

Needs

❖ Coordinated planning for projected growth and aesthetics

- Managing traffic flow and **congestion**
- Ensuring safe transportation networks for vehicles, semi-trucks, pedestrians, and bikes in major corridors (**multi-modal transportation**)
- Exploring the feasibility of **public transportation**
- Supporting **regular maintenance** of transportation networks (roads, sidewalks, bike lanes)

❖ Proposal to attract a **second airline**

Opportunities & Existing Resources

- ❖ **VLMPO's 2050 Plan** include suggestions for road and bridge projects, active transportation infrastructure, connector fixed route transit, traffic signal locations, and optimal EV implementation.
- ❖ Lowndes County and the Cities can independently or collectively apply for funds earmarked for transportation infrastructure and improvement.
- ❖ The **SGRC GIS department** and **VLMPO** have sidewalk and bike lane data for the entire MPO service area.
- ❖ The **Airport Authority** can develop a pitch to attract another airline to the Valdosta Regional Airport.