



Safe Trips to BART

An Action Plan for Safer Roadways

Frequently Asked Questions

What is the purpose of Safe Trips to BART?

This project develops a safety action plan that will enable BART and its partner cities and counties to apply for federal grant funding to implement projects that improve roadway safety. The plan could also be used to demonstrate support for roadway safety projects in state, regional, and local grant funding applications.

How is this roadway safety action plan funded?

Safe Trips to BART is funded by the US Department of Transportation's [Safe Streets and Roads for All](#) grant program, which awarded BART \$1 million to develop a roadway safety action plan.

How will this roadway safety action plan work with existing transportation infrastructure improvement initiatives?

Safe Trips to BART is being developed in consideration of local city, county, and regional roadway safety plans and is part of broader regional goals towards making roadways safer for all users. The project team already has and will continue to engage these agencies throughout the process to ensure recommendations in the report are comprehensive and do not conflict with existing efforts, as well as to strategize potential funding opportunities. In addition, a steering committee consisting of transportation agencies, local partners, MTC, and Caltrans has been formed to guide this planning effort and provide local and regional perspectives.

How will the proposed infrastructure improvements identified in the roadway safety action plan get implemented?

Safe Trips to BART will be developed using traffic incident and roadway data along with community input. It will be used by BART to secure funding for implementation of proposed infrastructure improvements under BART's jurisdiction. For proposed improvements on local or state roadways, agency partners may reference infrastructure projects identified in the *Safe Trips to BART* action plan for funding and capital work plan considerations.

How is Safe Trips to BART different than [Safe Routes to BART](#)?

[Safe Routes to BART](#) is a grant program led by BART using [Measure RR](#) funds to provide funding to local agencies for constructing projects that improve walking and biking access to BART. *Safe Trips to BART* is an action plan that will identify infrastructure projects focused on improving safety for all roadway users in and around the BART system.

How do I provide input?

Visit the project's "Get Involved" section and look for updates on the project's website at www.bart.gov/safe-trips for other engagement opportunities.