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Upcoming Public Comment Opportunities for
Draft 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP)

Grand Rapids, MI – The final draft of Grand Valley Metropolitan Council’s 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan is nearing completion and is scheduled to go before GVMC’s Technical and Policy Committees for approval in May. If approved by those committees, it will then be sent to the GVMC Board for final review and approval in June. GVMC invites the public to attend these meetings and comment on the document. The times, dates, and locations for all meetings are below.

Table with 4 columns: Committee Name, Meeting Date, Meeting Time, Location. Rows include GVMC Technical Committee, GVMC Policy Committee, and GVMC Board.

The draft 2050 MTP outlines transportation projects and investment priorities for the next 26 years and addresses all aspects of the system, including road conditions, traffic congestion, safety, freight movement, passenger rail, air travel, active transportation, and public transit. The draft 2050 MTP document represents months of work and was developed in collaboration with GVMC Committee members, stakeholders, and the public. GVMC is required by federal law to update the MTP every four years.

To view the draft 2050 MTP, please visit www.gvmc.org/mtp or pick up a hard copy from GVMC’s office. The public can also submit comments in person, online, over the phone, or by mail or email. To stay informed about GVMC’s planning efforts, sign up for regular updates at www.gvmc.org/public-involvement.

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