

DULUTH-SUPERIOR METROPOLITAN PEDESTRIAN PLAN

Creating a transportation network that makes it easy, safe and comfortable to walk

WHAT

This plan will create a **framework for action** to ensure that walking is a safe, convenient and desirable transportation option for people of all ages and abilities **throughout the Twin Ports.**

With advisory committee and community input, it will:

- **Identify the issues and barriers** that exist for walking as transportation.
- **Recommend a range of solutions** including policies, implementation guides and investment strategies to improve the pedestrian environment.

WHY

- To **support jurisdictions** in making decisions that will encourage walking as part of people's everyday routines.
- To provide a guide that includes **best-practice solutions from a pedestrian perspective** and locally-developed recommendations.

WHEN AND HOW

A year-long planning process, **throughout 2020**, will include six **advisory committee** meetings and a series of **public engagement** activities.

WHO

The **Duluth-Superior Metropolitan Interstate Council (MIC)** is producing this plan. As the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization for the Duluth-Superior area, the MIC plans for all the ways that people and goods are transported around the Twin Ports.

Part of our work is making this a better place for people to walk.

www.dsmic.org/pedplan2020



Pedestrian Plan Advisory Committee (PPAC) Members

Members of the PPAC will meet six times throughout the project to represent key stakeholders and to provide input and direction on project priorities. The PPAC will approve the final plan before it is sent on to the MIC policy board for adoption.

Name	Representing		Name	Representing
Broc Allen	Resident – Superior		Holly Kostrzewski	MN Toward Zero Deaths
Carol Andrews	St. Louis County – Engineering		Kris Liljeblad	City of Duluth – Planning
Gary Anderson	Duluth City Council		Ben Margeson	CHUM Center
Eleanor Bacso	City of Duluth – Economic Development		Shawna Mullen	Essentia Health – Transportation
Chris Belden	Duluth Transit Authority – Planning		Nancy Nelson	Resident – Duluth
Brian Bluhm	St. Louis County – Public Health		Theresa O'Halloran-Johnson	Resident – Duluth
Amy Demmer	Zeitgeist Community Development		Dena Ryan	WisDOT
Judy Gibbs	Resident –Duluth		Doug Stevens	Resident – Duluth
Ed Gleeson	Business Owner		Tom Szukis	DTA – Board
Susie Green	Community Action Duluth		Rachel Thapa	Duluth Public Schools
Russell Habermann	ARDC –SRTS Planner		Alice Tibbetts	We Walk in Duluth
Phil Huston	Real Estate		Maren Webb	MnDOT