



HAVE YOUR SAY! DRAFT WALKING AND CYCLING STRATEGY

The City of Cape Town invites the public and stakeholders to comment on the draft Walking and Cycling Strategy.

This strategy was developed within the context of legislation, policies and strategies at national, provincial and local level which strongly support investment in pedestrian and cycling improvements that promote access to opportunities and integration of transport and land use. Furthermore, the development of the strategy was informed by a literature review that explored best practices and successful strategies for active mobility implementation around the world. This review examined insights from international, African, and South African cities to establish a framework of global best practices in active mobility.

The aim of this strategy is to reposition walking and cycling as primary, safe, accessible, and sustainable modes of transport in Cape Town. This therefore requires a shift from the term non-motorised transport to active mobility, which is the new term for human-powered travel like walking and cycling.

The strategy updates and replaces the approved 2016 Cycle Strategy and the draft Non-motorised Transport (NMT) Strategy (2017), and supports and aligns with the Integrated Development Plan (IDP), Comprehensive Integrated Transport Plan (CITP), Climate Change Strategy and the Universal Access Policy.

The vision for the walking and cycling strategy was developed to support the City's CITP as well as the IDP visions, and reads: "Cape Town is a people-centric city that prioritises walking and cycling and enables safe, equitable and dignified access to opportunities for all".

In terms of section 17 of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, Act 32 of 2000, the public and interested parties or groups are hereby given the opportunity to submit comments, recommendations or input to the municipality from 14 November to 14 December 2024.

Comments, recommendations and input may be submitted by:

- Email: urbanmobility.CT@capetown.gov.za (quote reference: 110242503)
- QR code: Scan the QR code to submit your comments digitally or visit www.capetown.gov.za/haveyoursay
- Written submission: To local subcouncils, local libraries or: The City of Cape Town, Public Participation Unit, Foyer H, 3rd Floor, Cape Town Civic Centre, 12 Hertzog Boulevard, Cape Town 8001 (quote reference: 110242503)
- Website: www.capetown.gov.za/haveyoursay

The City's Public Participation Unit will assist people who cannot read or write, people living with disabilities and people from disadvantaged groups who are unable to submit written comments to have their objections recorded and submitted to the City. Contact Zandile Mahlasela on Zandile.Mahlasela@capetown.gov.za or call 021 400 5501.

The draft Walking and Cycling Strategy and the executive summary will be available for viewing on:

- City of Cape Town website: www.capetown.gov.za/haveyoursay
- All subcouncil offices and libraries

Contact Dirk du Preez on 021 444 3805 for technical queries.



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