

NON-MOTORIZED ADVISORY COMMITTEE 2026 WORK PROGRAM

Every year, the Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) reviews and approves the work program for the Non-Motorized Advisory Committee (NMAC). The NMAC is an advisory committee to the TAC. This process for work program recommendation and approval is described in the NMAC bylaws.

The TAC approved the Non-Motorized Advisory Committee 2026 Work Program at its December 4, 2025 meeting.

1. Biannual Update to Technical Advisory Committee

Per the NMAC Bylaws that were adopted on August 3, 2023, the NMAC is required to report on progress twice a year to the TAC in June and December.

Products: An NMAC member will brief the TAC biannually, in June and December of 2026.

2. Skagit County Walking Trail Guide

In 2021, the NMAC completed preparation of the Skagit County Walking Trail Guide. The next update to the walking trail guide should be completed in 2026. The NMAC will coordinate with staff at Skagit GIS in 2026 to update the existing walking trail guide, as well as promote and distribute the final products.

Products: completion of Skagit Walking Trail Guide in 2026.

3. Provide Input on Regional Transportation Plan Update

SCOG began working with a consultant beginning in the Fall of calendar year 2024 on a comprehensive update to the regional transportation plan (RTP). It is anticipated that the NMAC will continue to have a role in assisting with the update until completion in early 2026.

Products: Assist SCOG staff and the consultant during the RTP update as needed.

4. Assist Member Organizations and Volunteer Groups to Improve Non-motorized Transportation and Safety

Provide a non-motorized transportation resource to the member organizations of SCOG and volunteer groups that are actively involved with non-motorized transportation in Skagit County.

Products: no specific products have yet been identified for this work program item, but products may be added later in 2025.

No further activities were recommended by the NMAC for their 2026 work program.