

City of Waltham Transportation Commission

COMPLETE STREETS POLICY

Adopted - September 18, 2014

Mission Statement:

In the City of Waltham, Massachusetts, Complete Streets are designed, operated, maintained and enforced to provide safety and accessibility for ALL users of our roadways, including pedestrians, bicyclists, motorists and transit users of all ages and abilities.

Complete Street Policy & Commitment:

- The City of Waltham seeks a balanced transportation system that serves all residents, businesses and visitors.
- The City of Waltham's Traffic Commission recognizes all transportation improvements as opportunities to improve safety, access and mobility for ALL USERS regardless of mode choice, age or abilities.
- By adopting this Complete Street Policy, the City of Waltham Traffic Commission now not only expects but requires:
 1. All project proposals to make the existing street network safer and better for all motorists, transit users, bicyclists and pedestrians, regardless of age or abilities.
 2. Routine planning, design, connectivity, operation, maintenance and enforcement of streets to be safe for travelers of all ages and abilities, regardless of mode.
 3. All projects requiring approvals from the City of Waltham (public and private) including all new development proposals, infrastructure, and roadway maintenance projects shall be designed as complete streets.
 4. Site contextual design and engineering of complete streets solutions consistent with current best practices and standards from MassDOT, AASHTO and NACTO.