Transportation is central to all our lives—it is how we get to work, doctor appointments, school, gatherings with family and friends, and more. Our transportation system—designed for the 20th century—needs a vision and action plan for this century. A 21st-century transportation system can expand travel choices, reduce emissions, harness new technologies, and provide affordability and accessibility for all.

MassMoves is embarking on a public engagement initiative to create a statewide transportation vision, and we need your input. As part of the State Senate’s 2017 Commonwealth Conversations tour, MassMoves, funded by the Barr Foundation, is facilitating nine public workshops across the state. We want to hear your views on values, actions, and priorities for the Commonwealth’s transportation future.

State senators and other state, local, and civic leaders will be attending workshops, and they are eager to hear from you. A report summarizing the results from the workshops will provide state, regional, and local transportation decision makers with your views about the future direction of transportation in the Commonwealth.

All members of the public are invited to these workshops. We need your thoughts and ideas! Please join us.

The workshop in South Coast will be held on:
February 7 from 11:30 AM – 2 PM
UMass-Dartmouth’s Star Store Campus
College of Visual and Performing Arts
715 Purchase Street, New Bedford, MA 02740

To register for this workshop, go to: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/massmoves-south-coast-tickets-31324301830

Questions We Want to Explore

The workshops will ask you and other participants:
What values should a 21st-century transportation system embody?
What approaches do you think are most important to get Massachusetts on the pathway to a 21st-century transportation system?
What three lead actions should be taken in your region to start on that pathway?
The Workshops

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A light lunch will be provided for participants at 11:30 am.
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**January 31 to April 11**

- **METRO BOSTON**
  - January 31, 2017

- **SOUTH COAST**
  - February 7, 2017

- **SOUTH SHORE**
  - February 28, 2017

- **SOUTHEAST MA**
  - March 7, 2017

- **CENTRAL MA**
  - March 14, 2017

- **NORTHEAST MA**
  - March 21, 2017

- **WESTERN MA**
  - March 28, 2017

- **METRO WEST**
  - April 4, 2017

- **NORTH SHORE**
  - April 11, 2017

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**Join Us!**

Help us launch a robust effort to design the future of transportation in Massachusetts by attending a workshop and giving us your thoughts. Check www.massmoves.org for information on transportation, details on workshops, a platform for idea generation, and a link to the final report. For more information, please contact support staff at: okumasaka@cbuilding.org.

The workshops will be facilitated by leaders from the Consensus Building Institute, Raab Associates, and Trimount Consulting.