

Reimagining transport in the West Midlands

West Midlands Local Transport Plan

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We provide, fund, enable & facilitate



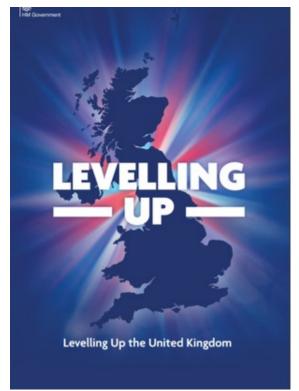
The transport brand of the WMCA

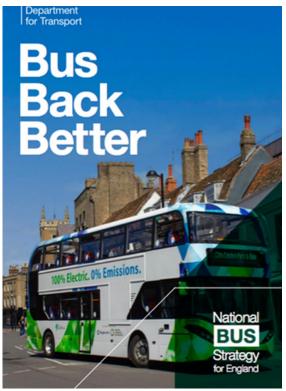
Produce a statutory Local Transport Plan

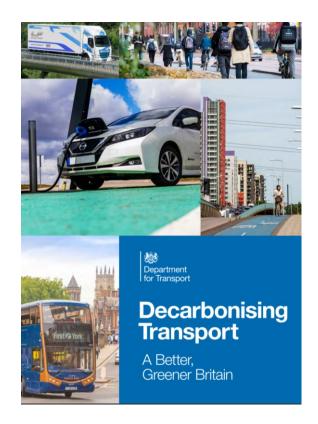
Coordinate public transport services & assets

Concurrent powers on Key Route Network









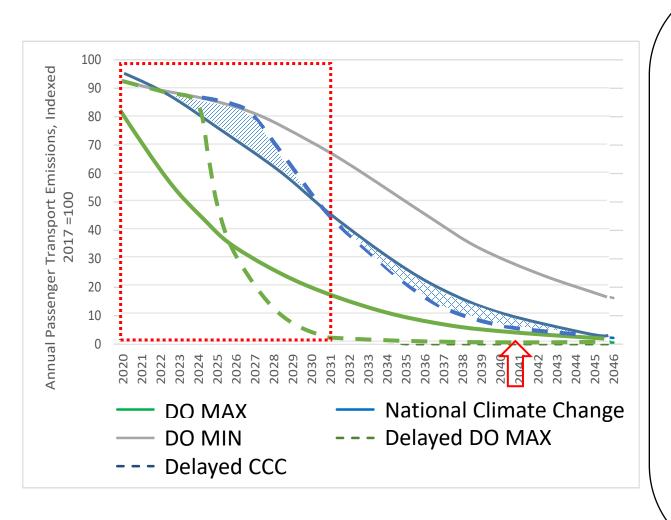


Drivers for change

"By 2030, local public transport connectivity across the country will be significantly closer to the standards of London, with improved services, simpler fares and integrated ticketing."

Scale and Pace of Change





By 2031 under...

WM2041

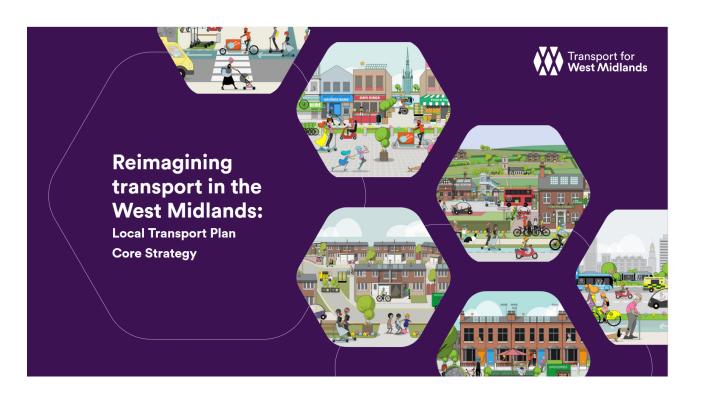
- > 36% reduction car travel distance
- ➤ **50%** reduction in shopping trip distance
- > 100% increase in PT
- > 700% cycling increase
- > 5-6 yr Acceleration in EV uptake

National 2050

- > 9% reduction car travel distance
- > 30% reduction in shopping trip distance
- > 30% increase in PT
- > 175% cycling increase
- > 1 yr Acceleration in EV uptake

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Statutory Transport Plan for the West Midlands

Carries weight in public policy decision making – including local planning functions

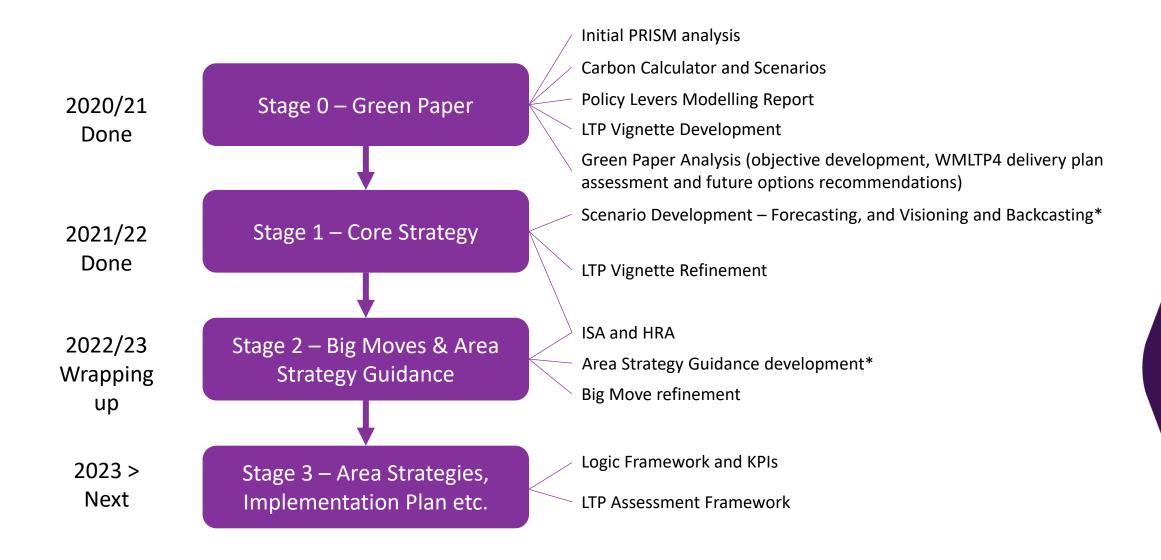
Plan is developed in partnership – local authorities and other partners and stakeholders.

Key document for making the case for funding

LTP Core Strategy approved by WMCA Board in February 2023

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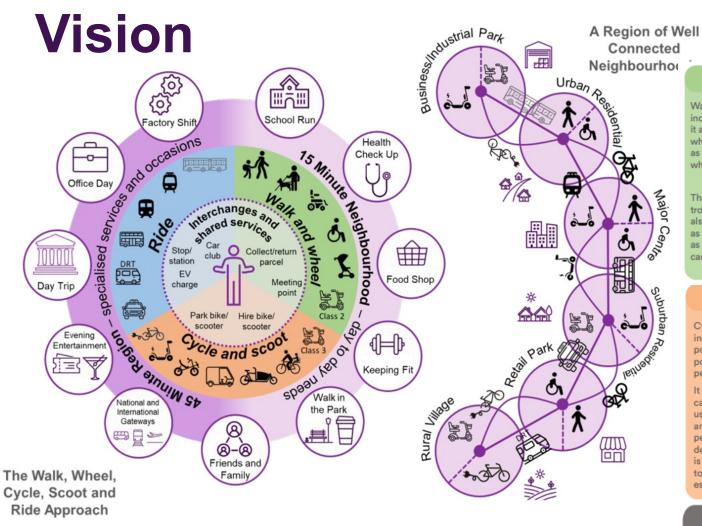




Why change?







Walk and wheel

Walking and wheeling includes pedestrians, but t also includes people who use mobility aids such as powered/unpowered wheelchairs.

The use of prams and trolleys by those travelling also needs to be considered as well as other aids such as guide dogs, sticks and









Cycle and scoot

Cycling and scooting includes a range of pedal powered, electrically powered, and pedal assisted personal vehicles.

It includes vehicles that can currently legally be used on public highways and cycleways (such as pedal bikes), as well as new devices that Government is trialling and proposing to legislate for (such as escooters.)











Ride modes

Fixed public transport



Fixed public transport includes public transport services that run to a fixed timetable, routes and stops.



They include services like buses, trains and trams.



On-demand services



On-demand services include a range of services available to the public which can be requested on on-demand and are not constrained by timetables, specific routes and stops.



They include services like taxis, community transport, and Ring and Ride, and liftsharing.



Shared services

In our LTP, shared services are services that provide the public access to personal vehicles that they can drive themselves.

They include services like car clubs and cycle/scooter hire.





Interchanges

Interchanges are places where people can access public transport, on ondemand, shared transport services, and/or other ancillary transport services.











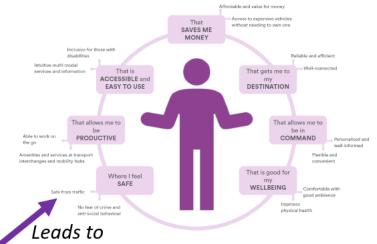
15 Minute Neighbourhoods

a good range of services in our neighbourhoods can be accessed by

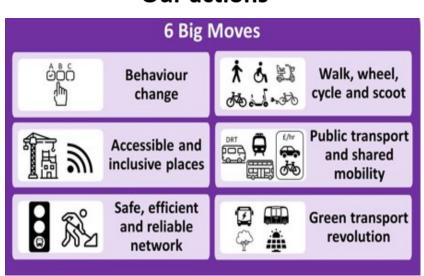
walking or wheeling" in a round trip of no more than 15 minutes

good range of places across our region to undertake work, leisure and ocialising can be accessed by "ride" modes within a 45 minute trip.

6 Big Moves Perceptions and experiences

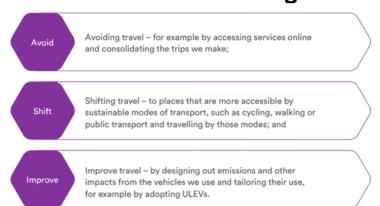


Our actions





Behaviour change





Transport system change

- Improve accessibility
- Reduce traffic
- Electrify transport

Leads to

Inclusive growth impacts



6 Big Moves

Big Move 1: Behaviour Change

- Leadership
- Vision-led
- User centric
- Inclusive
- Managing demand
- Engaging with the public

Big Move 4: Public Transport and Shared Mobility

- Tiered public transport
- Shared services
- Interchanges
- Managing overall system

Big Move 2: Accessible & Inclusive Places

- Accessibility
- Land use
- Digital Connectivity

Big Move 5: A Safe, Efficient and Reliable transport network

- Planning, developing and investing
- Managing performance
- Maintaining existing network



Big Move 3: Walk, wheel, cycle and scoot

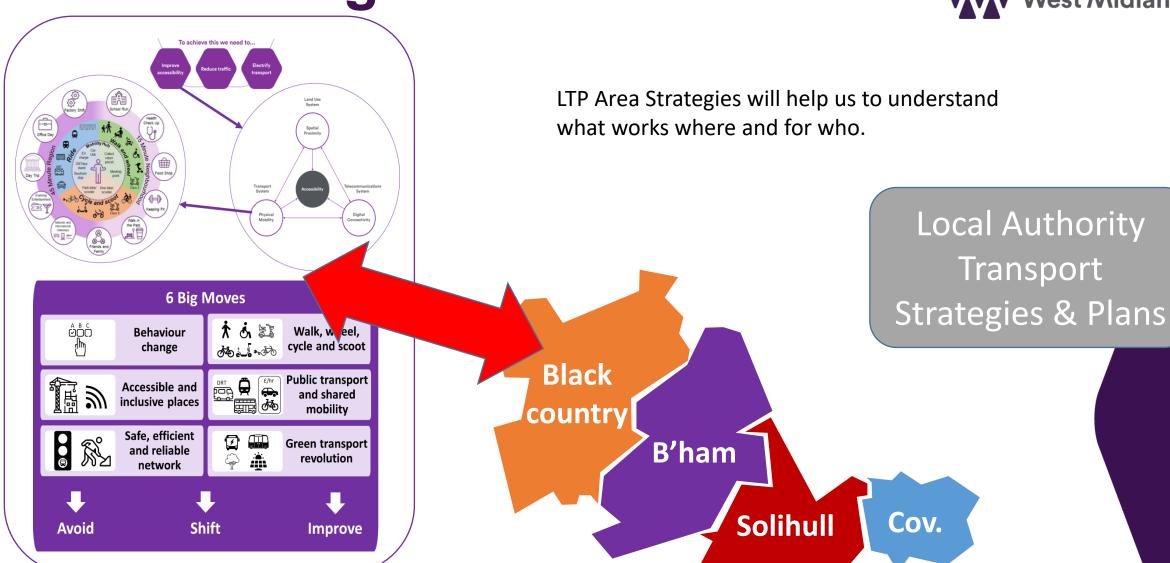
- Infrastructure and networks
- Access the vehicles
- Awareness, skills and knowledge

Big Move 6: A green transport revolution

- Recharging and refuelling
- Enhancing built and natural environment
- Embedding responsible innovation

4 Area Strategies







Next Steps

TfWM is currently consulting on the draft LTP Big Moves

Consultation open until Friday 5th May

<u>www.tfwm.org.uk/bigmoves</u>

Developing Area Strategies with local authorities during 2023

Final LTP with first implementation plan in late 2023

Thank you

