

## Draft Policy Guide for the Prioritization of the VTrans Mid-term Needs

The Virginia Office of Intermodal Planning and Investment has released the [Draft Policy Guide for the Prioritization of the 2019 VTrans Mid-term Needs](#), which is now available through November 30th, 2020 for public review and comment.

### Resources for Review and Reference

- [Documents for review, results, and reference documents](#)
- [Frequently Asked Questions](#)

**Background:** Earlier this year, the Commonwealth Transportation Board adopted the Policy for the Identification of VTrans Mid-term Needs and accepted the [2019 VTrans Mid-term Needs](#), which were used as a screening criteria for SMART SCALE Round 4. In January, the Board also directed the Office of Intermodal Planning and Investment to [prioritize the identified 2019 VTrans Mid-term Needs](#).

**Significance of the Prioritized VTrans Mid-term Needs:** Based on the direction from the Board, the prioritized VTrans Mid-term Needs may form the basis for VDOT and DRPT's planning and project development efforts as well as policies related to funding programs and activities.

### How to provide comment or gather more information:

- **Attend an upcoming workshop: Gather more information and clarifications.** Participation at these workshops is not required to provide feedback. The presentation for the first set of two sessions were recorded and posted.
  - Overview of the Draft Policy for Prioritization of VTrans Mid-term Needs (both workshops had the same content)
    - Workshop 1: Held on Thursday, October 29th, 2020 ([More Info and Link to Recording](#))
    - Workshop 2: Held on Friday, October 30th, 2020 ([More info and Link to Recording](#))
  - Q&A related to the Draft Policy for Prioritization of VTrans Mid-term Needs
    - Workshop 3: 10:00am - 11:30am, Friday, November 13th ([Register](#), [More Info](#))
    - Workshop 4: 1:30pm - 3:00pm, Tuesday November 17th ([Register](#), [More info](#))
- **Email your comments:** Email your comments to [comment@vtrans.org](mailto:comment@vtrans.org)
- **Mail your comments:** Mail to the Office of Intermodal Planning and Investment, 1221 E. Broad Street, 2nd Floor, East Wing, Richmond, VA 23219.
- **Contact VTrans Team:** You can [contact the VTrans Team](#) to request more information.