addition, the plan will assist the city in developing project proposals when funding opportunities such as the Transportation Enhancement Program become available.

Focused "Sector Plan" Meetings This Winter/Spring

The Southlake 2030 Comprehensive Plan will cover a large array of topics over a period of over eighteen months, so the process would seem overwhelming if areas of the city—or “sectors”—weren’t considered separately. Sector Plans allow stakeholders to focus their discussion on the particular interests of a geographic area—such as the development of Bob Jones Park to the North Sector or traffic relief at Continental Blvd intersections to the South Sector.



For such reasons, the City has been divided into eight planning areas shown on the map provided. These eight Sector Plans will be addressed this winter and spring:

1. North
2. West
3. Central
4. South
5. East
6. SH 114 Corridor
7. FM 1709 Corridor
8. FM 1938 Corridor

All aspects of the area will be discussed and covered in the Sector Plan. For instance, more emphasis may be placed on building design and economic development in the

Corridor Plans (SH 114, FM1938 & FM1709), while the emphasis in the South Sector may be neighborhood sustainability and pedestrian mobility.

Each Sector Plan will go through an open meeting process that will provide numerous opportunities for public input. Residents can also provide input by writing a letter to the address listed below or by email to Southlake2030@ci.southlake.tx.us.

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