



# Ak-Chin Indian Community Transit and Nonmotorized Transportation Study



## Study Purpose

- Provide an action plan for pedestrian and bicycle facility improvements to enhance mobility and safety.
- Identify a transit system that is sustainable and provides for the transportation needs of the Community.





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## Benefits of Trails and Transit

- Walking benefits health, increases mobility for both young and old
- 40 percent of members under the age of 18
- Provides access to employment, education, activities, shopping and medical needs
- Improves quality of life for all





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## Context

- Situated adjacent to City of Maricopa
- Community covers 21,840 acres
- Population (of Community) expected to double by 2030;  
-the region is expected to be home to as many as a million people by then





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## Focus

- Existing and planned residential areas
- Community activity areas and services
- Connections to neighboring City of Maricopa and the region





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## We'd Like to Hear From You

- Where do you go to?
- When do you go there?
- How would you like to get there?  
(walk, bike, bus?)
- Walking paths for  
exercise? activities? work? school? other?

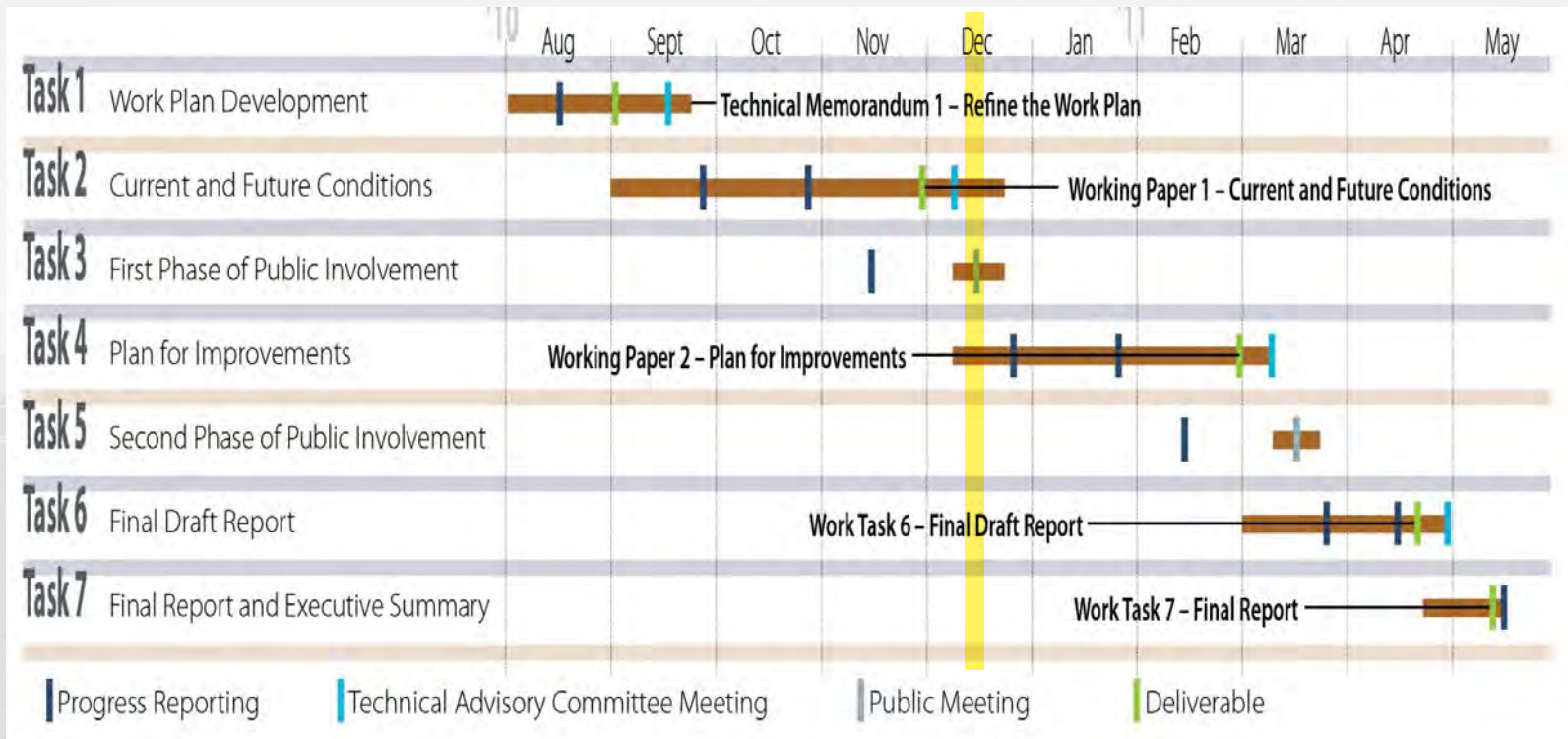




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## Schedule





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## Next Steps

- Fill out the Ak-Chin Indian Community Transit and Nonmotorized Study survey map and drop it off
- Talk to any of us; Bart Smith, project manager; or one of the Technical Advisory Committee members
- Look for us to return early next year with draft recommendations for your consideration





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## Community Technical Advisory Committee Members

Cultural Resources <b>Carol Antone</b>	Elder Center <b>Jeanie Jertson</b>	Environmental Protection <b>Roman Orona</b>
Contract and Grants <b>Karen Fierro</b>	Social Service <b>Drake Lewis</b>	Planning and Development <b>Jerry Owen</b>
Law Enforcement <b>Manuel Garcia</b>	Capital Projects <b>Jayne Long</b>	Him-Dak Museum <b>Elaine Peters</b>
Housing <b>Marlene Garcia</b>	Health Education/Diabetes <b>Marc Matteson</b>	Planning and Development <b>Bart Smith</b>
Parks and Recreation <b>Herman Hoffman</b>	Education <b>Jana Narcia</b>	Library <b>Melanie Toledo</b>
Human Resources <b>Joan Jackson-Deal</b>	Fire Department <b>Mark Openshaw</b>	Sanitation <b>Joseph Smith</b>

