

UPDATING MOBIKEFED'S VISION & STRATEGIC PLAN: A LISTENING SESSION

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- ✗ **Statewide Bicycle & Pedestrian Advocacy**
- ✗ **Over 5000 members across the state**
- ✗ **70+ member Advisory Commission representing groups across the state**
- ✗ **Celebrated our 25th Anniversary 2018-2019**





MISSOURI BICYCLE FEDERATION, INC.

OUR VISION OF BICYCLING AND WALKING IN MISSOURI

Create a world-class bicycle and
pedestrian network in Missouri

Encourage more
walking and bicycling

Build a movement around
bicycling and walking

Improve safety for
all road users



BUILDING A WORLD CLASS NETWORK

Over the next 5 years, we will support and encourage the development of bicycle and pedestrian planning in communities across Missouri. We will work for better roads, trails, and facilities by focusing on the creation of complete, connected networks and pedestrian friendly routes.



ENCOURAGING BICYCLING & WALKING

In the next 5 years, we will promote, encourage, and conduct programs and campaigns throughout the state that increase active transportation for all users.

We will help communities develop and implement these efforts.





INCREASING SAFETY AND REDUCING CRASHES

In the next 5 years, it is our goal to reduce the rate of pedestrian and bicycle crashes around Missouri by one third. We pledge to continue our promotion of motorist education programs, bicycle safety classes and our work with law enforcement; in order to encourage healthy relationships across all groups and the creation of appropriate enforcement activities to promote safety for all road users.



BUILDING A MOVEMENT

In the next 5 years, we will continue to grow our membership of active members from every part of the state and work together to create new movement in support of bicycling and walking. We will build partnerships and coalitions with like-minded organizations to expand our influence and better support our communities both rural and urban.



Accomplishments

- Repeal mandatory sidepath law; modernize MO bicycle law. (1995)
- Defeated proposal requiring bicyclists to ride on the wrong side of the road (late 1990s)
- Allow bicycles to be rolled onto MO Amtrak trains. (late 1990s)
- Major update to Missouri's bicycle laws, including safe passing provision (2005)

Accomplishments

- Numerous bike/ped friendly updates to the MO Driver Guide (late 1990s-present).
- Built essential statewide public support for Ameren/DNR Rock Island Trail/Katy Spur deal (2006-2016).
- Similarly for next 144-miles of Rock Island Trail (2010-present)
- High Priority Bicycle, Pedestrian, and ADA Project List; \$13.5+ million MoDOT funding for bike/ped projects (2010-2011 & ongoing).



Accomplishments

- Helped build funding & policy direction leading to 45+ Complete Streets Policies across Missouri (2005-)
- Bike Month, Walk to School Month added to MO holidays calendar; Bicycle Missouri license plate (2011)
- Passage of 56+ supported bills in MO Legislature, 1995-
- Create/support MO's national bicycle routes (USBR 51, USBR 66, USBR 76, etc)
- Create/support statewide bicycle route/gravel/trail system (2018-present)

Your turn



What do YOU think our priorities should be for the next 5-10 years?

- Problems you see in MO
 - Specific/local
 - General/statewide
- Issues
- Laws/legislative changes
- Priorities
- Overall goals

MORE INFORMATION



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