SAFETY ACTION PLAN
CITY OF NORFOLK

OVERVIEW

The City of Norfolk is dedicated to ensuring safe and accessible roadways for all users, recognizing that reaching your destination safely is a fundamental right. To achieve this goal, the City is committed to developing a comprehensive safety action plan, funded by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) Safe Streets and Roads for All program.

This initiative will reduce roadway fatalities and serious injuries by working with the community to:

• identify challenges

• develop effective strategies

• implement solutions

The Norfolk Safety Action Plan aims to provide accessible and equitable multi-modal transportation options throughout the City, promoting a safer, more inclusive, and connected transportation network for all.

The key objectives of the Norfolk Safety Action Plan are:

1. Reduce roadway fatalities and serious injuries to zero

2. Improve safety for all road users, including pedestrians, bicyclists, scooter users, motorists, and public transportation users

3. Enhance the safety of vulnerable road users, such as pedestrians, bicyclists, and older adults

4. Foster a collaborative approach to roadway safety among local governments, transportation agencies, and community stakeholders

Through the Norfolk Safety Action Plan, the City aims to achieve "Vision Zero," reducing roadway fatalities and serious injuries to zero.
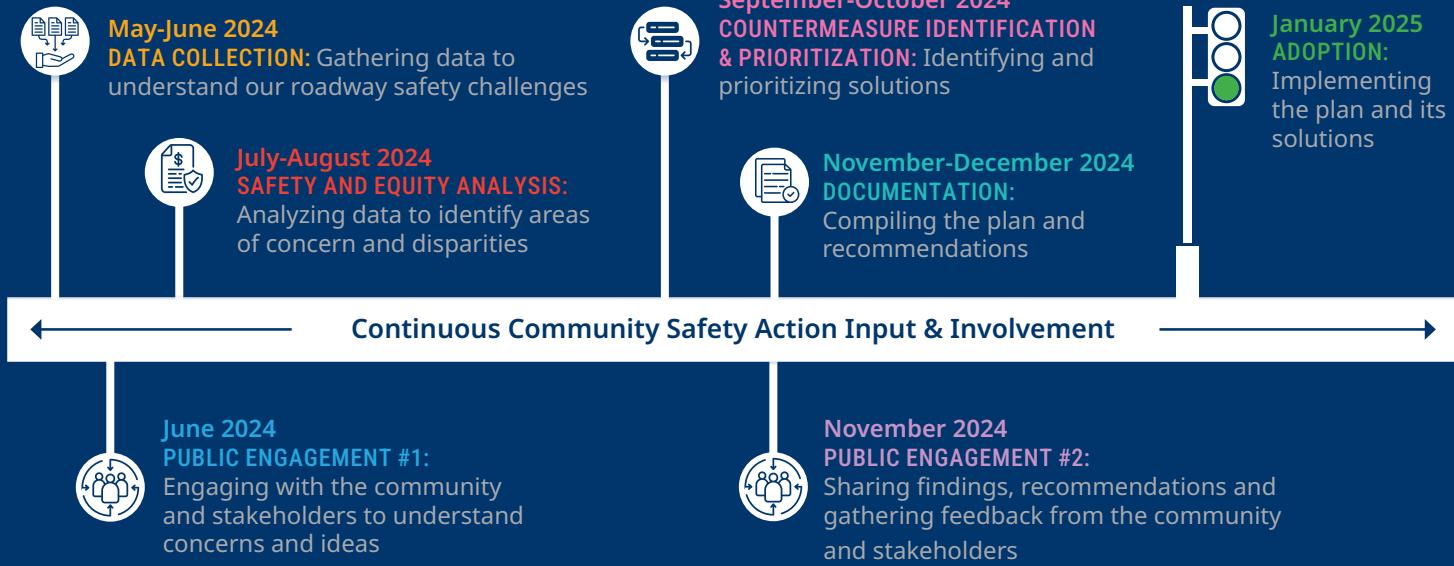
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Our plan process involves:

May-June 2024
DATA COLLECTION: Gathering data to understand our roadway safety challenges

July-August 2024
SAFETY AND EQUITY ANALYSIS: Analyzing data to identify areas of concern and disparities

September-October 2024
COUNTERMEASURE IDENTIFICATION & PRIORITIZATION: Identifying and prioritizing solutions

November-December 2024
DOCUMENTATION: Compiling the plan and recommendations

January 2025
ADOPTION: Implementing the plan and its solutions

Continuous Community Safety Action Input & Involvement

June 2024
PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT #1: Engaging with the community and stakeholders to understand concerns and ideas

November 2024
PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT #2: Sharing findings, recommendations and gathering feedback from the community and stakeholders

HOW TO GET INVOLVED!

Here are a few ways you can get involved to make the Norfolk Comprehensive Safety Action Plan YOUR plan:

√ Complete a Survey. Scan the QR code to complete the survey.

√ Attend one of our community meetings. Check out our website for dates and locations.

√ Get social with us. We will be posting information about the project on the City's social media accounts. Follow us on Facebook, Instagram, or Twitter/X (or all three!) to stay in the know.

√ Spread the word to your neighbors.

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