

YOUR VISION.

Needs. Analysis. Recommendations. Plan.



Intercity Travel

1. Ice Breaker Visions

- **Mass transit and seamless connections**
- **Compatible with global warming solutions act 2008**
- **More diversity of mode choice**

2. Trends and Issues

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- **How does 95 or 84 ever get better? Tolling? The congestion period seems to be getting longer.**
- **Parking – the supply impacts mode choice for intercity travel. Too much parking can be an issue locally and have a negative impact on mode choice.**
- **TOD – if we can satisfy the demand of younger generations, we can take cars off the corridors.**
- **Good transit choices have to be present to provide options.**
- **Route synchronization**
- **Marketing CTfastrak**
- **ESPN in Bristol, we should try to capture those markets.**
- **Connections to Boston**
- **Bradley draws from VT, HSR could increase that share.**

3. Transportation Investments

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- **Trunkline (road and rail) investments**
- **Four bridges – Shoreline East.**
- **The federal transit subsidy has fallen out of equity.**
- **Middle and low income people often do not take full advantage of the subsidy.**
- **For TIGER and other federal funds, there should be more cohesive policy planning.**
- **Government can be an anchor that can help to grow systems (incentivize state employee use of transit).**