## JACKSON COUNTY OKLAHOMA

# 2040 LONG RANGE TRANSPORTATION PLAN



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Whereas, the South Western Oklahoma Development Authority by Resolution 09-04 created the Southwest Oklahoma Regional Transportation Planning Organization (SORTPO); and

Whereas, through a Resolution 16-06 the South Western Oklahoma Development Authority expanded the regional transportation planning area to include the Association of South Central Oklahoma Governments (ASCOG), and

Whereas, SORTPO is tasked with developing a regional long range transportation plan; and

Whereas, the long range transportation plan establishes goal and transportation strategies addressing the region's needs; and

Whereas, the Jackson County 2040 Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP) was prepared by SORPTO in consultation with member local and state governments and local, state and federal transportation agencies and adopted on September 28th, 2017; and

Whereas, Amendment #1 relates to revision to the traffic analysis zone population and employment thresholds; and

Whereas, Amendment #1 has been presented to the general public for review and comment in accordance with the SORTPO Public Participation Plan and the Plan was posted on the SORTPO website for public review and comment (August 26, 2019 – September 24, 2019); and

Whereas, the Plan has been prepared in accordance with all relative state and federal rules and regulations.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the SORPTO Policy Board hereby approves and adopts the Jackson County 2040 Long Range Transportation Plan.

Approved and Adopted by SORTPO Policy Board and signed this 26th day of September 2019.

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Anita Archer, Secretary SORTPO Policy Board

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## **Executive Summary**

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activities of SORTPO are supported by a by staff located in the SWODA (Burns Flat) and ASCOG (Duncan) offices. Staff, equipment, supplies, rent, consulting studies, and other expenses used to support staffing operations are reimbursable to SORTPO through ODOT by the FHWA State Planning & Research (SPR) program funds. SORTPO is reimbursed up to 80% of the total amount of the work effort as detailed in the Planning Work Program and the local match of 20% is provided by SWODA and ASCOG.

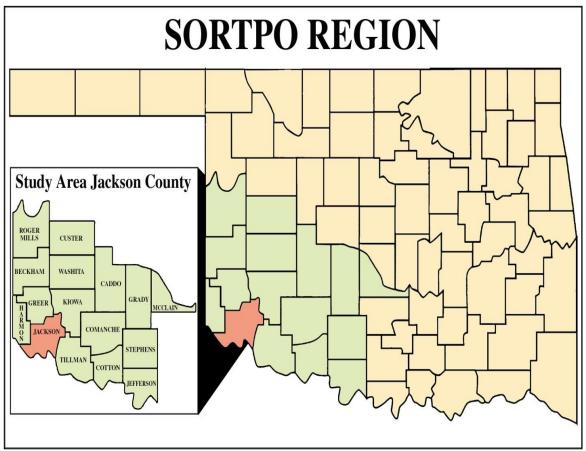
Jackson County is in the southwest region (Map ES1) of Oklahoma on the south boundary of the SWODA region and covers 904 square miles. In 2014 (2010-2014) American Community Survey (ACS), the county population was twenty-six thousand, two hundred and seventy-five (26,275) resulting in a population density of 35 people per square mile. The County includes nine (9) areas designated as a city or town, the largest being the city of Altus.

The City of Altus encompasses 16.8 square miles, with a population of nineteen thousand eight hundred thirteen (19,813) (2010-2014 ACS); the primary industries are agriculture, education, health care and governmental (Altus Air Force Base). Located in the middle of the County, Altus is located approximately 35 miles north of the Texas line and 12 miles south of the Greer County line, and approximately 26 miles west from the Harmon County line and 23 miles east of Kiowa County. Altus is the County seat of Jackson County and is also the highest employment center of Jackson County. Some of the employment options are the Air Force Base, Jackson County Memorial Hospital, Bar-S-Foods, Retail Stores, Education and agriculture industry being the higher of the employment.

- ➤ The second largest City (by population) is the City of Blair, with a land area of 5.61 square miles and a population of eight hundred-eighteen (818) (2010-2014 ACS).
- The third largest community in Jackson County is the Town of Olustee with a population density 823.8 people per square mile. It has a population of on six-hundred and seven (607) (2010-2014 ACS).
- ➤ Following in population for Jackson County are the Towns of Eldorado (446), Duke (424), Martha (162), Elmer (96), Headrick (93) and Friendship (24).

The LRTP establishes the goals, objectives and transportation strategies for addressing the region's transportation needs. This planning process follows the three "c's" identified by federal transportation regulations: continuing, cooperation and comprehensive.

**Map ES1: SORTPO Region** 



Source: SWODA

Regional transportation planning is a collaborative process designed to foster participation by all interested parties, such as business community, community groups, elected officials and the general public, through a proactive public participation process. The public participation process is carried out through public outreach such as transportation surveys sent out to the public by means of website, civic organizations, entity disbursements and public meetings held throughout the region. The results of the surveys and stakeholder meetings were used to develop goals and guide the development of the long-range transportation plan (LRTP). SORTPO held numerous open meetings to discuss the Jackson County 2040 LRTP. These goals provide a blueprint for the development of a safer, accessible and more efficient transportation system. The primary goals of the Jackson County Long Range Transportation Plan include: accessibility and mobility, awareness/education, economic vitality, environment, finance and funding, maintenance and preservation, and safety and security. These goals assist in the decision-making process for prioritization projects and implementation of the LRTP. Extensive telecommunications was used as a means of public outreach such as social media (SWODA's Facebook page), online surveying and the development of a website dedicated to SORTPO's regional planning.

#### **Key Issues, Challenges and Trends**

Rural communities have problematic transportation areas even if they do not experience congestion. Understanding the true nature of the problem at these locations and developing a plan to address them is an important part of rural planning. Unanticipated changes may happen that can have impacts on a city, town, county or region. There are many issues facing the area that have a direct or indirect impact on the transportation system.

There are many issues facing the area that have a direct or indirect impact on the transportation system. This section is intended to identify these issues, trends and challenges. At the onset of the transportation planning process, the SORTPO staff, policy board and technical committee members identified key issues, trends and challenges that impact the transportation system. Key issues, challenges and trends were also identified through public surveys (Appendix 5.2), stakeholder meetings, public comments, other plans, data sources, and reports.

#### **Key Issues:**

- Access to healthcare and emergency services.
- State of Oklahoma budget.
- Limited Transit Services.
- Forced school consolidations due to state of the State's flat revenues and multiple year budget cuts.
- Lack of shoulders on 2 lane highways.
- Urban versus rural mindset.
- Improvements of rail crossings.
- Lack of funding to adequately maintain roadway systems and bridges.
- Problematic traffic issue locations (areas with high accidents, intersections, truck generators).

#### **Challenges:**

- Maintain access to health services.
- Age of infrastructure.
- Attracting workforce to support the employment needs
- Access to affordable to high speed internet.
- Lack of funding to adequately maintain roadway systems and bridges.
- Competition for industry/business.
- Working together regionally to attract/maintain workforce, industry and community
- Funding limitation revenues continue to be limited to meet the transportation system needs over time.
- Expand community and regional services that support the mission of Altus Air Force Base.
- Maintain access to health care and emergency services.

• Lack of system to reevaluate how, when and where new roads are built versus investment in upgrade to the existing road system.

#### **Trends:**

- Population is declining in the rural areas.
- Freight traffic will grow.
- Population and employment growth in the County dependent on Altus Air Force Base.
- The population is aging.
- Motor vehicles will continue to be the primary means of transportation.
- The energy sector and farming community will continue to rely heavily on trucks in rural areas.
- Technology impact on retail, employment and how medical services are obtained.
- Autonomous vehicle technology.
- State of Oklahoma's budget negative impact on rural communities.

Data collected from community members and through public meetings were used to identify local transportation projects and areas of concern (Table ES1). Table ES2 includes a list of projects through the year 2040. The table includes projects identified in ODOT's 8 Year Construction Work Program 2017-2024, Asset Preservation Plan 2017-2020, CIRB 2017-2021 and potential projects funded by SPR funds. Other projects include development of studies, plans, and collection of data that can be included in SORTPO's Planning Work Program (PWP).

Table ES1: Jackson County Transportation Projects and Areas of Concern

CITY /	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
TOWN		
Altus	Falcon Road from Main St.	Full replacement and widening of
	to Park Lane	roadway to construction super 3 lane
		street with concrete pavement
Altus	Navajoe Gateway Project	Street Scape improvements new
	Phase V from Navajoe St. to	sidewalks and new curb and gutters.
	Horizon Dr.	
Altus	Ridgecrest Rd. and Carver	Milling, Chip and Seal resurfacing
	Rd. from Broadway to	
	Ridgecrest Rd.	
Altus	N. Park Lane to Falcon Rd.	Extend sidewalk on N. Park Lane to
	and Tamarack Rd.	Falcon Rd. and E. Tamarack Rd.
Altus	Falcon Rd. from N. Main St.	Add sidewalk during planning
	to Veterans Dr.	widening and paving of Falcon Rd.
Altus	Tamarack Rd. Intersection	Widen east side approach to add turn
	with Main St.	lane full pavement replacement
		upgrade signalization.

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Altus	Upgrade Carver Rd. and Market Rd. from Ridgecrest	Full replacement of roadway and widening to serve as west truck
	to Tamarack Rd	bypass.
Altus	Falcon Rd from Park Lane to Veterans Dr.	Full replacement and widening of roadway to construction super 3 lane street with concrete pavement
Altus	Intersection of N. Park Lane and Tamarack Rd.	Replace stop signs with signalization.
Altus	A Street, Grady Street, East Ridgecrest Rd, Commerce Street, Cypress Street	Overlay various City Streets
Altus	City of Altus 2017 Transportation Improvement Plan thru 2040	Trails
Altus	City of Altus 2017 Transportation Improvement Plan thru 2040	Pedestrian Facilities
Altus	S. County Rd. 210	Narrow road needs widen /no shoulders a lot of traffic. Going toward Navajo.
Altus	Tamarack Rd. /Falcon Rd.	Reduce Speed
Altus	Tamarack Rd.	Turning lanes and Light
Altus	Falcon Broadway/Tamarack Rd.	Need sidewalks and bike lanes
Blair	US Hwy 283/ Hwy 19	Need a stop light to slow traffic down.
Jackson Co.	US Hwy 283	Irrigation concerns south of Altus
Jackson Co.	US Hwy 283/ Hwy 44	Accidents at the intersection

Source: SORTPO

Table ES2: Jackson County Transportation Projects, ODOT

LOCATION	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	FUNDING
Jackson County	2017- 2021	Develop a clearinghouse for regional data sets, such as pavement management systems and geographic information systems.	SPR/LOCAL
Jackson County	2017- 2021	Conduct a freight assessment for the county.	SPR/LOCAL

LOCATION	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	FUNDING
Jackson County	2017- 2021	Develop a system to collect and monitor changes in population, employment, and major employers by Traffic Analysis Zone (TAZ).	SPR/LOCAL
Jackson County	2017- 2021	Develop data collection standards.	SPR/LOCAL
Jackson County	2017- 2021	Establish procedures that enhance the consultation and coordination of transportation planning with local, regional, state and tribal government representatives.	SPR/LOCAL
Jackson County	2017- 2021	Conduct study at intersection locations with high accident severity index and corridors with major attractors.	SPR/LOCAL
JACKSON 28778(06) UTILITIES	2017- 2021	SH-6: OVER UNNAMED CREEK, 2.6 MILES N.E. OF SH-34 UT FOR 28778(04)	\$10,278
JACKSON 30085(06) RIGHT OF WAY	2017- 2021	GRADE, DRAIN SURFACE (EW-165) BEG.AT US-283/EW-165 JCT EXT. WEST 1.0 MI. & EXT. 2.0 MI. NORTH ON NS-2030 TO (EW-163) RIGHT OF WAY FOR 3008504	\$20,000
JACKSON 28778(05) RIGHT OF WAY	2017- 2021	SH-6: OVER UNNAMED CREEK 2.6 MILES N.E. OF SH-34 RW FOR 28778(04)	\$34,215
JACKSON 30698(05) CONTRACT PE (AS OF 10/1/2013)	2017- 2021	BRIDGE AND APPROACHES (NS-198) OVER UNNAMED CREEK, LOCATED 4.3 MI NORTH AND 0.8 MI WEST OF Olustee. (ENGINEERING)	\$45,000
JACKSON 31149(05) CONTRACT PE (AS OF 10/1/2013)	2017- 2021	BRIDGE AND APPROACHES OVER BITTER CREEK LOCATED 3.0 MILES SOUTH AND 2.9 MILES WEST OF US 283/US 62 JCT	\$45,000
JACKSON 30060(05) CONTRACT PE (AS OF 10/1/2013)	2017- 2021	RECONSTRUCT NAVAJO ROAD (PHASE II) PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING	\$100,000

LOCATION	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	FUNDING
JACKSON BRIDGE REHABILITATION	2017- 2021	SH-6; BRIDGE REHAB OVER GYPSUM CREEK, 1.2 MILES NE OF SH-34 JCT	\$250,000
JACKSON 30085(07) UTILITIES	2017- 2021	GRADE, DRAIN SURFACE (EW-165) BEG.AT US-283/EW-165 JCT EXT. WEST 1.0 MI. & EXT. 2.0 MI. NORTH ON NS-2030 TO (EW-163) RIGHT OF WAY FOR 3008504	\$400,000
JACKSON RESURFACE	2017- 2021	SH-19 BEGIN AT THE US-283 JCT AND EXTEND EAST 1.60 MILES.	\$413,893
JACKSON 30698(04) BRIDGE & APPROACHES	2017- 2021	BRIDGE AND APPROACHES (NS-198) OVER UNNAMED CREEK, LOCATED 4.3 MI NORTH AND 0.8 MI WEST OF Olustee.	\$437,500
JACKSON 31149(04) BRIDGE & APPROACHES	2017- 2021	BRIDGE AND APPROACHES OVER BITTER CREEK LOCATED 3.0 MILES SOUTH AND 2.9 MILES WEST OF US 283/US 62 JCT	\$437,500
JACKSON 32622(04) BRIDGE & APPROACHES	2017-2021	CO BR: EW-1550 OVER TRIB. OF BITTER CREEK,1.0 MILE SOUTH & 1.4 MILE WEST OF JCT. US- 283/SH-19 IN Blair	\$437,500
JACKSON 3272604 BRIDGE REHABILITATION	2017- 2021	US-62: US-62 OVER TURKEY CREEK, 3.7 MILES EAST OF HARMON C/L.	\$950,000
JACKSON RESURFACE	2017- 2021	SH-6; BEGIN 8.77 MI NE OF SH-34 & EXT. NORTH 6.06 MILES	\$1,242,780
JACKSON 30060(04) GRADE & DRAIN	2017- 2021	RECONSTRUCT NAVAJO ROAD (PHASE II)	\$2,000,000
JACKSON RESURFACE	2017- 2021	US-62 BEGIN 365 FEET WEST OF THE SH-34 JCT AND EXTEND EAST 7.56 MI TO THE DIVIDED 4 LANE SECTION.	\$2,126,008
Jackson County	2022 - 2026	Develop method to track the implementation of projects and regularly update the public on the status of projects, programs and finances.	SPR/LOCAL

LOCATION	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	FUNDING
Jackson County	2022 - 2026	Identify the locations of major employment centers, including existing and proposed developments and identify types of transportation available	SPR/LOCAL
Jackson County	2022 - 2026	Working with area employers and stakeholders develop a database and map identifying transportation needs	SPR/LOCAL
Jackson County	2022 - 2026	Develop database and mapping to identify the County's underrepresented	SPR/LOCAL
Jackson County	2027- 2031	Develop a data file and create a map identifying location of wind farms and pipelines and relationship to communities and the transportation system.	SPR/LOCAL
Jackson County	2027- 2031	Develop a regional map that identifies tourism destinations and regionally significant facilities	SPR/LOCAL
Jackson County	2027- 2031	Collect and routinely analyze safety and security data by mode and severity to identify changes and trends.	SPR/LOCAL
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Source: ODOT, SORTPO

The 2040 Jackson County LRTP provides a strategic framework to ensure that the multiple agencies work continuously, cooperatively, and comprehensively to implement the Plan in a coordinated fashion. Public input is an important aspect of the transportation planning process. Please visit <a href="www.SORTPO.org">www.SORTPO.org</a> for more information about SORTPO and to view the full LRTP. For more information on the 2040 Jackson County Long Range Transportation Plan, please contact:

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## **Chapter 1: Introduction, Goals and Key Issues**

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ROGER
MILLS

CUSTER

HECKHAM WASHITA

COMANCHE
STEPHENS

TILLMAN

COTTON

HEFFESON

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## **Regional Transportation Planning**

Regional transportation planning is a collaborative process designed to foster participation by all interested parties such as business communities, community groups, elected officials, and the general public through a proactive public participation process.

Emphasis by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) is placed on extending public participation to include people who have been traditionally underserved by the transportation system and services in the region. The purpose if the transportation system is to move people and goods in the safest and most efficient manner possible. SORTPO envisions the transportation system as a critical element of the quality of life for the citizens. A regional approach to long range transportation planning is necessary because of the rural nature and diverse characteristics of the population in Oklahoma. Transportation systems, both highway and transit, must safely, efficiently and effectively allow citizens to travel to work and to conduct their personal lives. Transportation systems must further provide for the efficient movement of goods to markets to support the county's economic vitality. Additionally, transportation decisions should carefully consider and reflect environmental and community concerns.

Transportation planning is a process that develops information to help make decisions on the future development and management of transportation systems. It involves the determination of the need for new or expanded roads, transit systems, freight facilities and bicycle/pedestrian facilities their location, their capacity and the future needs. The process of developing the LRTP provides an opportunity for participating in the planning of the future transportation system. The process allows the community to focus their attention on transportation in the context of Jackson County as well as the SORTPO region. The LRTP was developed within the regulatory framework of Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century Act (MAP-21) and the Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act (FAST Act). The LRTP establishes the goals, objectives and transportation strategies for addressing the region's transportation needs. This planning process follows the three "c's" identified by federal transportation regulations: continuing, cooperation and comprehensive.

## Purpose of Plan

The 2040 Jackson County LRTP is a document used by the county, cities, towns, agencies, businesses and residents as a guide to maintain and improve the region's transportation system through 2040. The year 2040 was chosen as the planning horizon year for the LRTP for the following reasons:

- Allows the local governments and participating agencies to plan for long range solutions to anticipated needs.
- The year 2040 is far enough into the future to allow for growth of the area and projects to be implemented.

The plan is an important tool and assists communities in focusing their limited funds on projects that give them the best value and benefit for funding. The purpose of the long-range transportation plan is to direct investment of available resources toward meeting the region's highest priority needs. The needs are determined by comparing the plan's objectives, "What do we want to accomplish over the life of the plan?" with current conditions and forecasts, "Where are we starting, and how are demographics and economics expected to change?" The projects and policies that are included in the LRTP the plan arise

from the needs and those needs also span the twenty-year planning period.

A key concept that underlies the discussion of needs is affordability. With limited fiscal resources, every jurisdiction that owns and operates part of the countywide transportation system must consider what they can afford to operate and maintain into the future. People of all ages are making different decisions about where they choose to live, and what constitutes a positive quality of life.

Appendix 5.2 illustrates survey results obtained during the planning process. Survey Question 9 includes information on the importance of selected transportation components in Jackson County. Three components received the highest rating: maintenance improvements, intersection improvements and connection to US and State Highways. When selecting projects survey respondents indicated in Question 10 a higher preference for projects that improve safety,



supports economic development, reduces congestion, improve shoulders and improved pedestrian and bicycle facilities.

As a means of achieving the successful implementation of the LRTP, the plan has been developed in five-year increments. The five-year increment format will offer realistic goals in Chapter 6 relative to the LRTP's short range implementation activities. The incremental approach also provides a reasonable opportunity in scheduling state and/or federally funded transportation improvements within the county.

# Relationship and Requirements with State and Federal Agencies

The 2040 LRTP was developed in cooperation and in collaboration with municipal, county governments, transit providers, ODOT and the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA). The plan is the culmination of a continuing, cooperative, coordinated and comprehensive planning effort among the federal, state and local governments directed by SORTPO that provides for consideration and implementation of projects, strategies and services that should address the planning factors identified in The Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century Act (MAP-21) and the Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act (FAST) was signed into law in December 2015. The FAST Act added two additional factors for a total of ten (Table 1.1), which SORTPO should strive to address through their LRTP planning process.

#### **Table 1.1: Planning Factors**

1. Support the economic vitality of the United States, the States,

nonmetropolitan areas, and metropolitan areas, especially enabling global competitiveness, productivity and efficiency.

- 2. Increase the safety of the transportation system for motorized and non-motorized users.
- 3. Increase the security of the transportation system for motorized and non-motorized users.
- 4. Increase accessibility and mobility of people and freight.
- 5. Protect and enhance the environment, promote energy conservation, improve the quality of life, and promote consistency between transportation improvements and State and local planned growth and economic patterns.
- 6. Enhance the integration and connectivity of the transportation system across and between modes, people and freight.
- 7. Promote efficient system management and operation.
- 8. Emphasize the preservation of the existing transportation system.
- 9. Improve the resiliency and reliability of the transportation system and reduce or mitigate stormwater impacts of surface transportation.
- 10. Enhance travel and tourism

Source: 23 USC Section 23 USC 135 (d)(1)

In addition, The FAST Act continues Map-21 requirement to State Departments of Transportation and Metropolitan Planning Organizations to use a performance-based approach to support seven (7) national goals for the transportation system. This requirement has not been mandated to non-metropolitan areas. Though specific performance measures are not identified in this plan, SORTPO recognizes the significance of such measures and will begin the collection of data needed to establish standards in future plans (Appendix1).

## **Goals and Strategies**

The LRTP format follows a hierarchy that includes goals, objectives and strategies to assist Jackson County in planning and prioritization of transportation system projects and studies. The Goals are founded on the principals that the transportation system must serve the needs of its community today; it must be



responsive to change; and it must be affordable for all users. Goals are general statements of what we want the future to be like. The goals are used as guiding

principles to choose among various options for transportation improvements. Therefore, they should be attainable and realistic. In addition, the goals should relate to present conditions and expected changes in those conditions. Strategies are statements that provide direction for decisions to help attain these goals and objectives. Table 1.2 identifies the goal categories for the LRTP.

Goals were developed from meetings held with stakeholders, technical committee and policy board meetings. It is important to recognize that many factors influence transportation system performance and transportation is only one component of a community. Economic development, housing, the economy and natural resources also can play a role. Implementing goals is the responsibility of local, county and state governments and SORTPO. Strategies were developed in coordination with partner agencies. The strategies developed do not fall solely under the responsibility of SORTPO. Local and community agencies should consider their roles in affecting outcomes. It will be necessary to prioritize the strategies and build the data collection and analysis, for those deemed most important, into annual programs, such as the Planning Work Program (PWP).

**Table 1.2: Jackson County Goal Categories** 

Goal	Description
1. Accessibility and Mobility (pg. 7)	Improve accessibility and mobility for people and freight.
2. Awareness, Education and Cooperative Process (pg. 7)	Maintain intergovernmental cooperation and coordination, along with community participation and input in all stages of the transportation planning process.
3. Freight & Economic Vitality (pg.8)	Support and improve the economic vitality of the county and region by providing access to economic development opportunities, such as business and industrial access, natural, scenic and historic resources or recreational travel and tourism.
4. Environment (pg.8)	Reduce impacts to the county's natural environment, historic areas and underrepresented communities resulting from transportation programs and projects.
5. Finance & Funding (pg.9)	Seek and acquire a variety of transportation funding sources to meet the many diverse system needs.
6. Maintenance & Preservation (pg. 9)	Preserve the existing transportation network and promote efficient system management in order to

Goal	Description
	promote access and mobility for both people and freight.
7. Safety & Security (pg. 9-10)	Improve the safety and security of the transportation system by implementing transportation improvement that reduce fatalities and serious injuries as well as enabling effective emergency management operations.
8. Community & Health (pg.11)	Facilitate development of transportation projects and programs that support healthy lifestyles in the region.
9. Tourism & Travel (pg.11)	Improve travel opportunities through enhancement and preservation of access to tourism destinations or regionally significant facilities.

#### **Goal 1: Accessibility and Mobility**

Improve accessibility and mobility for people and freight.

#### Strategies:

- 1. Identify opportunities to provide transit system to improves access to health care facilities, education facilities, and employment.
- 2. Develop a system to collect and monitor changes in population, employment, and major employers by Traffic Analysis Zone (TAZ).
- 3. Conduct a freight assessment for the county.
- 4. Review transportation improvements and expansion of services to ensure that the facility for one (1) mode of transportation doesn't create barriers for the access or mobility of other modes.
- 5. Participate with ODOT, Class I and Class III Rail Comprises and communities in activities that will upgrade rail tracks, bridges and trusses to support the standardized railcar weight of 286,000 pounds.

#### **Goal 2: Awareness, Education and Cooperative Process**

Maintain intergovernmental cooperation and coordination, along with community participation and input in all stages of the transportation planning process.

#### **Strategies:**

- 1. Participate on state, regional, and local committees regarding County transportation issues.
- 2. Educate key stakeholders, businesses, local leaders and the public on the purpose and function of SORTPO.

- 3. Annually review the Public Participation Plan.
- 4. Develop and implement a bicycle and pedestrian public awareness and education program.
- 5. Develop a clearinghouse for regional data sets, such as pavement management systems and geographic information systems to help inform sound planning decisions.
- 6. Facilitate and support the coordination of regional training opportunities.
- 7. Develop method to track the implementation of projects and regularly update the public on the status of projects, programs and finances.
- 8. Facilitate and support the coordination of regional training opportunities.

### **Goal 3: Freight & Economic Vitality**

Support and improve the economic vitality of the county and region by providing access to economic development opportunities, such as business and industrial access, natural, scenic and historic resources or recreational travel and tourism.

#### **Strategies:**

- 1. Prioritize transportation projects that serve major employment and activity centers, rail lines and freight corridors.
- 2. Identify the locations of major employment centers, including existing and proposed developments and identify types of transportation available.
- 3. Coordinate with local and tribal governments on the placement of regionally significant developments.
- 4. Maintain local and state support for the general aviation airports.
- 5. Continue to coordinate transportation planning with adjoining counties, regions and councils of government for transportation needs and improvements beyond those in our region.
- 6. Working with area employers and stakeholders develop a database and map identifying transportation needs.
- 7. Identify and designate routes and connectors with heavy freight movements as freight priority corridors.
- 8. Identify and inventory suitable locations for multi-modal facilities.

#### **Goal 4: Environment**

Reduce impacts to the county's natural environment, historic areas and underrepresented communities resulting from transportation programs and projects.

#### Strategies:

1. Consult with local, state and national agencies in the areas of environmental protection and historic preservation, in terms of transportation programs and projects.

- 2. Promote proper environmental stewardship and mitigation practices to restore and maintain environmental resources that may be impacted by transportation projects.
- 3. Promote the use of alternative fuels and technologies in motor vehicles, fleet and transit vehicles.
- 4. Develop database and mapping to identify the County's underrepresented communities.
- 5. Support designs of the transportation system that will protect cultural, historic, and scenic resources, community cohesiveness, and quality of life.
- 6. Develop a data file and create a map identifying location of wind farms and pipelines and relationship to communities and the transportation system.

#### **Goal 5: Finance and Funding**

Seek and acquire a variety of transportation funding sources to meet the many diverse system needs.

#### **Strategies:**

- 1. Maximize local leverage of state and federal transportation funding opportunities.
- 2. Increase private sector participation in funding transportation infrastructure and services.
- 3. Encourage multi-year capital improvement planning by local, county, tribal, and state officials that includes public participation, private sector involvement, coordination among jurisdictions and modes and fiscal constraint.
- 4. Assist jurisdictions in finding and applying for funds available for multi-mod al improvements.

#### **Goal 6: Maintenance and Preservation**

Preserve the existing transportation network and promote system management to promote access and mobility for both people and freight.

#### Strategies:

- 1. Identify sources of transportation data and develop a procedure to collect the data and present to the public.
- 2. Identify and collect transportation performance data and compare to previous years' data.

#### **Goal 7: Safety and Security**

Improve the safety and security of the transportation system by implementing transportation improvement that reduce fatalities and serious injuries as well as enabling effective emergency management operations.

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#### Strategies:

- Coordinate with local governments and other agencies to identify safety concerns and conditions, and recommend projects to address key deficiencies.
- 2. Coordinate county and regional actions with the Statewide Highway Safety Plan.
- 3. Collect and routinely analyze safety and security data by mode and severity to identify changes and trends.
- 4. Develop a data file and create a map identifying location of wind farms and pipelines and relationship to communities and the transportation system.
- 5. Assist in the designation of corridors and development of procedures to provide for safe movement of hazardous materials.
- 6. Adopt best practices to provide and improve facilities for safe walking and bicycling.
- 7. Incorporate emergency service agencies in the transportation planning and implementation processes to ensure delivery of transportation security to the traveling public.
- 8. Support the Oklahoma Department of Transportation in its plans to add and improve roadway shoulders on two lane highways.
- 9. Reduce the number of at grade rail highway crossings.
- 10. Upgrade passively protected at grade rail highway crossings.

#### **Goal 8: Community & Health**

Facilitate development of transportation projects and programs that support healthy lifestyles in the region.

#### Strategies:

- 1. Integrate healthy community design strategies and promote active transportation to improve the public health outcomes.
- 2. Support development of transportation systems that provide opportunities for populations walking, bicycling and utilizing non-motorized modes.
- 3. Identify funding opportunities and partners to increase low cost transportation opportunities.
- 4. Establish partnerships with local groups and agencies to provide transportation services.

#### **Goal 9: Tourism & Travel**

Improve travel opportunities through enhancement and preservation of access to tourism destinations or regionally significant facilities.

#### **Strategies**

- 1. Develop a regional map that identifies tourism destinations and regionally significant facilities.
- 2. Establish procedures to increase coordination and communication with local governments, tribal governments and state agencies to identify projects that impact the communities' transportation system.

3. Collaborate with local economic development authorities, State and Federal economic development agencies in the identification

### **Kev Issues, Challenges and Trends**

Rural communities have problematic transportation areas even if they do not experience congestion. Understanding the true nature of the problem at these locations and developing a plan to address them is an important part of rural planning. Unanticipated changes may happen that can have impacts on a city, town, county or region. There are many issues facing the area that have a direct or indirect impact on the transportation system. This section is intended to identify these issues, challenges and trends. At the onset of the transportation planning process with input by the public through surveys and stakeholder meetings, the SORTPO staff, policy board and technical committee members identified key issues, challenges and trends that impact the transportation system. Appendix 5.2 displays the results of the surveys.

#### **Key Issues:**

- Maintain access to healthcare and emergency services.
- Increase transit services.
- Forced school consolidation due to state of State's flat revenues and multiple year budget cuts.
- Lack of shoulders on 2 lane highways.
- Urban versus rural mindset.
- Improvements of rail crossings.
- Problematic traffic issue locations (areas with high accidents, intersections, truck generators).

#### **Challenges:**

- Age of infrastructure.
- Attracting workforce to support the employment needs.
- Access to affordable to high speed internet.
- Lack of funding to adequately maintain roadway systems and bridges.
- Competition for industry/business.
- Working together regionally to attract/maintain workforce, industry and community.
- Funding limitation revenues continue to be limited to meet the transportation system needs over time.
- Expand community and regional services that support the mission of Altus Air Force Base.
- Maintain access to health and related services.
- Lack of system to reevaluate how, when and where new roads are built versus investment in upgrade to the existing road system.

#### Trends

• Population declines in rural areas.

- Freight traffic will grow.
- Population and employment growth in the county dependent on Air Force Base.
- The population is aging.
- Motor vehicles will continue to be the primary means of transportation.
- The energy sector and farming community will continue to rely heavily on trucks in rural areas.
- Technology impact on retail, employment and how medical services are obtained.
- Autonomous vehicle technology. State of Oklahoma's budget negative impact on rural communities.

## **Chapter 2: Current Conditions**

This chapter provides a "snapshot" of current conditions that relate to transportation in Jackson County. Demographics, economic conditions, environmental factors, community development and transportation and traffic data each provides information for transportation planning. Jackson County is in southwestern Oklahoma (Map 2.1). The County is bordered by Greer County on the north, Harmon County on the west, Kiowa and Tillman counties to the east, Texas and the Red



River to the south. Most of the County lies within the Red Bed Plains physiographic region. The western third of the county is situated in the Gypsum Hills region and the northeastern corner is in the Wichita Mountains region. The County is predominately rural, with much of the population being within the incorporated city of Altus, and the towns of Blair and Olustee.

#### **History**

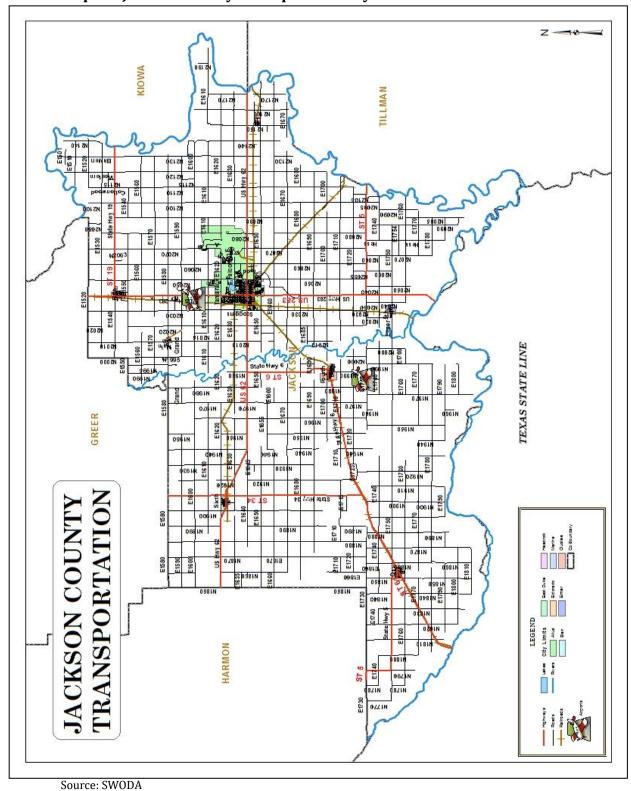
Jackson County encompasses 804 square miles of land and water. This County was formed in 1907 from part of Old Greer County and Altus was designated at the County Seat. The County's economy is primarily based on agriculture and Altus Air Force Base (AAFB). Altus became home to US Air Force (USAF) aircraft and personnel in 1943. The Base was originally called Altus Army Air Field (AAF). Over the next five decades the base evolved to become the premier air

mobility training location in the US Air Force, and employs five thousand (5,000) people. The AAFB is home to the KC-46 training facility and when fully staffed will add 700-800 trainees annually and 300 permanent members.

Within the County are six highways: US Highway 283 crosses the County in a north-south direction



and passes through Altus and Blair, US Highway 62 crosses the county from east to west going through Altus and Duke and near Headrick and State Highways 5, 6, 19 and 34 also serve motorists. Jackson County also has municipal airports that are in Altus and Olustee. The County is also served by five railroad companies: Farmrail Corporation (FMRC), Grainbelt Corporation (GNBC), Stillwater Central Railway (SLWC), Wichita, Tillman & Jackson (WT&J) and Burlington Northern and Sante Fe (BNSF).



**Map 2.1 Jackson County Transportation System** 

The County is home to nine (9) cities and towns with Altus containing the largest population.

- ➤ **Altus** is located at the intersection of US Highway (US) 62 and US 283. Altus is the largest community in Jackson County and is the primary retail center. In the 2010 US Census estimated that Altus population was 19,813. In the 2010-2014 ACS estimated population at 19,716. The Altus Central Business District is located along US 62 and US 283. Altus economy is surrounded by Altus Air Force Base, retail shops and farming and ranching. The W.C. Baker House, Frazer Cemetery, Elmer and Lela Garnett House, Jackson County Courthouse and Wichita Falls & Northwestern Railroad Passenger Depot were listed in the National Register of Historic Places. Altus is also known for Lake Altus-Lugert and Quartz Mountain State Park, located seventeen miles north of Altus in Greer and Kiowa County.
- ▶ **Blair** is located ten miles north of Altus at the intersection of US 283 and State Highways (SH) 6 and 19. Blair is in northern Jackson County. The estimated population for Blair was 606 in the 2010-2014 ACS. Blair economy is surrounded by farming and ranching.
- ▶ Duke is located on US 62 and SH 34. Duke lies fourteen miles west of Altus in western Jackson County. The estimated population was 332 in the 2010-2014 ACS. Duke's economy is surrounded by farmland and ranching. The Perryman Ranch Headquarters was added to the National Register of Historic Places.
- ➤ **Eldorado** is located on SH 6, seven miles north of the Red River. The estimated population was 466 in the 2010-2014 ACS. Eldorado's economy is surrounded by farming and ranching. The farmers formed the Eldorado Farmer's Cooperative Association in the early 1900's.
- ➤ **Elmer** is in southern Jackson County. Elmer is on US 283, fourteen miles south of Altus. The population was estimated at 111 in the 2010-2014 ACS. The town is surrounded by farming and ranching.
- ➤ **Headrick** is lies eleven miles east of Altus and one-half mile south of US 62. The population was estimated at 147 in the 2010-2014 ACS. The town is surrounded by farming and ranching.
- ➤ **Martha** is located six miles northwest of Altus and three miles west of US 283 on East County Road 158. The population was estimated at in the 2010-2014 ACS. The town is surrounded by farming and ranching.
- ➤ **Olustee** is located on SH 6, Olustee lies fourteen miles southwest of Altus in Jackson County. The population was estimated at 450 in the 2010-2014 ACS. The town is surrounded by farming and ranching. The Cross-Ranch Headquarters, Fullerton Dam, Olustee Public Library and Park were registered in the Historic Places.

As the population fluctuates, either through economic changes, in or out migration or shifting within the region the needs of the communities including education, health care, social services, employment, and transportation remain relatively stable. Land use and development changes that particularly affect

transportation in rural areas include, but are not limited to, loss or gain of a major employer, movement of younger sectors of the population to more urban areas, tribal land development and investment.

The Jackson County's population shows a slight decline between the 2000 and 2010 US Census as indicated in Table 2.1. The decline is attributed to out migration, death and a slowdown in new industry or businesses locating in the County. The County's population is distributed between male (49.5%) and female (50.5%) with the median age of 34 years of age. The largest concentration of population lies between the ages of 25-54 (38.5%); while the 28.7% of the population was 19 years and under. The population age 65 years old and over represent 13.2% of the County's population.

**Table 2.1: Jackson County Population 1980-2014 Estimate** 

	1980	1990	2000	2010	2010-2014 ACS ESTIMATED POPULATION
Altus	23,101	21,910	21,447	19,813	19,549
Blair	1,092	922	894	818	665
East Duke	484	360	445	424	349
Eldorado	688	573	527	446	449
Elmer	131	132	96	96	113
Headrick	223	183	130	94	126
Martha	219	217	205	162	141
Olustee	721	701	680	607	537
Balance of Jackson County	3,697	3,766	4,105	3,962	4,127
Jackson County TOTAL	30,356	28,764	28,439	26,446	26,056

Source: US Census American Fact Finder, 2011-2015 ACS

Information obtained from the 2010-2014 ACS provides facts on the makeup of the county. Below is information obtained from the ACS. Additional demographic data can be found in Appendices 2.1 – 2.7.

- ✓ Occupied Housing Units 10,407
- ✓ Owner Occupied Units -6,165
- ✓ Renter Occupied Units -4,242
- ✓ Single Family Detached Housing Units 82.0%
- ✓ Mobile Home or Other type of Home 4.8%
- ✓ Educational Attainment population 25 years and Older
  - High School Graduate 36.2%
  - Some College 45.9%
  - Bachelor's Degree -4.0%
- ✓ Commute Patterns to Work Age 16 years and Older

- Car, truck or van –1,332
- Public Transportation -22
- Walked –344
- Other Means -173
- Worked at Home –259

#### ✓ Industry

- Agriculture and forestry 442
- Construction –637
- Retail Trade 1,254
- Educational Services 1,091
- Public Administration 1,546

Civilian Labor Force data between the years 1990-2015 is illustrated in Figure 2.1. The information portrayed in this graph developed by the Federal Reserve Bank illustrates the fluctuation in the Jackson County Civilian Labor Force. Figure 2.2 illustrates the



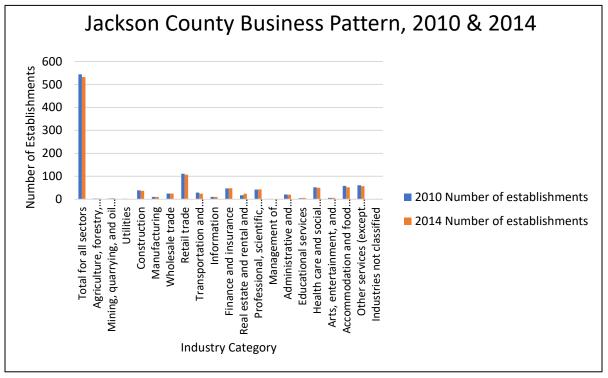
Civilian Labor Force not adjusted seasonally. Comparing the data in Figure 2.1 and 2.2 there are similarities in the employment growth between 1990-2015. Figure 2.3 illustrates 2010-2014 Jackson County Business Patterns. This figure displays the stability in the business categories.

Figure 2.1: Jackson County, Civilian Labor Force 1990 - 2015



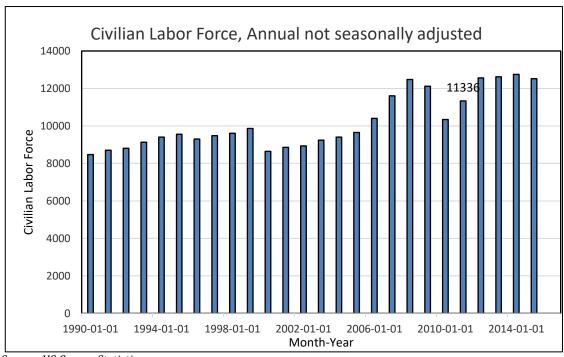
Source: US. Bureau of Labor Statistics. Release: Unemployment in States and Local Areas (all other areas) Growth Rate Calculations | US recession dates

Figure 2.2: Jackson County, Civilian Labor Force, Annual not seasonally adjusted, 1990 - 2014



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Figure 2.3: Jackson County, 2000 & 2014 Jackson County Business Pattern



Source: US Census Statistics

Figure 2.4 provides information related to vehicle registration data obtained from the Oklahoma Tax Commission (OTC). Automobile and farm truck registration are the primary classes of vehicles in the County. The data in the graph confirms that the primary vehicle is the automobile. The 2010-2014 ACS Population estimate of 26,046 when compared to vehicle registration supports the continuing trend of multiple vehicle ownership. Data obtained from the 2010-2014 ACS reveals that 21.1% of the population had access to three or more vehicles available; while 5.5% of the population did not have access to a vehicle. Commute patterns to work for Workers 16 years and older according to the 2010-2014 ACS identify that 82.1% workers drove alone, 11.2% carpooled, and 2.2% worked at home. Mean travel time was estimated at 14.4 minutes.

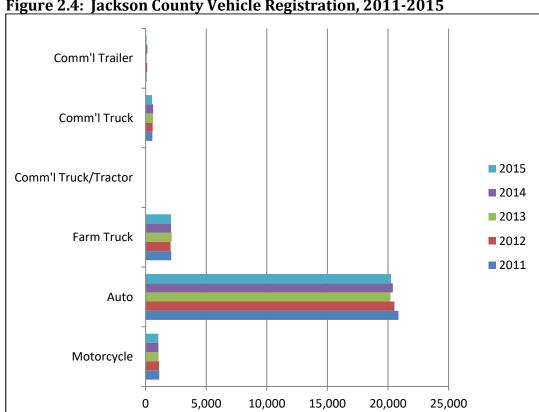


Figure 2.4: Jackson County Vehicle Registration, 2011-2015

Source: Oklahoma Tax Commission

## **Traffic Analysis Zones**

The Traffic Analysis Zone (TAZ) Program is a specialized computer program used for delineating zones in support of the Census Transportation Planning

Products (CTPP). TAZ delineation follows the decennial census and is designed to allow planning agencies the ability to define areas to associate demographic data that supports transportation system analysis. Boundaries of a TAZ typically follow US Census boundaries and are an aggregation of several census blocks. Data

for the plan was obtained by the 2010 US Census Bureau, CTPP and Oklahoma

Department of Commerce. The year 2015 is the base year for the plan and 2011-2015 ACS was used as the base population.

TAZ delineation for the areas other than Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPO) are the responsibility of ODOT. Historically in non-MPO areas the TAZ boundary defaulted to the census tract boundary. The RTPO's are responsible for developing these zones and supporting data. As rural transportation planning continues to mature the delineation of TAZ will allow acquisition of data that supports the transportation planning process. SORTPO staff developed TAZ boundaries based on county population as identified below:

- Small populated counties (population < 6,000)</p>
- $\circ$  population thresholds of  $\underline{200}$  to  $\underline{400}$  and employment thresholds of  $\underline{200\text{-}300}$
- Medium populated counties (population 6,001 34,999)
- $\circ$  population thresholds of  $\underline{400}$  to  $\underline{600}$  and employment thresholds of 300-400
- ➤ Large populated counties (population > 35,000)
- o population thresholds of 600 to 800 and employment thresholds of 400

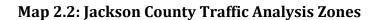
Geographically, the County and cities/towns are subdivided into seventy (70) traffic analysis zones. Socio-economic data (including population and employment) are summarized for each TAZ. Map 2.2 illustrates the revised TAZ boundaries for the County. Maps 2.3 through 2.10 illustrate TAZ areas for Altus, Blair, Duke, Eldorado, Elmer, Headrick, Martha and Olustee. The 2010 population of 26,446 and employment of 11,465 was distributed into the TAZs. Appendix 2.8 provides information on the population and employment data by TAZ. TAZ 162 (Altus Air Force Base) contains the largest concentration of population and employment. TAZs with the greatest population include: 3, 4, 5, 9, 101, 216, 218, 225, 251 and TAZs with the highest employment concentration include: 216, 236, 237, 238, 239. The rural nature of the County requires the Plan development to consider that a major employer is determined by the individual community. In some instances, a major employer may be identified as an employer with as few as 10-15 employees. Major employers by city/town and County by TAZ are included in Appendix 2.9.

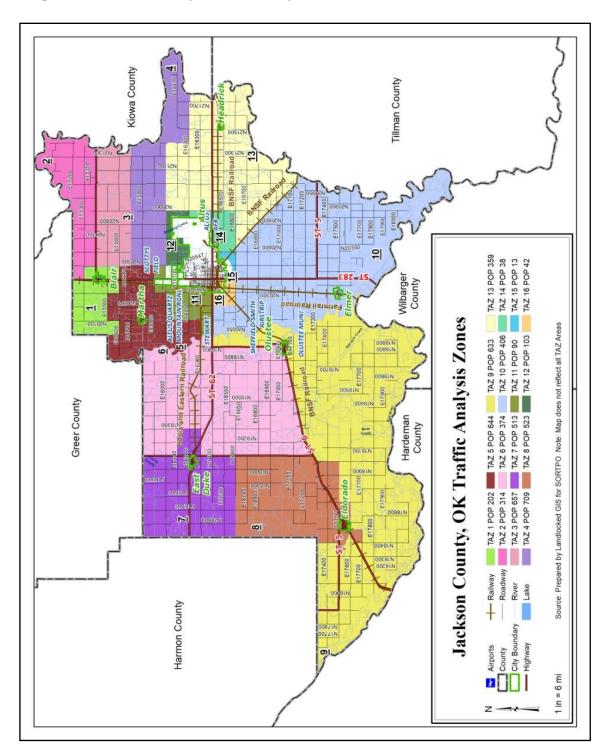
## **Physical Development Constraints and Conditions**

There are transportation facilities, land ownership, existing development and environmental features that affect the growth of Jackson County. These constraints both physical and manmade have shaped and impacted the development of the county. Current growth is concentrated in the city of Altus and area surrounding this City. Development regulations guide growth in the cities of Altus and Blair. The most significant commercial growth areas continue to occur along US 62, Tamarack Road and US 283.

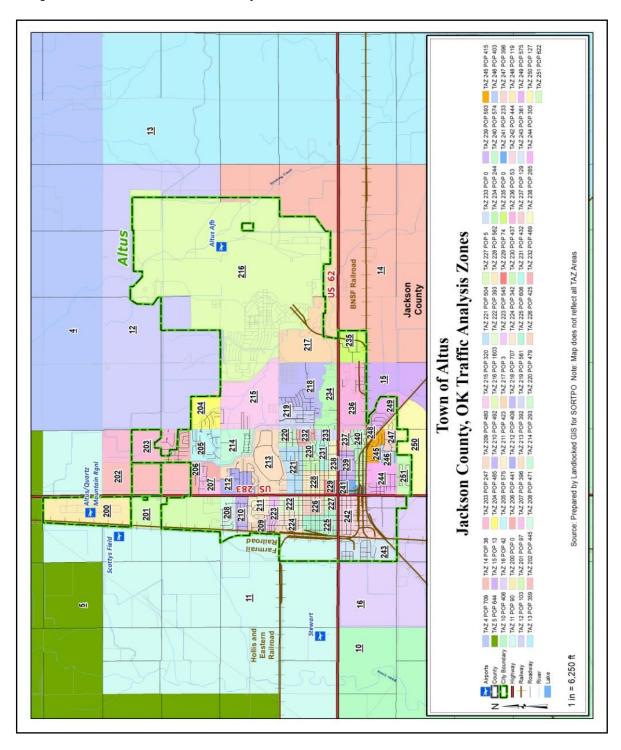
Jackson County major constraints for development include: cities and towns, railroad, highways, Altus Air Force Base and large acreage farms. Rail lines in Jackson County include:

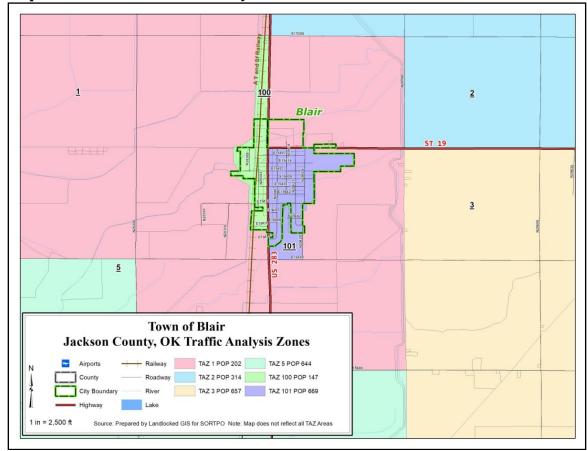
- Farmrail Corporation which separates the county from north to south traveling from Elmer through Altus to Blair and continuing north to Clinton.
- ➤ Wichita, Tillman & Jackson (WT&J) Railway begins in Altus and travels south east through Tillman County connecting with Frederick and extending south into Texas connection with the Burlington Northern Santa Fe (BSNF) in Wichita Falls, Texas.
- ➤ The Stillwater Central (SLWC) enters the County from the east and runs parallel to US 62 extending to Altus.
- ➤ The BNSF begins at Snyder and runs parallel to US 62 and shares the rail space with SLWC to Altus. BNSF at Altus travels southwest through Olustee Eldorado and enters Texas connecting to BSNF line that extends to Amarillo, TX and the Dallas Fort Worth metroplex.





Map 2.3: Altus Area Traffic Analysis Zones





Map 2.4: Blair Area Traffic Analysis Zones

**Source: SWODA** 

Two highways (US 283 and US 62) provide access from the north and south and east and west. Altus Air Force Base is in the northeast quadrant of the City of Altus. Map 2.1 located on page 13 illustrates the location of the highways, rail lines and airports. There are no federally recognized tribal lands in Jackson County, Appendix 2.10 illustrates the Tribal Land in the state.

Jackson County is home to environmental features natural and cultural resources which can influence the transportation system. There are many different types of environmentally sensitive areas and potential impacts to the natural and human environment that may be affected by various actions associated with the 2040 LRTP. These include (but are not necessarily limited to):

- Threatened and Endangered Species
- Wetlands
- Floodplains
- Surface and Ground Waters
- Stormwater Management and Erosion and Sediment Control
- Hazardous Materials

- Air Quality
- Historical/Cultural Resources
- Right-of-Way/Property Impacts, Including Impacts to Parks, Farmland and Neighborhoods
- Scenic View sheds
- Traffic and Train Noise

State and federal environmental regulations, require that environmental considerations be addressed in transportation decision making, plans and programs. Most transportation capital and maintenance projects have the potential to affect natural and human-made resources in both positive and negative ways. To minimize impact on County environmental features. Appendix 2.11 and Appendix 2.12 provides description of significant environmental features to be considered in development of residential, commercial/industrial or transportation projects.

### **Public Safety Issues**

The vulnerability of a region's transportation system and its use in emergency evacuations are issues receiving new attention with the threat of intentional damage or destruction caused by terrorist events and natural disasters. Therefore, security goes beyond safety and includes the planning to prevent, manage or respond to threats toward a region and its transportation system and users. There are many programs to help manage security concerns and emergency issues. SORTPO and its member jurisdiction transportation and emergency service staff are regular participants in security planning and preparation activities including development of the Jackson County Hazard Mitigation Plan. Ongoing participation in these planning activities helps prepare for and to better manage transportation safety and security situations.

MAP-21 required all states to prepare and annually evaluate their Strategic Highway Safety Plan (SHSP). A SHSP is a statewide, coordinated safety plan which includes goals, objectives and emphasis areas for reducing highway fatalities and serious injuries on all public roads. More information on the Oklahoma SHSP can be found on the ODOT website (<a href="http://www.okladot.state.ok.us/oshsp/index.htm">http://www.okladot.state.ok.us/oshsp/index.htm</a>).

The safety of the traveling public, regardless of vehicle type or highway system classification, is of principal concern for ODOT and SORTPO. Safety strategies are developed based on an analysis of key contributing factors such as crash data, highway inventories, traffic volumes, and highway configurations such as geometric challenges. When undesirable patterns become evident, specific countermeasures are identified based on a more in depth and detailed analysis of crash locations and causes.

#### Collisions

To help identify safety issues, traffic safety data must be

analyzed. Trend analysis based upon multiple-years' worth of data provides a more accurate indication of the safety condition in the county. A review of collision records collected and maintained by ODOT was performed for the calendar years 2012-2016. A total of 1,954 collisions were reported in Jackson County during this period. The highest concentration of collisions occurred at the intersection of Main St/US 62 and Tamarack Rd. Table 2.2 identifies the number of collisions (in highest concentration), location and accident severity index for the years 2012-2016. The intersection of Main St. (US-283) and Tamarack Rd. is ranked number one in the number and severity of collisions during this time period.

Between 2012-2016 there were fifteen (15) fatalities and 774 injuries. Type of collisions included rear-ends (24.6%), with right angles (16.3%), fixed object (14.3%), other (13.5%), and angle (12.4%). Vehicle collisions occurred predominately in 4 door passenger vehicles and pickup trucks. Figure 2.5 illustrates collisions by vehicle type. Driver condition for cause of collisions includes no improper action (42.6%), inattention (13.4%), failed to stop (10.1%), and unsafe speed (6.6%). Appendices (2.13-2.17) provide supplemental information on collision data.

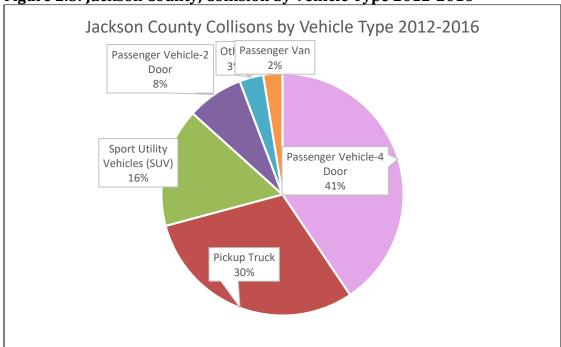
Table 2.2: Jackson County Collision Concentration, 2012-2016

CITY	CITY STREET	CITY STREET	SEV	NUM	RANK
	NAME/HWY	NAME/HWY	INDEX	COLLS	
Altus	Main St./US 283	Tamarack Rd.	71	53	1
Altus	Broadway Ave./US 62	Navajo St.	49	31	2
Altus	Main St./US 283	Bradford Ave.	43	37	3
Altus	Main St./US 283	Falcon Rd.	42	32	4
Altus	Broadway Ave./US 62	Main St./US 283	38	29	5
Altus	Main St./US 283	Sequoyah Ln.	37	28	6
Altus	Broadway Ave./US 62	Park Ln.	34	23	7
Altus	Main St./US 283	Cypress Ave.	29	18	8
Altus	Main St./US 283	A St.	28	19	9
Altus	Veterans Blvd.	Falcon Rd.	24	18	10
Altus	Main St./US 283	Commerce Ave.	23	14	11
Altus	Main St./US 283	Simpson	22	16	12
Altus	Park Ln.	Tamarack Rd.	20	11	13
Altus	Park Ln.	Falcon Rd.	17	14	14

CITY	CITY STREET	CITY STREET	SEV	NUM	RANK
	NAME/HWY	NAME/HWY	<b>INDEX</b>	COLLS	
Altus	Main St./US 283	Sutherland Ave.	16	12	15
Altus	Main St./US 283	Walmart/Braum's	16	12	16
		Entrance			
Altus	Broadway Ave./US 62	Park Ave.	16	11	17
Altus	Broadway Ave./US62	Veterans Blvd.	14	10	18
Altus	Main St./US 283	Val Verde St.	13	10	19
Altus	Spurgeon St.	Falcon Rd.	13	5	20

Source: ODOT Traffic Engineering Div. Collision Analysis and Safety Branch

Figure 2.5: Jackson County, Collision by Vehicle Type 2012-2016



Source: ODOT Traffic Engineering Div. Collision Analysis and Safety Branch

# Areas of Concern

Areas of concern were identified through surveys, holding public meetings and soliciting comments from stakeholders. Through the collective knowledge and experience of the members of the Transportation Technical Committee and Policy Board and the information obtained via public comment the data areas of concern were identified. These locations are shown in Table 2.3. The scope of the LRTP does not include solutions to the areas of concern.

**Table 2.3: Jackson County Transportation Areas of Concern** 

Table 2.3: Jackson County Transportation Areas of Concern				
CITY/TOWN	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION		
Altus	S. County Road 210	Narrow road needs widen /no shoulders a lot of traffic. Going toward Navajo.		
Altus	Tamarack Rd. /Falcon Rd.	Reduce Speed		
Altus	Tamarack Rd.	Turning lanes and Light		
Altus	Falcon Rd. Broadway/Tamarack Rd.	Need sidewalks and bike lanes		
Altus	Tamarack Rd./ Park Ln.	Needs light at intersection		
Altus	Falcon Rd.	There is a lot of traffic needs to be a 4-lane street and add sidewalks. Due to school traffic coming and going.		
Altus	Jackson St.	Have dips in the roads where cars frequently bottom out.		
Altus	Downtown / Parks	Sidewalks do not connect. No bicycle lanes.		
Altus	US 283/ Tamarack Rd.	Intersection needs turning radius for trucks.		
Altus	US 62	Needs sidewalks.		
Altus	County Road E1620	Needs shoulders parents park on side of road to pick up kids off school bus that go to Navajo School		
Altus	Veterans St.	Need to do a traffic study. Need sidewalks.		
Altus	Scoggins Rd	Needs repaired sharp drop offs		
Blair	US 283/ SH 19	Need a stop light to slow traffic down.		
Jackson Co	US H283	South of Altus terrible roads heavy freight moves on this road.		
Jackson Co	US 283	Accidents at the intersection going toward Quartz Mt. Park		
Jackson Co	US 62, US 283, SH-5, SH-6, SH-19, SH-34	Need road repairs.		

Source: Stakeholder Meetings, Surveys, SORTPO

# **Existing Roadway Network**

The state-owned highway system in Oklahoma is comprised of the State numbered route highways, the US numbered route highways and the Interstate Highway

System. The state system of highways encompasses 12,257 centerline miles as measured in one direction along the dividing stripe of two lane facilities and in one direction along the general median of multilane facilities. Transportation on our highways is also facilitated by over 6,800 bridge structures that span major rivers and lakes, named and unnamed perennial streams and creeks, other roads and highways and railroads.

Oklahoma's rural nature and historically agricultural and energy based economy has witnessed the conversion of many farm-to-market roads and bridges into highways. While these roads were ideal for transporting livestock and crops to market 70 years ago, they are less than adequate when supporting today's heavier trucks, increased traffic demands and higher operating speeds. Almost



4,600 miles of Oklahoma highways are two-lane facilities without paved shoulders Appendix 2.18 illustrates the Steep Hill/Sharp Curves areas of concern (statewide). Appendix 2.19 illustrates the location of two lane highways with no shoulders.

Preserving the transportation system has emerged as a national, state and local transportation priority. Aging infrastructure continues to deteriorate, reducing the quality of the system and increasing maintenance costs. All roads deteriorate over time due to environmental conditions and the volume and type of traffic using the roadway. Without proper maintenance, roadways wear out prematurely. ODOT's annual evaluation of pavement conditions and safety features such as passing opportunities, adequate sight distances, existence of paved shoulders, recovery areas for errant vehicles, and the severity of hills and curves in 2016 reveals about 30% or approximately 3,687 of the State's 12,257 miles of highway rate as poor which includes 3,211 miles of two-lane highway.

#### **Traffic Count**

Traffic counts are collected by ODOT (Appendix 2.20) and data included in this plan reveal that the largest volume of traffic is carried US 283 from the Jackson County Line north through Cheyenne to SH 47.

#### **Functional Classification and Road System**

Functional classification is a well-established system utilized by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) for grouping streets and highways into classes based on roadway characteristics and intended services. Basic to this process is the recognition that individual roads and streets cannot serve travel independently; rather, most travel involves movement through a network of roads. Thus, it is necessary to determine how to channelize travel within the network in a logical and efficient manner. Functional classification (Appendix 2.21) defines the extent to

which roadways provide for through travel versus the extent to which they provide access to land parcels. An interstate highway provides service exclusively for through travel, while a local street is used exclusively for land access. Each roadway has a classification number based on its location, access, and capacity characteristics. Functional class and jurisdiction are important not only in relation to operational and maintenance responsibility, but also in how roadway improvement projects can be funded. It is important to note that Rural Local and urban local streets which are not eligible for federal funds. Jackson County functionally classified roads are illustrated on the Functional Classification Map in Appendix 2.22.

Funding eligibility limitations include:

- FHWA National Highway Performance Program (NHPP) can be used only on the National Highway System, which comprises the Interstates, all other Principal Arterials, and all designated NHS Connectors.
- FHWA Surface Transportation Program (STP) can be used on any facility except Local Roads and Rural Minor Collectors.
- FHWA Highway Safety Improvement Program can be used to address safety problems on any public road.

### **Bridges**

Federal law requires that all bridges be inspected biennially; those that have specific structural problems may require more frequent inspections. Inspections include evaluation and rating of numerous elements of the substructure, superstructure, and deck, with special attention paid to fracture-critical members. Underwater inspections occur no less than every 5 years to check for scour around bridge piers. Bridges are composed of three basic



parts: deck, superstructure and substructure. If any of these components receives a condition index value of 4 or less in the National Bridge Index, it is considered structurally deficient.

Bridges are rated on a numerical scale of "1" to "7" that translates into a range of Poor, Fair, Good, and Excellent. Bridges are also described as "Structurally Deficient" and "Functionally Obsolete" (Appendix 2.23). The former may have any of many structural problems noted in the inspection; while some may be closed or load-posted, many remain safe for traffic. The latter are bridges that do not meet current design standards. They may have narrow lanes, or inadequate clearances, but they may also be structurally sound. These structures enable vehicles, bicycles, pedestrian and wildlife to cross an obstacle. Bridges are structures that span more than 20 feet between supports and deteriorate over time due to weather and normal wear-and-tear with the passage of vehicles. To ensure safety and minimize disruption to the transportation network bridges undergo regular inspections by qualified engineers. Inspections help locate and identify potential problems early

and trigger protection mechanisms when a problem is found.

Jackson County is home to 243 bridges that are critical for regional mobility. The bridges in the County vary greatly in their age with the oldest constructed in 1930 and most recent construction occurred in 2016. Between 2010-2016 eleven bridges were constructed (63 On System and 324 Off System). County bridges (off-system) with a sufficiency rating of 60 to 75 total 18 and bridges with a sufficiency rating of 59 or less total 86. Appendix 2.24 and Appendices 2.25 includes On and Off system bridges in Jackson County.

#### **Traffic Control**

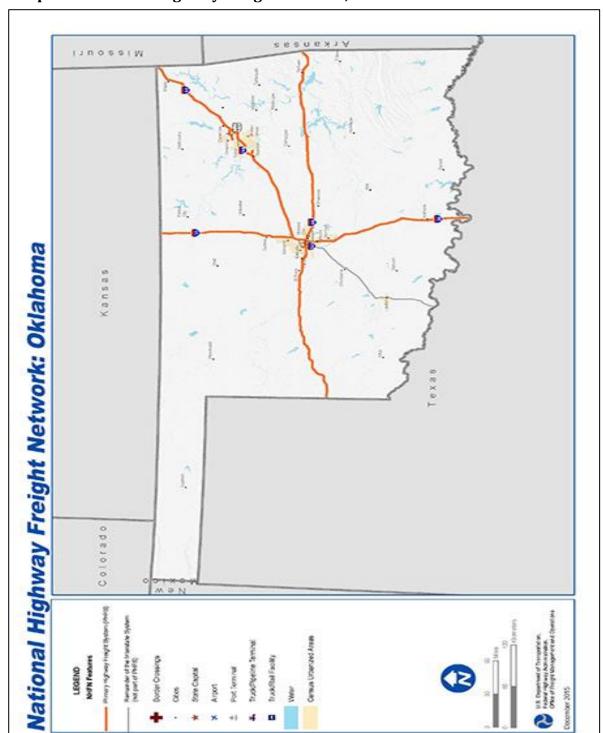
Traffic signals are a key element of traffic control. Their location and timing affects the mobility of vehicles and pedestrians. National studies demonstrate that poorly timed traffic signals are responsible for a significant proportion of urban traffic congestion. Signal timing that does not allow sufficient time for pedestrians to cross a street can contribute to safety problems and act as a barrier to walking. The Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD) establishes minimum warrants that are to be met for installation of a signal, and for designation of exclusive turn lanes and movements. Signal ownership is an important element, as each jurisdiction may have its own protocols for maintaining and retiming signals. There is currently no inventory of traffic control devices in Jackson County which if developed can assist in prioritization of maintenance and scheduling upgrade.

## Freight System

The Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act (FAST Act) repealed both the Primary Freight Network and National Freight Network and directed the FHWA Administrator to establish a National Highway Freight Network (NHFN) (Appendix 2.26.) The FAST Act included the Interstate System—including Interstate facilities not located on the Primary Highway Freight System (PHFS) in the NHFN. All Interstate System roadways may not yet be reflected on the

national and state NHFN maps (Map 2.11).

The SORTPO Policy Board identified corridors listed in Table 2.4 and illustrated in Map 2.12 as significant statewide and regional highway freight corridors. Figure 2.6 illustrates the long-haul truck volume in 2011. Map 2.13 illustrates the Oklahoma 2014 High Volume Truck Corridors.



Map 2.11: National Highway Freight Network, Oklahoma

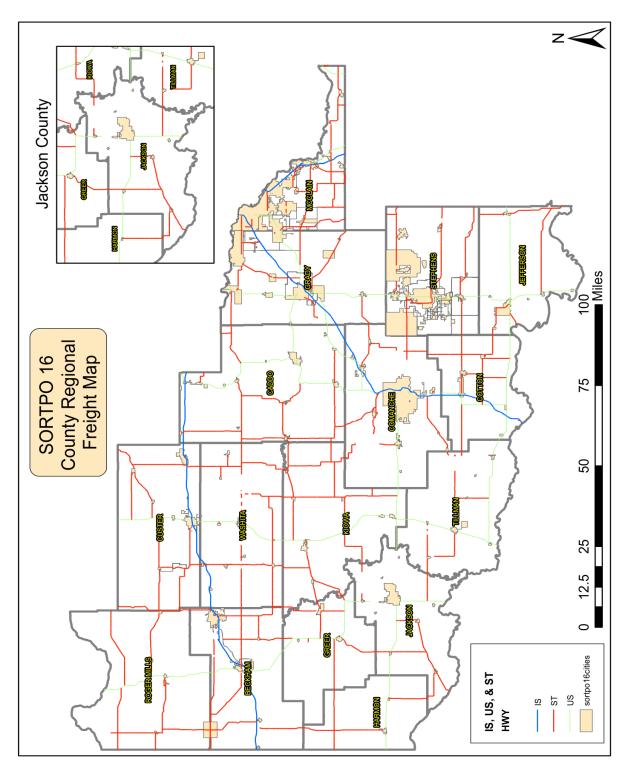
Source: US DOT

**Table 2.4: Jackson County Significant Freight Corridors** 

CITY/TOWN	LOCATION/DESCRIPTION
Jackson County	State Highway 5
Jackson County	State Highway 6
Jackson County	State Highway 19
Jackson County	State Highway 34
Jackson County	US Highway 283
Jackson County	US Highway 62

Source: SORTPO

Map 2.12: SORTPO Significant Freight Corridors



Source: SWODA

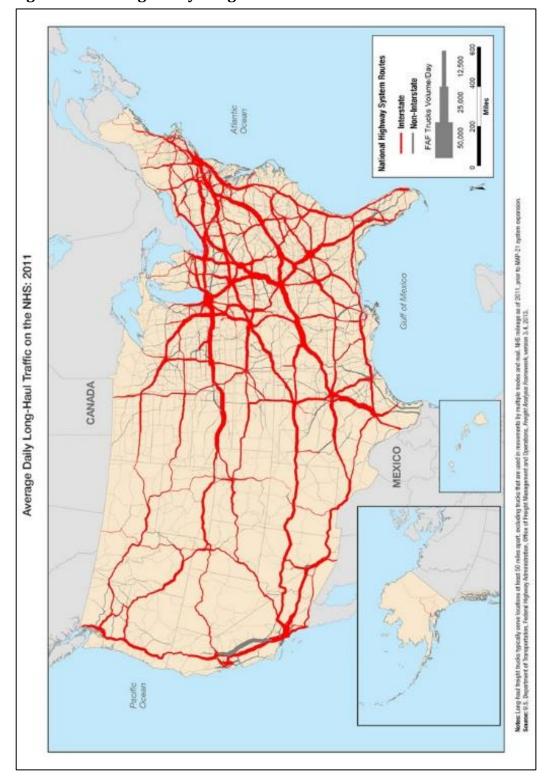
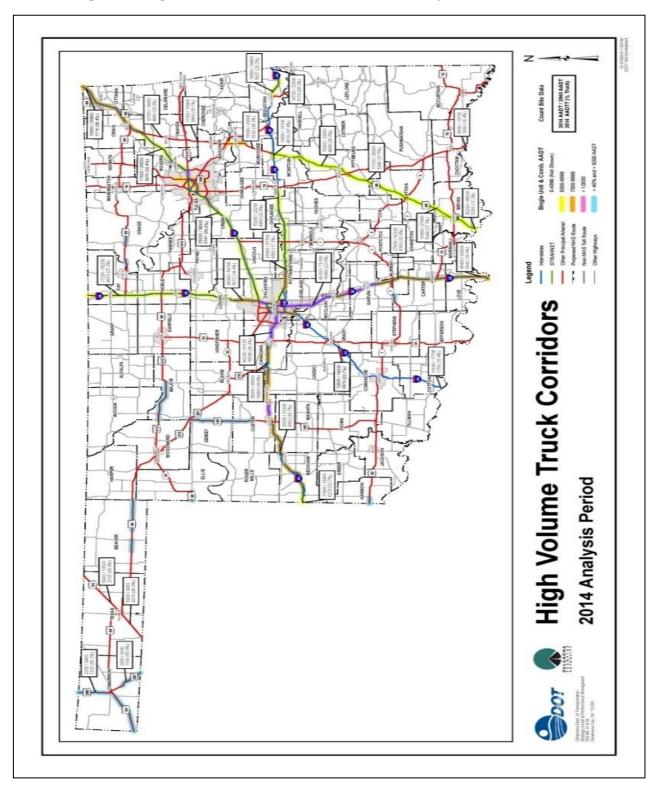


Figure 2.6: Average Daily Long-Haul Traffic on NHS 2011

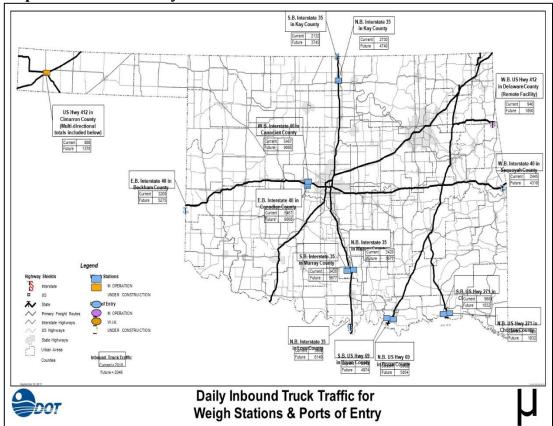
Source: Freight Analysis Framework (FAF)

Map 2.13: High Volume Truck Corridors 2014 Analysis



Source: ODOT

To assist with the inspection and enforcement of truck permits Ports of Entry (POE) facilities were constructed by ODOT. This system of POE monitors freight ingress at the state line and allows better enforcement of vehicle and freight laws. The POE (Map 2.14) are state-of-the-art facilities established as the mechanism to create a more controlled freight transportation environment on the highway system.



Map 2.14: Ports of Entry

## Rail

ODOT Rail Programs Division oversees and monitors five different railroad

companies operating through leases on approximately 212 miles of State owned track and serves as a liaison between ODOT and rail companies for ODOT projects which involve railroads or railroad property. In August 2014, ODOT and the Stillwater Central Railroad completed a \$75 million sale of the Sooner Sub rail line between Midwest City and Sapulpa. With the sale of this 97.5 mile, ODOT announced a \$100 million initiative to improve safety at the State's railroad crossings.



Most of the money for this program comes from the \$75 million sale of the

Sooner Sub. Improvements are to be made to more than 300 rail crossings statewide and will add flashing lights and crossing arms to many of these crossings. Federal funding, as well as funds provided by railroad companies will also be used in completing the three to four-year program.

The state-owned tracks are leased by privately operated railroads. Statewide there are three (3) Class I railroads and nineteen (19) Class III railroads. Class I railroad lines include Burlington Northern Santa Fe Railway (BNSF), Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR), and Kansas City Southern Railway Co. (KCS). ODOT is in the preliminary stage of developing the 2017 Rail Plan.

Jackson County is served by five different railroad companies: SLWC, BNSF, WT&J, UP and KCS. Connections are made with Class I trunk lines BNSF at Altus, Oklahoma, or with UP at Wichita Falls, Texas. Local feeder service is provided in Jackson County by FMRC and GNBC (both subsidiaries of holding company Farmrail System), SLWC and WT&J. None operates on state-owned rail properties.

Most rail activity takes place at Altus, the junction with BNSF for all short lines, making it perhaps the most over-served city in America. Rail traffic is generally light, justifying only a twice-weekly BNSF local train. BNSF also runs 100-car unit trains as needed from the Great Plains Commodities ("GPC") shuttle loader east of Altus and the Martin-Marietta ("MM") granite quarry situated farther east on its line in Kiowa County. BNSF's carload count is proprietary.

FMRC-GNBC bases two crews at Altus to handle the principal commodities produced in the immediate region. Winter wheat is transported from country elevators to GPC and cottonseed interchanged to BNSF and WTJR at Altus, where there is also a livestock feed distributor. A limited amount of traffic is interchanged between BNSF and GNBC at Altus for GNBC-FMRC stations beyond the subject counties.—SLWC operates to the quarry from the east and serves the Eagle Materials wallboard plant at Duke about weekly, while WTJR runs essentially as needed to Altus and Frederick.

The Jackson County portion of FMRC's 66-mile line between Clinton and Altus has century-old 70-pound jointed rail and is operated at Federal Railroad Administration (FRA) Class 1 (10 miles per hour). The most active portion, between Lone Wolf and Altus, is rated at 268,000 pounds gross weight and scheduled to receive 5,000 replacement ties this year. It has 17 small timber bridges. All traffic is local and handled in FMRC-provided equipment, so there is no practical need for upgrading to the contemporary commercial level of 286,000 pounds, which would necessitate extensive rail replacement. FMRC's 10 miles of line south of Altus has no customer and is used solely for railcar storage and positioning.

GNBC has track age rights over BNSF between Snyder and Altus affording access to the GPC grain facility for captive traffic only. Also in Jackson County, GNBC

has unused delivery rights west of Altus to the grain shuttle-loader at Eldorado and interchange with BNSF at Quanah, Texas. That entire BNSF branch is operationally rated at FRA Class 2 (25 miles per hour).

Physically, the lightly traveled portion of GNBC's 19-mile Snyder-Frederick line in Tillman County has been maintained to FRA Class 2 standards. Laid with 90-pound jointed rail and including seven small bridges, it would require substantial investment to justify an increase in allowable gross weight from 268,000 to 286,000.

All 2016 traffic attributable to rail customers within Jackson County originated or terminated at Altus on FMRC (709 carloads, of which 546 were interchanged there with BNSF and 163 with WTJR) or was delivered to GPC by GNBC for later forwarding by BNSF (36 carloads). An additional 234 carloads from GNBC stations outside the counties were delivered to GPC for forwarding by BNSF and 1,208 interchanged in both directions between GNBC and BNSF at Altus. Several miles of empties also were exchanged to and from temporary storage on FMRC.

Except for new customer Producers Cotton Oil at Altus, which is contemplating expansion of its current facility because of increased cotton acreage in the immediate region, industrial development prospects are limited. Country elevators at Sentinel (Washita County), Cambridge and Lone Wolf (Kiowa County) remain active, but those at Dill City (Washita County), Blair (Jackson County), Lugert (Kiowa County) and Manitou (Tillman County) are dormant (though they do have side tracks that could be utilized for purposes other than car storage). FMRC-GNBC remains alert for new prospects that could serve to increase the length and frequency of trains to more remunerative levels.

# **Bicycle and Pedestrian Network**

Bicycle and pedestrian facilities have been primarily a local issue, usually within communities. Most communities have at least a partial system of sidewalks to aid pedestrians, particularly near schools. Pedestrian travel requires a network of sidewalks without gaps and with accommodations for people with disabilities as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). There are instances, particularly in rural areas, where a wide shoulder is an acceptable substitute for a sidewalk. Safe pedestrian and bicycle travel requires protected crossings, marked crosswalks and pedestrian signals where warranted.

One opportunity to develop and implement bicycle and pedestrian facilities is the Transportation Alternative Programs (TAP), administered by ODOT. In FFY 2016, seven TAP projects were awarded in the SORTPO region to the following communities: Apache, Bessie, Chickasha, Duncan, Elk City, Hobart, and Lawton. In FFY 2019, the communities of Comanche, Thomas and Waurika were awarded TAP grants.



## **Public Transportation**

Public transportation systems and services in rural areas are limited. Low population densities in the SORTPO region and the distances between activity

centers complicate the delivery of public transportation in rural areas. There are limited activity generators (mostly job destinations) that produce concentrations of transit need. That is, at least one (1) end of a trip is concentrated enough that public transit may be attractive. The difficulty then becomes establishing feasible routes and scheduling service such that the trip is acceptable to the workers. Federal, state and



especially local funding is limited. This limits the type and level of service that can be provided. ODOT's Transit Programs Division is responsible for the administration of the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) grants for rural transit operations.

Service provided within the SORTPO region is limited to demand response service. This service is provided based on a pre-arrangement or an agreement between a passenger (or group of passengers or an agency representing passengers) and a transportation provider for those needing "curb-to-curb" transportation. The pre-arrangement may be scheduled well in advance or, if available, on short notice and may be for a single trip or for repetitive trips over an extended period (called "subscription service").

Demand response services in Greer County are provided by Southwest Transit Transportation. Southwest Transit began under the guidance of a group of volunteers known as the Road Runners with the Altus Christian Ministries. The program provided rides for seniors and persons with disabilities to shopping and medical appointments. In 1983, Southwest Transit management was shifted to the South West Oklahoma Community Action Group. The Transit System operates twenty-seven (27) vehicles including mini-vans and cutaway buses. According to their website Southwest Transit provides transportation to Head Start and day-care children, non-emergency medical transportation, transportation for employment and education, and provides transportation to our service men and women at the Altus Air Force Base.

Transit services are available in Altus, Hollis, Mangum, and Granite on a demand response basis. Additional services include:

- Feeder routes from Altus to Lawton to connect to Jefferson Bus and from Altus to Elk City to connect to Greyhound, and
- Altus Express shuttle operates in Altus from 6:00PM to 2:10AM on Friday and Saturday nights. The route originates at the Altus Air Force Base, Club Altus and travels Main Street and East Broadway to stop at local favourites. This route is repeated hourly and supported by local businesses and rider donations.

The ODOT 2012 Transit Gap and Overview Analysis results revealed the need for coordination of existing services. Development and implementation of a coordinated system approach to delivery of transit services will enhance the opportunities for rural communities to reach destinations outside of the region.

### **Aviation**

The Oklahoma Airport System Plan classifies airports by their functional classification: Regional Business Airport (RBA), District Airport (DA) and Community Airport (CA). These classifications were developed to characterize each airport on how they relate to each other. The concept of classification of airports is like the concept of classifying the roadway system.



A RBA serves multiple communities. Normally, it will serve:

- a community of at least 5,000 persons, generally larger,
- a county population of 10,000 or more persons, serve major employers (businesses with 50 or more employees),
- located near the center of a local sustaining economy, and closely match the local sustaining economies identified by the Oklahoma Department of Commerce.

Features of a DA include providing access to a part of the state that is not well served by a RBA. Typically, these airports will,

- have a supporter with a defined interest in promoting airport and with a demonstrated financial capability,
- about five or more based aircraft at these airports or an equivalent number of annual itinerant operations, and
- airports are attended, aviation gasoline is available and there is a public terminal building.

The CA airports are entry-level airports. These airports regularly serve small communities, where the city population is less than 5,000, and for many, the population is less than 2,000,

- normally these airports are not attended, have no services available, and
- the sponsor has limited financial capability to fund capital improvement projects.

The SORTPO area consists of twenty-two (22) general aviation airports identified in Table 2.5. Greer County is home to one public airport and is illustrated on Map 2.1.

**Table 2.5: SORPTO Public Airports** 

CITY	COUNTY	AIRPORT NAME	TYPE OF AIRPORT	OWNER
Sayre	Beckham	Sayre Municipal	CA	Municipal
Elk City	Beckham	Elk City Regional	RBA	Municipal
Carnegie	Caddo	Carnegie Municipal	CA	Municipal
Anadarko	Caddo	Anadarko Municipal	DA	Municipal
Hinton	Caddo	Hinton Municipal	DA	Municipal
Lawton	Comanche	Lawton-Ft. Sill Regional	RBA	Municipal
Walters	Cotton	Walters Municipal	CA	Municipal
Clinton	Custer	Clinton Regional	RBA	Municipal
Weatherford	Custer	Thomas P Stafford	RBA	Municipal
Chickasha	Grady	Chickasha Municipal	RBA	Municipal
Mangum	Greer	Scott Field	DA	Municipal
Hollis	Harmon	Hollis Municipal	DA	Municipal
Altus	Jackson	Altus/Quartz Mt. Reg.	RBA	Municipal
Hobart	Kiowa	Hobert Regional	RBA	Municipal
Purcell	McClain	Purcell	DA	Municipal
Cheyenne	Roger Mills	Migon Laird Municipal	CA	Municipal
Duncan	Stephens	Halliburton Field	RBA	Municipal
Tipton	Tillman	Tipton Municipal	CA	Municipal
Grandfield	Tillman	Grandfield Municipal	DA	Municipal
Frederick	Tillman	Frederick Regional	RBA	Municipal
Cordell	Washita	Cordell Municipal	CA	Municipal
Burns Flat	Washita	Clinton/Sherman	RBA	Municipal

Source: Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission

# **Chapter 3: Future Conditions and Improvements**

The objective of the Future Conditions and Planned Improvements chapter is to portray a "snapshot" of typical daily traffic conditions in the county for the year 2040. It is assumed that only those projects included in the current ODOT eight (8) year construction plan, County Improvements for Road & Bridges Program (CIRB) and projects funded by local governments will be constructed by the year 2040.

#### **Future Conditions**

Jackson County population and employment is projected to increase by the year 2040. This growth is attributed to the addition of the KC-46 Pegasus refueling aircraft and training center at Altus Air Force Base. The Base serves as the primary training center for KC-46 flight crews. This addition is expected to produce approximately 600 additional jobs at the base.

Employment and population projections were developed based on local development knowledge, location of employment and activity centers and growth at Altus Air Force Base. Growth was calcuated at approximately .5% per decade and a .5% growth between 2035 and 2040, totaling a 2040 population projection of 28,933 and civilian labor force projection of 12,482. The population and employment projections were distributed through the TAZs with primary distribution in the City of Altus, County TAZs 7 and 8. In general, population growth will be greatest in the following TAZs: 201, 202, 204, 205, 206, 216, 218 and 221. Employment growth will be greatest in TAZs: 216 (Altus Air Force Base) Appendix 3.1 provides the Jackson County 2040 projected population and employment by TAZ.

Within Jackson County, there may be areas that experience congestion such as areas near major activity generators. Studies to identify specific causes and solutions for these areas will need to be considered on a case by case basis. As population changes the impact on the traffic volume and roadway capacity will need to be re-examined. Increase in truck freight growth on the State and US Highways is projected to increase as shown in Figure 3.1.

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Figure 3.1: Projected Average Daily Long-Haul Traffic on NHS 2040

Source: Freight Analysis Framework (FAF)

## **2040 Transportation Improvements**

Not all service needs for the transportation system are for constructed improvements. In many instances additional data will need to be collected and studies developed to provide a complete list of needs. In the interim projected construction improvement needs will rely on information, data, programs implemented by state, tribal governments, rail line companies, county and city governments.

### **Improvements**

Future transportation projects in Jackson County includes projects listed in Table 3.1 and Appendix 3.2 which illustrates the locations of projects identified in the ODOT 8 Year Construction Work Program for years 2017-2020, CIRB FY 2017-2021, and the FY 2017-2020 Asset Preservation Program.

**Table 3.1: Future Projects** 

CITY/TOWN	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
Altus	Falcon Rd. from Main St to	Full replacement and widening of
	Park Ln.	roadway to construction super 3
		lane street with concrete pavement
Altus	Navajoe Gateway Project	Street Scape improvements new
	Phase V from Navajoe St. to	sidewalks and new curb and
	Horizon Dr.	gutters.
Altus	Ridgecrest Rd. and Carver	Milling, Chip and Seal resurfacing
	Rd. from Broadway to	
	Ridgecrest Rd.	
Altus	N. Park Lane to Falcon Rd.	Extend sidewalk on N. Park Lane to
	and Tamarack Rd.	Falcon Rd. and E. Tamarack Rd.
Altus	Falcon Rd. from N. Main St.	Add sidewalk during planning
	to Veterans Dr.	widening and paving of Falcon Rd.
Altus	Tamarack Rd. Intersection	Widen east side approach to add
	with Main St.	turn lane full pavement
		replacement upgrade signalization.
Altus	Upgrade Carver Rd. and	Full replacement of roadway and
	Market Rd. from	widening to serve as west truck
	Ridgecrest Rd. to	bypass.
	Tamarack Rd.	
Altus	Falcon Rd. from Park Ln. to	Full replacement and widening of
	Veterans Dr.	roadway to construction super 3
		lane street with concrete pavement
Altus	Intersection of N. Park	Replace stop signs with
	Lane and Tamarack Rd.	signalization.
Altus	A St., Grady St., East	Overlay various City Streets
	Ridgecrest Rd, Commerce	
	St., Cypress St.	
Altus	Trail (City of Altus 2017	Trails

CITY/TOWN	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
	Transportation	
	Improvement Plan thru	
	2040)	
Altus	Trail (City of Altus 2017	Pedestrian Facilities
	Transportation	
	Improvement Plan thru	
	2040)	
Jackson	E. County Rd. 159, 207, 20	Chip, seal and or rebuild
County	E. County Rd. 155, 205,	
District 1	201	
	S. County Rd. 206, 162, 154	
	E. County Rd. 160, 210,	
	214 S. Carrette P.J. 212, 160, 164	
I alana	S. County Rd. 213, 160, 164	Chin and anal
Jackson	S. County Rd. 199, 173 and	Chip and seal
County District 2	185	
DISTIFICE 2	E. County Rd. 175, 199, 204	
	S. County Rd. 202, 173, 169	
	S. County Rd. 202, 173, 163 S. County Rd. 207, 164, 166	
	E. County Rd. 165, 207,	
	210	
	E. County Rd. 169, 210,	
	204	
	E. County Rd. 169, 204,	
	201	
	S. County Rd. 207, 173, 189	
	S. County Rd. 205, 175, 176	
	S. County Rd. 199, 175, 179	
	E. County Rd. 179, 199,	
	196	
	S. County Rd. 216, 164, 163	
	E. County Rd. 166, 214,	
	213	
	S. County Rd. 215, 164, 166	
Jackson	Carver Rd.	Chip and seal
County	S. County Rd. 183-184/E.	
District 3	County Rd. 179	
	S. County Rd. 183/E.	
	County Rd. 177-178	
	S. County Rd. 183-184/E.	
	County Rd. 176	
	S. County Rd. 184/ E.	
	County Rd. 178-179	

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CITY/TOWN	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
	S. County Rd./Hwy 34/E.	
	County Rd. 168	
	S. County Rd./Hwy 62/E.	
	County Rd. 163	
	S. County Rd. 188-189/E.	
	County Rd. 168	
	S. County Rd. 188-190/E.	
	County Rd. 177	
	S. County Rd. 190/191/E.	
	County Rd. 177	

Source: City of Altus 2040 Transportation Improvement Plan, Jackson County Commissioners

# **Chapter 4: Financial Summary**

### **Financial Assessment**

The assessment is intended to summarize federal, state and local transportation funding sources.

#### Federal

In general, transportation revenues continue to follow an unsustainable course as multiple factors force the funding available for transportation continues a downward trend. For example, both the Oklahoma and federal gas tax rates are fixed on a per-gallon basis, and therefore gas tax revenues are not responsive to inflation. There is a price elasticity associated with gasoline. Consumers change driving habits and stop purchasing gasoline as the price per gallon increases and then revenues generated from gasoline sales decrease. As the cost of transportation



infrastructure projects increases, the amount of revenue generated from the gas tax remains static. It is not possible to maintain past levels of transportation investments as per capita collections continue to decline. Additionally, as cars become more fuel efficient, drivers pay less in gas taxes. At the same time, the wear and tear on roadways caused by these vehicles remains the same. The federal funding levels related to highways are typically established through authorizing legislation commonly referred to as the Federal Highway Bill. This legislation normally authorizes projected funding levels for a period of six years. Consistent, long-term funding anticipations are critical to understand the expected annual federal funding availability and prepare projects accordingly. Each year, the legislation is funded through the Administration's budgeting and the congressional appropriations processes. The primary source for the dedicated federal transportation funding appropriation is the gasoline and diesel tax deposits directed to the Highway Trust Fund.

The department of transportation in each state is designated as the cognizant or recipient agency to interact with the representative federal agency, the Federal Highway Administration. Therefore, federal funding for roads and bridges is administered by ODOT regardless of facility ownership. All traditional, congressionally identified or discretionarily funded city street and county road projects that utilize federal highway funding are administered by and through ODOT.

Taxes on gasoline and other motor fuels are collected and distributed from the Federal Highway Trust Fund (HTF) and are distributed to the states by the FHWA and the FTA to each state through a system of formula grants and discretionary allocations. Motor fuels taxes, consisting of the 18.4-cent per gallon tax on gasoline and 24-cent per gallon tax on diesel fuels, are the trust

fund's main dedicated revenue source. Taxes on the sale of heavy vehicles, truck tires and the use of certain kinds of vehicles bring in smaller amounts of revenue for the trust fund.

Surface Transportation Program (STP) is federal funds utilized on road projects. These STP funds may provide up to eighty percent (80%) of the construction costs of these projects. Counties fund the remaining twenty percent (20%) match for construction costs, plus the costs for engineering, right of way and utility relocation through local sources or state fund. taxes. Appendix 4.1 identifies the transportation funding categories.

#### State

Funding for highway improvements in Oklahoma comes primarily from two sources – federal and revolving funds including federal and state motor fuel taxes directed to the Highway Trust Fund and the State Transportation Fund along with the Rebuilding Oklahoma Access and Driver Safety (ROADS) fund as initiated by House Bill 1078 in 2005. House Bill 2248 and House Bill 2249 provide funding to reduce the number of structurally deficient bridges and deteriorating road conditions on the state highway system.

In 1923, Oklahoma enacted its first state level excise tax on motor fuels. The last increase was in 1987 and the tax is currently seventeen cents (17¢) per gallon for gasoline and diesel at fourteen cents (14¢). There is also a transportation dedicated 5 cents per gasoline gallon equivalent excise tax on natural gas used for motor vehicle fuel Oklahoma's primary sources of funding for road and bridge construction and maintenance are derived from fuel taxes and motor vehicle tax. The motor fuel taxes that are deposited to the State Transportation Fund (STF) are gasoline excise tax, diesel fuel excise tax, special fuel use tax, and special fuel decals. The fuel tax is assessed on consumers when they purchase fuel, and the gasoline tax is the largest generator of revenue to the STF. The motor fuel tax revenues are also apportioned to municipalities and county governments for road and bridge repair and maintenance and to Native American Tribes.

In addition to the above taxes the ROADS Fund is guaranteed an annual apportionment equal to the amount apportioned for the previous year plus an additional \$59.7 million until it reaches a cap of \$575 million. In FY 2015 the Fund received \$416.8 million. In addition, the County Improvement for Roads and Bridges (CIRB) fund, as administered by ODOT was increased to 20% of motor vehicle registration fees and capped at \$120 million beginning in SFY 2016. Table 4.1 summarizes the state funding categories supporting transportation. Appendix 4.2 summarizes transportation funding categories, funding eligibility and funding limits provided at the state level.

**Table 4.1: State Funding Categories** 

	FY13 Actual	FY14 Actual	FY15 Actual	FY16 Budget
State Transportation Fund	\$206,405,702	\$208,707,119	\$197,228,227	\$184,901,463
Motor Fuel Tax - HP Bridges	\$6,047,108	\$6,130,546	\$6,238,149	\$6,200,000
Income Tax	\$297,400,000	\$357,100,000	\$416,800,000	\$476,500,000
Total allocation	\$509,852,810	\$571,937,665	\$620,266,376	\$667,601,463
OTA Transfers	\$41,340,937	\$41,712,534	\$44,049,331	\$42,000,000
Total State Revenue	\$551,193,747	\$613,650,199	\$664,315,707	\$709,601,463
CIP Debt Service	\$11,526,973	\$11,358,296	\$0	\$0
ROADS Debt Service	\$32,367,490	\$35,971,788	\$42,599,529	\$36,434,743
Highways and Bridges	\$495,399,284	\$554,420,115	\$612,316,178	\$662,766,720
Lake & Industrial Access	\$5,000,000	\$5,000,000	\$2,500,000	\$3,500,000
Passenger Rail	\$2,000,000	\$2,000,000	\$2,000,000	\$2,000,000
Public Transit	\$3,000,000	\$3,000,000	\$3,000,000	\$3,000,000
Intermodal	\$1,900,000	\$1,900,000	\$1,900,000	\$1,900,000
Total Allocation	\$551,193,747	\$613,650,199	\$664,315,707	\$709,601,463

Source: ODOT

Public transportation funding for rural transit agencies is as follows:

- ODOT receives FTA's Section 5311 funding.
- Subrecipients submit application for Section 5311 funds annually.
- ODOT reviews application which includes service areas. Service areas usually include multiple counties and/or city limits.
- Funds are allocated to eligible sub recipients based on the average of their last two previous years of performance measures (i.e. revenue miles, passenger trips, etc.) within their pre-approved Section 5311 service areas.
- Subrecipients are reimbursed for eligible administrative, operational, and capital expense, at specific rates, for services performed within their total pre-approved Section 5311 service areas.

The total expenditures identified in Table 4.1 are within the total federal, state and local revenues estimated for the 2040 LRTP and are adequate to fund the projects listed. Funding of local transportation projects and programs is heavily influenced by the State of Oklahoma's annual budget and federal funding. Transportation funding sources based on motor vehicle fuel taxes tend to fluctuate with changes in fuel prices and fuel consumption. While most taxes are not tied to fuel prices, when gas prices go up, consumption tends to go down and thus tax revenues decline. Oklahoma's state budget continues to experience historic downfall revenues and these downfalls have a negative impact on the transportation system. With this plan development, it is anticipated that there will continue to be a downfall in available revenue for transportation programs and projects. Therefore, the coordination with local, regional and statewide agencies in the development of transportation programs and projects is significant to accomplish the projects.

#### **County**

The main funding program for county roads and bridges is the county highway fund, which consists of revenues from the state taxes on gasoline and diesel fuels as well as motor vehicle registration fees and a portion of the of the state gross production tax on oil and gas in the case of counties that have oil and gas production. A county's apportionment is based on several formulas that use proportional shares of each factor as it relates to the total statewide county totals. Counties that have oil and natural gas production receive a portion of the seven percent (7%) state tax on natural gas and oil. Counties have authority to impose a countywide sales tax for roads and bridges with revenues earmarked for roads and bridges. Appendix 4.3 summarizes the funding categories and taxes apportioned by the Oklahoma Tax Commission (OTC) for FY 2011 -2015 in addition to revenues apportioned by the OTC the recognized tribal governments who receive federal funds and may also designate their own local funds for transportation projects. Counties and tribal governments have been successful in working together to coordinate implementation of transportation projects. The opportunity to utilize a combination of funding sources for transportation projects is an opportunity that counties value. Challenges faced by local and state governments include: dependence on revenues from the state gas tax; the state's fixed rate gas tax and major disaster declarations and impact on the infrastructure.

In the summer of 2006 a law created the County Improvements for Roads and Bridges (CIRB) program. The funds apportioned to the program are in equal amounts to the eight Transportation Commission Districts. The sole purpose of the funds is for the construction or reconstruction of county roads or bridges on the county highway system that are the highest priority. Funds may accumulate annual funding for a period of up to five years for a specific project. Information obtained from a report published by the National Association of Counties, funds collected by OTC for transportation projects are distributed directly to the counties. Revenues specifically for the CIRB category are collected from state

gasoline and diesel tax, special fuel tax and state gross production tax on oil. Appendix 4.4 summarizes the CIRB for Jackson County. The county uses a small percentage of tax revenues for maintenance and minor improvements, relying on outside funding sources for major improvements.

The County Commissioners established Circuit Engineering Districts (CEDs) to provide common engineering and project support services. All potential transportation projects are initiated by the County Commissioners and are coordinated with the appropriate CED who directs the development of the recommended list of projects to be considered by ODOT for inclusion in the CIRB Construction Work Plan. ODOT and the Transportation Commission have the responsibility for the expenditure of the CIRB funding. When the CIRB Construction Work Plan is approved, ODOT coordinates and cooperates with the Counties and the CEDs in management of the project.

#### Local

The main source of funding for community transportation projects is found in the general operating budgets. Generally, these funds are derived by city sales tax and fees. Funding for rural transportation projects may also be available through federal sources such as Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) through Oklahoma Dept. of Commerce, Economic Development Administration (EDA), and US Department of Agriculture Rural Development (USDA RD) programs. Oklahoma has limited funding available for projects through Rural Economic Action Plan (REAP) administered by Councils of Government (COG).

# **Chapter 5: Public Participation Summary**

This chapter presents and describes the public participation tools the RTPOs utilize as part of the planning process. Public participation is a federal requirement outlined in MAP21 and The FAST Act. SORTPO has an adopted Public Participation Plans (PPP) that was followed.

### **Environmental Justice**

FHWA has long embraced non-discrimination policy to make sure federally funded activities (planning through implementation) are not disproportionately adversely impacting certain populations. These populations include low income persons and populations as defined by the US Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) Poverty Guidelines and minority persons and populations (Black, Hispanic, Asian American, American Indian and Alaskan Natives). As such, public involvement and outreach for the LRTP must adhere to Presidential Executive Order 12898, Environmental Justice (EJ).

Jackson County's racial and ethnic composition is 82.0% White, followed by 21.9% Hispanic or Latino, and 7.2% African American. In comparison, Oklahoma is 75.4% White, 9.6% Hispanic or Latino and 7.7% African American. The LRTP process identified EJ populations through a comparison of the racial and ethnic composition of the county. Additional information is found in Appendix 5.1.

Low income populations were also identified for Jackson County. Low income populations are defined by the FHWA for transportation planning purposes as families of four (4) with a household income that is below the poverty guidelines set by HHS. The 2014 HHS poverty guideline for a family of four (4) is twenty-four thousand three hundred dollars (\$24,300.00).



### **Coordination with Other Plans**

The process to identify goals and objectives for the county started with a review and comparison of goals and objectives from other related planning documents and policies to ensure general consistency. This review included:

- FAST Act Federal Planning Factors,
- MAP-21 Federal Planning Factors,
- 2012 Transit Gap Overview and Analysis,
- Oklahoma Mobility Plan,
- 2017 City of Altus Transportation Improvement Plan thru 2040,
- Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission, and
- ODOT 2015-2040 Long Range Transportation Plan

Conversation and consultation has been initiated and will be ongoing with the local and State Agencies (including, but not limited to: State Historic Preservation Office, Oklahoma Department of Transportation, Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality, Oklahoma Water Resources Board, Oklahoma Department of Wildlife Conservation, Aeronautics Commission, and Bureau of Indian Affairs. All the above agencies will be given an opportunity for input during the Public Review and Comment period.

Public involvement is an integral part of the transportation process. SORTPO is proactive in its efforts to effectively communicate with the public and has

adopted a PPP to ensure that the transportation planning process and procedures complies with federal requirement for public involvement and participation. These procedures provide opportunities for the public to take an active role in the decision-making process.



The SORTPO has hosted 15 public meetings and/or provided notice of availability for public outreach to involve interested parties in the early stages of the plan development. Notices of public hearings and/or notices of availability for public outreach for the RTPO were published in local newspapers and SORTPO website. Surveys were distributed throughout the County and were made available on at www.sortpo.org. Appendix 5.2 provides a summary of the survey results. Appendix 5.3 contains information identifying the public outreach processes utilized in development of the 2040 Jackson County LRTP.

# **Chapter 6: Transportation Recommendations**

This chapter identifies the recommendations and summary of improvements that were developed because of the previous review of demographics, growth, activity generators, transportation system and other such issues. It is assumed that only Jackson County projects included in the current ODOT eight (8) year construction program and CIRB will be constructed by the year 2040.

The projects included in the LRTP may have potential funding from a single source or multiple sources. Each project has its own unique components relative to only that project and while there are many funding programs within various state and federal agencies, each project must be evaluated on its own merits to determine which programs will apply. It should be noted that while many potential funding sources are identified for each project, these represent the primary sources and additional sources not listed may also be available. When implementing this plan, SORTPO will continue to review potential funding sources as they become available or as projects become eligible for other sources. SORTPO will expand on this effort by identifying additional projects that are needed in the county and helping local governments with the identification of funding sources for those projects.

Not all the recommendations are for constructed improvements. In some cases, studies must be conducted to determine if the improvement is warranted (installation of new traffic signals, for example). In other cases, studies should be undertaken to develop a comprehensive set of solutions.

## **Committed Improvements**

The ODOT 8 Year Construction Work Program FY 2017-2024 assembles projects according to anticipated state and federal fund categories. Regarding federally funded projects, the current plan is fiscally balanced in that the total project costs do not exceed the anticipated federal funds. ODOT policy prohibits start of future projects until all funding is in place and federal regulations dictate projects cannot be programmed in the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) unless there is a programmatic and financial game plan for completing the project within six (6) years. Appendix 6.1 includes a list of projects through the year 2040 including projects identified the ODOT 8 Year Construction Work Program for years 2017-2020, CIRB FY 2017-2021, FY 2017-2020 Asset Preservation and other projects such as development of studies, plans, and collection of data identified in Chapter 1 goals and strategies. The development of studies, plans and collection of data can be included in SORTPO's Planning Work Program (PWP).

# **APPENDICES**

## **Appendix A: Resolution 09-04**

#### RESOLUTION NO. 09-04

# CREATION OF THE RURAL TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, local business and community leaders have expressed a strong desire to convene and discuss transportation needs and goals in the eight-county SWODA Region, and

WHEREAS, regional transportation planning is encouraged by legislation of the Federal Highway Administration, and

WHEREAS, SWODA is the federally recognized regional planning organization for the eight-county area, and

WHEREAS, the SWODA Board of Trustees seeks to facilitate the planning process for surface, air and rail development to aid the region in economic development, workforce development, business and industry growth, tourism development and other pursuits;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the South-Western Oklahoma Development Authority does hereby create the Rural Transportation Planning Organization as a standing committee of the Authority.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 13th day of October 2009.

T.L. GRAMLING, Chairman

ATTEST:

Mike Brown
MIKE BROWN, Secretary

# **Appendix B: Resolution 16-06**

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 16-06**

#### **EXPANSION OF THE REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION PLANNING**

#### **ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE**

WHEREAS, local business and community leaders have expressed a strong desire to convene and discuss transportation needs and goals in the sixteen (16) county South Western Oklahoma Development Authority (SWODA) and Association of South Central Oklahoma Governments (ASCOG) region, and

**WHEREAS,** regional transportation planning is encouraged by legislation of the Federal Highway Administration, and

 $\mbox{WHEREAS,}$  SWODA is the federally recognized regional planning organization for the sixteen (16) county area, and

**WHEREAS**, the SWODA Board of Trustees seeks to facilitate the planning process for surface and rail development to aid the region in economic development, workforce development, business and industry growth, tourism development and other pursuits;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Trustees of the South Western Oklahoma Development Authority does hereby expand the Regional Transportation Planning Organization as a standing committee of the Authority.

John Schaufele, Chairman

PASSED AND APPROVED this 8th day of November, 2016

ATTEST:

John Dee Butchee, Secretary

## **Appendix C: Acronyms**

ACS American Community Survey

ADA Americans with Disabilities Act

ASCOG Association of South Central Oklahoma Governments

BNSF Burlington Norther Santa Fe

CA Community Airport

CED Circuit Engineering District

CIP Capital Improvement Program

CIRB County Improvement for Roads and Bridges

C/L County Line

COEDD Central Oklahoma Economic Development District

COG Council of Government

CORTPO Central Oklahoma Regional Transportation Planning Organization

DA District Airport

EDA Economic Development Administration

EJ Environmental Justice

FAST Act Fixing America's Transportation Act

FAT Fatality

FHWA Federal Highway Administration

FTA Federal Transit Administration

FY Fiscal Year

FFY Federal Fiscal Year

GIS Geographic Information System

HHS Health and Human Services

HTF Highway Trust Fund

HWY Highway

INJ Injury

IRI International Roughness Index

JCT Junction

#### 2040 Jackson County LRTP

KCS Kansas City Southern

LEP Limited English Proficiency

LOS Levels of Service

LRTP Long Range Transportation Plan

MAP-21 Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century Act

MI Mile(s)

MPO Metropolitan Planning Organization

MUTCD Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices

NHFN National Highway Freight Network

NHS National Highway System

NODA Northern Oklahoma Development Authority

NORTPO Northern Oklahoma Regional Transportation Planning Organization

NRHP National Register of Historic Places

OARC Oklahoma Association of Regional Councils

ODEQ Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality

ODOT Oklahoma Department of Transportation

OTA Oklahoma Turnpike Authority

PD Property Damage

PHFS Primary Highway Freight System

POE Port of Entry

PPP Public Participation Plan

PWP Planning Work Program

RBA Regional Business Airport

REAP Rural Economic Action Plan

RTPO Regional Transportation Planning Organization

SH State Highway

S/L State Line

SAFETEA-LU Safe, Accountable, Flexible and Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A

Legacy for Users

SORTPO Southwest Oklahoma Regional Transportation Planning

Organization

### 2040 Jackson County LRTP

SPR State Planning & Research

STIP Statewide Transportation Improvement Program

STP Surface Transportation Program

STRAHNET Strategic Highway Network

SWODA South Western Oklahoma Development Authority

TAP Transportation Alternate Program

TAZ Traffic Analysis Zone

UP Union Pacific

US United States

USDA United States Department of Agriculture

USDOT United States Department of Transportation

## **Appendix D: Definitions**

**Accident Severity Index** - A measure of the severity of collisions at a particular location, derived by assigning a numeric value according to the severity of each collision and totaling those numeric values.

**Capacity** - The maximum number of vehicles that can pass over a given section of a lane or roadway in one direction during a given period under prevailing roadway and traffic conditions.

**Census Tracts** - Small areas with generally stable boundaries, defined within counties and statistically equivalent entities, usually in metropolitan areas and other highly populated counties. They are designed to be relatively homogeneous with respect to population characteristics, economic status and living conditions.

**Capital Improvement Plan (CIP)** – A comprehensive schedule of capital improvements needed within the city and establishes a program to accomplish those needs within the city's ability to pay.

**Congestion** - The level at which transportation system performance is no longer acceptable to the traveling public due to traffic interference.

**Environmental Justice (EJ)** - The fair treatment and meaningful involvement of all people regardless of race, color, national origin, culture, education, or income with respect to the development, implementation and enforcement of environmental laws, regulations and policies. In transportation, this requires review of whether the benefits and burdens of transportation investments appear to be distributed evenly across the regional demographic profile and, if necessary, mitigation of such effects.

**Functional Classification** - Identification and categorization scheme describing streets according to the type of service they provide into one of four categories: principal arterials, minor arterials, collectors and local.

**Functionally Obsolete Bridge** - A bridge inadequate to properly accommodate the traffic can be due to inadequate clearances, either horizontal or vertical, approach roadway alignment, structural condition, or waterway adequacy. Any posted bridge which is not structurally deficient would be included in this category. Structures in this category could include narrow bridges.

**General Aviation Airport** - Provide access to the population and economic activity centers of the state.

Level of Service (LOS) - Refers to a standard measurement used by planners

which reflects the relative ease of traffic flow on a scale of A to F with free-flow being rated LOS A and congested conditions rated as LOS F.

**Local Sustaining Economies** - Geographical regions that function with some degree of independence from the rest of the state. The Oklahoma Department of Commerce (ODOC) has identified 47 of these regions.

**Long Range Transportation Plan** - Every state and MPO must develop a long-range transportation plan (LRTP) for transportation improvements, including a bicycle and pedestrian element. The LRTP looks twenty (20) years ahead and is revised every five (5) years.

**Multi-modal** - The consideration of more than one mode to serve transportation needs in each area. Refers to the diversity of options for the same trip; also, an approach to transportation planning or programming which acknowledges the existence of or need for transportation options.

**National Highway System** - Represents four percent (4%) to five percent (5%) of the total public road mileage in the US. This system was designed to contain the follow subcategories:

- A. Interstate- The current interstate system retained its separate identity within the NHS along with specific provisions to add mileage to the existing Interstate subsystem.
- B. Other Principal Arterials- These routes include highways in rural and urban areas which provide access between an arterial route and a major port, airport, public transportation facility or other intermodal transportation facility.
- C. Intermodal Connecting Links- These are highways that connect NHS routes to major ports, airports, international border crossings, public transportation and transit facilities, interstate bus terminals and rail and intermodal transportation facilities.

**National and State Scenic Byways** - Recognize highways that are outstanding examples of our nation's beauty, culture and recreational experience in exemplifying the diverse regional characteristics of our nation.

**Primary Commercial Service Airport** - An airport that receives scheduled passenger service and enplanes 10,000 or more passengers annually, as reported by the FAA.

**Strategic Highway Network (STRAHNET)** - Designation given to roads that provide "defense access, continuity, and emergency capabilities for movements of personnel and equipment in both peace and war." STRAHNET includes Routes (for long-distance travel) and Connectors (to connect individual installations to the Routes). This system includes the Dwight D. Eisenhower

System of Interstate and Defense Highways, identified as strategically important to the defense of the United States.

**Structurally Deficient Bridge** - A bridge can be inadequate to carry legal loads, whether caused by obsolete design standards, structural deterioration, or waterway inadequacy. Structures in this category may include those posted to restrict load limits as well as those closed to all traffic.

**Surface Transportation Program (STP)** - A category of federal transportation funds administered by the Federal Highway Administration and allocated to states and metropolitan areas based on a prescribed formula. This category of funds can provide 80% of the cost to complete transportation improvement projects. These funds are flexible, and can be used for planning design, land acquisition, and construction of highway improvement projects, the capital costs of transit system development, and up to two years of operating assistance for transit system development.

**Traffic Analysis Zones** - A traffic analysis zone is the unit of geography most commonly used in conventional transportation planning models. The size of a zone varies, and will vary significantly between the rural and urban areas. Zones are constructed by census block information. Typically, these blocks are used in transportation models by providing socio-economic data. This information helps to further the understanding of trips that are produced and attracted within the zone.

## **Appendix 1: Performance Measures**

Performance measures for State departments of transportation (State DOT) and Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPO) were established by the Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century Act (MAP-21). This Act transformed the Federal-aid highway program by establishing new requirements for performance management to ensure the most efficient investment of Federal transportation funds. Performance management increases the accountability and transparency of the Federal-aid highway program and provides a framework to support improved investment decision-making through a focus on performance outcomes for key national transportation goals. As part of performance management, recipients of Federal-aid highway funds will make transportation investments to achieve performance targets that make progress toward the following national goals:

- Safety—To achieve a significant reduction in traffic fatalities and serious injuries on all public roads.
- Infrastructure condition—To maintain the highway infrastructure asset system in a state of good repair.
- Congestion reduction—To achieve a significant reduction in congestion on the NHS.
- System reliability—To improve the efficiency of the surface transportation system.
- Freight movement and economic vitality—To improve the national freight network, strengthen the ability of rural communities to access national and international trade markets, and support regional economic development.
- Environmental sustainability—To enhance the performance of the transportation system while protecting and enhancing the natural environment.
- Reduced project delivery delays— To reduce project costs, promote jobs and the economy, and expedite the movement of people and goods by accelerating project completion through eliminating delays in the project development and delivery process, including reducing regulatory burdens and improving agencies' work practices.

State Department of Transportations and Metropolitan Planning Organizations will be expected to use the information and data generated as a result of the new regulations to inform their transportation planning and programming decisions. The new performance aspects of the Federal-aid highway program that result from this rule will provide FHWA the ability to better communicate a national performance story and to assess the impacts of Federal funding investments more reliably.

The FHWA is required to establish performance measures to assess performance in 12 areas 1 generalized as follows:

(1) Serious injuries per vehicle miles traveled (VMT);

- (2) fatalities per VMT;
- (3) number of serious injuries;
- (4) number of fatalities;
- (5) pavement condition on the Interstate System;
- (6) pavement condition on the non-Interstate NHS;
- (7) bridge condition on the NHS;
- (8) performance of the Interstate System;
- (9) performance of the non-Interstate NHS;
- (10) freight movement on the Interstate System;
- (11) traffic congestion; and
- (12) on-road mobile source emissions.

# **Appendix 2: Current Conditions**

Appendix 2.1: Jackson County, Socio Economic Information, 2010-2014

Appendix 2.1: Jackson County, Socio E SEX AND AGE	2010- 2014 ACS	MARGIN OF ERROR	2010-2014 ACS %	
Total population	26,275	****	26,275	
Male	12,996	+/-64	49.5%	
Female	13,279	+/-64	50.5%	
Under 5 years	2,105	+/-39	8.0%	
5 to 9 years	2,080	+/-185	7.9%	
10 to 14 years	1,647	+/-195	6.3%	
15 to 19 years	1,698	+/-107	6.5%	
20 to 24 years	2,162	+/-117	8.2%	
25 to 34 years	3,702	+/-126	14.1%	
35 to 44 years	3,146	+/-108	12.0%	
45 to 54 years	3,256	+/-86	12.4%	
55 to 59 years	1,679	+/-164	6.4%	
60 to 64 years	1,311	+/-148	5.0%	
65 to 74 years	1,900	+/-63	7.2%	
75 to 84 years	1,240	+/-105	4.7%	
85 years and over	349	+/-88	1.3%	
Median age (years)	34.0	+/-0.3	(X)	
18 years and over	19,473	****	74.1%	
21 years and over	18,245	+/-170	69.4%	
62 years and over	4,283	+/-154	16.3%	
65 years and over	3,489	+/-76	13.3%	
65 years and over	3,489	+/-76	3,489	
Male	1,533	+/-36	43.9%	
Female	1,956	+/-58	56.1%	
Race				
Total population	26,275	****	26,275	
One race	24,235	+/-310	92.2%	
Two or more races	2,040	+/-310	7.8%	
Ono raco	24 225	±/ <sub>-</sub> 210	92.2%	
One race White	24,235 19,722	+/-310 +/-348	75.1%	

SEX AND AGE	2010- 2014 ACS	MARGIN OF ERROR	2010-2014 ACS %
Black or African American	1,951	+/-133	7.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native	374	+/-128	1.4%
Cherokee tribal grouping	62	+/-40	0.2%
Chippewa tribal grouping	0	+/-17	X
Navajo tribal grouping	0	+/-17	X
Sioux tribal grouping	0	+/-17	X
Asian	347	+/-57	1.3%
Asian Indian	65	+/-68	0.2%
Chinese	38	+/-38	0.1%
Filipino	111	+/-58	0.4%
Japanese	39	+/-42	0.1%
Korean	38	+/-42	0.1%
Vietnamese	7	+/-11	X
Other Asian	49	+/-63	0.2%
Native Hawaiian /Other Pacific Islander	70	+/-65	0.3%
Native Hawaiian	30	+/-38	0.1%
Guamanian or Chamorro	0	+/-17	X
Samoan	40	+/-50	0.2%
Other Pacific Islander	0	+/-17	X
Some other race	1,771	+/-309	6.7%

Source: 2010-2014 ACS

**Appendix 2.2: Jackson County, Housing Occupancy 2010-2014** 

	2010- 2014 ACS	MARGIN OF ERROR	2010-2014 ACS %
Housing Occupancy			
Total housing units	12,106	+/-85	12,106
Occupied housing units	10,407	+/-258	86.0%
Vacant housing units	1,699	+/-233	14.0%
Homeowner vacancy rate	4.3	+/-2.2	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	5.5	+/-2.3	(X)

Appendix 2.3: Jackson County, Educational Attainment 2010 - 2014 ACS

Appendix 2.3. ja		ΓAL	% OF ENROLLED POPULATION			ION
			In public	c school	In privat	e school
	2010- 2014 ACS	MARGIN OF ERROR	2010- 2014 ACS	MARGIN OF ERROR	2010- 2014 ACS	MARGIN OF ERROR
Population 25 years and over	16,583	+/-94	8,004	+/-66	8,579	+/-70
Less than 9th grade	8.4%	+/-1.5	8.5%	+/-1.5	8.4%	+/-2.0
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	8.3%	+/-1.2	8.0%	+/-1.9	8.7%	+/-1.6
High school graduate/GED	27.6%	+/-1.9	25.6%	+/-2.4	29.4%	+/-2.8
Some college, no degree	26.6%	+/-2.1	28.6%	+/-3.3	24.6%	+/-3.0
Associate's degree	9.3%	+/-1.3	9.8%	+/-1.7	8.8%	+/-1.5
Bachelor's degree	12.8%	+/-1.7	12.7%	+/-2.4	13.0%	+/-2.1
Graduate or professional degree	7.0%	+/-1.1	6.8%	+/-1.4	7.1%	+/-1.7
Percent high school graduate or higher	83.2%	+/-1.8	83.5%	+/-2.1	82.9%	+/-2.6
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	19.8%	+/-2.1	19.5%	+/-2.6	20.1%	+/-2.5

**Appendix 2.4: Jackson County, Housing Units and Vehicles Available 2010–2014 ACS** 

	Occupied housing units			Owner-occupied housing units		Renter-occupied housing units	
	2010- 2014 ACS	MARGIN OF ERROR	2010- 2014 ACS	MARGIN OF ERROR	2010- 2014 ACS	MARGIN OF ERROR	
Occupied Housing Units	10,407	+/-258	6,165	+/-239	4,242	+/-282	
Units in Structure							
1, detached	82.3%	+/-2.0	93.4%	+/-1.4	66.1%	+/-4.2	
1, attached	3.0%	+/-1.1	0.5%	+/-0.5	6.6%	+/-2.7	
2 apartments	1.3%	+/-0.7	0.0%	+/-0.3	3.2%	+/-1.7	
3 or 4 apartments	1.8%	+/-0.8	0.0%	+/-0.3	4.3%	+/-2.1	
5 to 9 apartments	3.2%	+/-1.0	0.0%	+/-0.3	7.9%	+/-2.4	
10 or more apartments	4.1%	+/-1.2	0.1%	+/-0.2	9.9%	+/-2.7	
Mobile home or other	4.4%	+/-0.9	6.0%	+/-1.3	2.0%	+/-0.9	
Vehicles Available							
No vehicle available	5.5%	+/-1.4	2.1%	+/-0.9	10.3%	+/-3.0	
1 vehicle available	34.2%	+/-2.6	24.1%	+/-3.1	48.9%	+/-5.4	
2 vehicles available	39.2%	+/-2.7	44.6%	+/-3.5	31.3%	+/-4.8	
3 or more vehicles available	21.1%	+/-2.2	29.1%	+/-2.8	9.4%	+/-2.8	

Appendix 2.5: Jackson County, Employment Status and Commute to Work  $2010-2014\ ACS$ 

	2010-	MARGIN	PERCENT	MARGIN
	2014	OF		OF
Employment Status	ACS	ERROR		ERROR
Employment Status				
Population 16 years and over	19,894	+/-106	19,894	(X)
In labor force	13,016	+/-381	65.4%	+/-1.9
Civilian labor force	11,818	+/-457	59.4%	+/-2.3
Employed	10,960	+/-500	55.1%	+/-2.5
Unemployed	858	+/-184	4.3%	+/-0.9
Armed Forces	1,198	+/-203	6.0%	+/-1.0
Not in labor force	6,878	+/-391	34.6%	+/-1.9
Civilian labor force	11,818	+/-457	11,818	(X)
Percent Unemployed	(X)	(X)		
Commuting to Work				
Workers 16 years and over	11,885	+/-396	11,885	(X)
Car, truck, van - drove alone	9,755	+/-395	82.1%	+/-2.0
Car, truck, van - carpooled	1,332	+/-224	11.2%	+/-1.9
Public transit -not taxicab	22	+/-24	0.2%	+/-0.2
Walked	344	+/-142	2.9%	+/-1.2
Other means	173	+/-71	1.5%	+/-0.6
Worked at home	259	+/-144	2.2%	+/-1.2
Mean travel time to work (min)	14.4	+/-1.1	(X)	(X)
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Appendix 2.6: Jackson County Occupation and Industry 2010 - 2014 ACS

Appendix 2.6: Jackson County Occupat				
	2010-	MARGIN	PERCENT	MARGIN
Occupation	2014	OF		OF
-	ACS	ERROR		ERROR
Civilian employed population 16 years	10,960	+/-500	10,960	(X)
and over	20,700	, 555	20,700	()
Management, business, science, and	3,112	+/-345	28.4%	+/-2.7
arts occupations	5,112	1/ 343	20.470	1/ 2.7
	2,432	1/207	22.2%	1/2F
Service occupations	2,432	+/-297	22.290	+/-2.5
Sales and office occupations	2,252	+/-275	20.5%	+/-2.4
Natural resources, construction, and	1,624	+/-207	14.8%	+/-1.91
maintenance occupations	,-	, -	- 70	,
Production, transportation, and	1,540	+/-284	14.1%	+/-2.5
material moving occupations	_,0 10	, ===		, =:0
Industry				
mustry				
Civilian employed population 16 years	10,960	+/-500	10,960	(X)
and over				
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and	665	+/-133	6.1%	+/-1.2
hunting, and mining				,
Construction	637	+/-112	5.8%	+/-1.0
		,		·
Manufacturing	975	+/-217	8.9%	+/-2.0
Wholesale trade	181	+/-79	1.7%	+/-0.7
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Retail trade	1,254	+/-199	11.4%	+/-1.9
Transportation and wavelenging and	420	. / 112	2.00/	. / 1 0
Transportation and warehousing, and	430	+/-113	3.9%	+/-1.0
utilities	107	/ 00	1.20/	4.0.0
Information	127	+/-88	1.2%	+/-0.8
Finance and insurance, and real estate	436	+/-140	4.0%	+/-1.2
and rental and leasing		,	110,0	,
Professional, scientific, and	567	+/-203	5.2%	+/-1.8
management, and administrative and	307	., 203	3.270	., 1.0
waste management services				
Educational services, and health care	2,711	+/-283	24.7%	+/-2.4
and social assistance	2,/11	+/-203	24.7 70	+/-2.4
	1 107	. / 2/1	10 10/	1/22
Arts, entertainment, and recreation,	1,106	+/-261	10.1%	+/-2.2
and accommodation and food services	225	. / 07	2.007	. / 0.0
Other services, except public	325	+/-97	3.0%	+/-0.9
administration				
Public administration	1,546	+/-318	14.1%	+/-2.9
		<u> </u>		

Occupation	2010- 2014 ACS	MARGIN OF ERROR	PERCENT	MARGIN OF ERROR
Class of Worker				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	10,960	+/-500	10,960	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	7,199	+/-484	65.7%	+/-3.1
Government workers	3,098	+/-330	28.3%	+/-2.8
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	656	+/-141	6.0%	+/-1.2
Unpaid family workers	7	+/-7	0.1%	+/-0.1

Source: 2010-2014 ACS

Appendix 2.7: Mode of Travel to Work Jackson County, 2010-14 ACS

Mode to Work	2010- 2014 ACS	PERCENT	MARGIN OF ERROR
Total Workers	11,274		+/-421
Drove alone	9757	81.5%	+/-2.4
2-person Carpool	1058	10.3%	+/-1.8
3-or-more-person Carpool	155	1.6%	+/-0.8
Public Transportation	23	0.2%	+/-,.2
Bike	12	0.2%	+/-0.3
Walked	345	2.3%	+/-0.9
Taxi, Motorcycle and Other means	166	1.0%	+/-0.5
Worked at Home	261	2.1%	+/-1.2

Appendix 2.8: Jackson County 2010 Population and Employment by TAZ

RVSD. TAZ NO.	2010 POP.	2010 EMPL.
1	202	35
2	314	75
3	657	65
4	709	25
5	644	20
6	374	35
7	513	30
8	523	40
9	633	50
10	406	35
11	90	75
12	103	25
13	359	125
14	38	155
15	13	45
16	42	205
100	147	25
101	669	35
200	0	5
201	97	205
202	445	45
203	247	0
204	485	0
205	575	0
206	441	0
207	396	95
208	471	105
209	480	0
210	492	125
211	423	75
212	408	250
213	392	0
214	293	150
215	320	0
216	1603	5000
217	3	65

RVSD.	2010	2010 EMPL.
TAZ NO.	POP.	25
218	707	25
219	561	65
220	479	0
221	504	85
222	393	0
223	545	0
224	342	0
225	606	45
226	425	125
227	5	285
228	562	0
229	74	285
230	437	0
231	432	0
232	489	0
233	0	90
234	244	90
235	0	190
236	53	350
237	129	360
238	285	375
239	593	450
240	574	85
241	233	290
242	444	285
243	361	125
244	305	320
245	415	205
246	403	15
247	396	0
248	119	0
249	575	0
250	127	0
251	622	100
231	022	100

Source: SORTPO, Oklahoma Employment Security Commission, American Fact Finders

**Appendix 2.9: Jackson County Major Employers** 

Appendix 2.9: Jac	kson County Major	Employers	S	1	
BUSINESS / INDUSTRY NAME	STREET ADDRESS	CITY	2016 # EMPLOYEES	TAZ	REVISED TAZ
1st National			20-49		
Bank	110 E. Broadway	Altus	20-49	149	149
Ace Hardware	300 Falcon Rd	Altus	10-19	121	121
Agpreference	3120 N. Main	Altus	10-19	103	103
Altus Air Force			5,000		
Base	301 N 1st Street	Altus	5,000	162	162
Altus Christian			30		
Academy	1220 N Grady	Altus	30	12	12
Altus High School	400 N Park Ave.	Altus	100	143	143
Altus					
Intermediate		Altus	62	127	127
School	1221 N Howes St.				
Altus Jr. High	1600 C D. J. I.	Altus	70	157	157
School	1600 S. Park Ln	A14	F0.00	150	150
Altus Police Dept.	509 S Main St	Altus	50-99	150	150
Altus Primary School	1200 Glenda St	Altus	50	158	158
Altus Public	1200 Glenda St				
Works Dept.	1417 N Jackson St	Altus	100-249	153	153
Angel Care	1417 N Jackson St				
Health	1008 N. Main	Altus	10-19	121	121
Applebee's		A1.	<b>5</b> 0.00	400	400
Restaurant	3501 N Main St	Altus	50-99	102	102
Arbys	1201 N. Main	Altus	20-49	135	135
Atwoods	2220 N. Main	Altus	20-49	110	110
Bar-S- Food	500 S Bar S Blvd	Altus	500-999	144	144
Braum's	2505 N. Main	Altus	20-49	112	112
Braum's	515 E. Broadway	Altus	20-49	141	141
Burger King	2516 E. Broadway	Altus	20-49	145	145
Cancer Center of	2010 Li Biodaway				
SW Ok	1200 E. Broadway	Altus	10-19	146	146
Carter Health		Λ1+a	10.10	1/2	1/2
Care	1015 E. Broadway	Altus	10-19	143	143
City of Altus	509 S. Main	Altus	220	150	150
Days Inn Hotel	2804 N. Main	Altus	20-49	103	103
Dish Network	1116 N. Main	Altus	10-19	135	135
Dr Pepper and			20.40		
Snapple	400 1/2 S. Main	Altus	20-49	150	150
English Village	1515 Canterbury	Altus	120	126	126
Manor Nursing	Blvd.	лиз	120	120	120

BUSINESS / INDUSTRY NAME	STREET ADDRESS	CITY	2016 # EMPLOYEES	TAZ	REVISED TAZ
Home					
EZ Go	2516 E. Broadway	Altus	10-19	145	145
First National	110 E. Broadway	Altua	20-49	1 / 1	1./1
Bank Altus	St	Altus	20-49	141	141
Fox Bldg. Supply		Altus	20-49	131	131
& Carpet	2401 E. Broadway	Aitus	20-49	131	131
Frazer Bank	110 E. Broadway St.	Altus	72	149	149
Fred's Famous Fish & Steakhouse	2011 N. Main St.	Altus	20-49	115	115
Gallager Ortho	3216 Main St.	Altus	10-19	103	103
Grace Living Center	2610 Cedar Ave.	Altus	50-99	108	108
Hampton Inn	3601 N. Main St.	Altus	20	102	102
Health Watch Home Health	103 S. Hudson	Altus	20-49	150	150
Helena Chemical	20369 E. CR 158	Altus	10-19	7	7
Herring Bank	721 N. Main St.	Altus	50-99	136	136
Holiday Inn	2812 E. Broadway				
Express	St.	Altus	22	144	144
Home Health Care & Hospice	1204 E. Tamarack Rd.	Altus	10-19	108	108
Human Services Dept.	201 S. Main St. St.	Altus	50-99	150	150
Humphrey's Coop Assoc.	2109 Asphalt Rd.	Altus	36	145	145
INTEGRIS Family Care	201 S. Park Ln.	Altus	20-49	148	148
Jackson County Courthouse	101 N. Main St.	Altus	104	140	140
Jackson County Health Dept.	401 W. Tamarack Rd.	Altus	20-49	140	140
Jackson County Jail	100 N. Hudson	Altus	20-49	140	140
Jackson County Medical Clinic	204 S. Park Ln.	Altus	100-249	145	145
Jackson County Memorial Hospital	1200 E. Pecan St.	Altus	300	146	146
L Mendel Rivers	3000 N. Veterans	Altus	50-99	144	144

BUSINESS / INDUSTRY NAME	STREET ADDRESS	CITY	2016 # EMPLOYEES	TAZ	REVISED TAZ
School	Dr.				
L-3					
Communications	3001 Falcon Rd.	Altus	20-49	107	107
Livestock Nutrition	601 Old Mill Rd.	Altus	10-19	153	153
Mc Donald's	220 E. Broadway St.	Altus	50-99	149	149
Navajo Public School	15695 S. County Rd.	Altus	55	149	149
NBC Bank	123 W. Commerce	Altus	20-49	139	139
Ok-1 Manufacturing Co	709 S. Veterans Dr.	Altus	50-99	129	129
Oklahoma Cotton Coop	20284 E. CR 165	Altus	20-49	130	130
Plantation Village Nursing Center	2610 Cedar Creek	Altus	100-249	108	108
Planter's Coop	1015 E. Cypress St.	Altus	6	143	143
Planters Coop	701 S. Lee	Altus	50-99	153	153
Plaza IV	2512 N. Main St. St.	Altus	20-49	110	110
Putnam Imports	2600 E. Broadway St.	Altus	50-99	144	144
Red River Federal Credit Union	2721 N. Main St.	Altus	20-49	112	112
Red River Van Lines	1707 E. Broadway	Altus	10-19	131	131
Roosevelt Elementary School	1200 Glenda St.	Altus	20-49	158	158
Shamrock Bank			10	13	13
Silva San Juanita Home Care	604 Chris Ave	Altus	10-19	120	120
Sonic Drive-In	1113 N. Main St.	Altus	20-49	135	135
Southwest Dedicated Transportation	601 Eastside Dr.	Altus	40	144	144

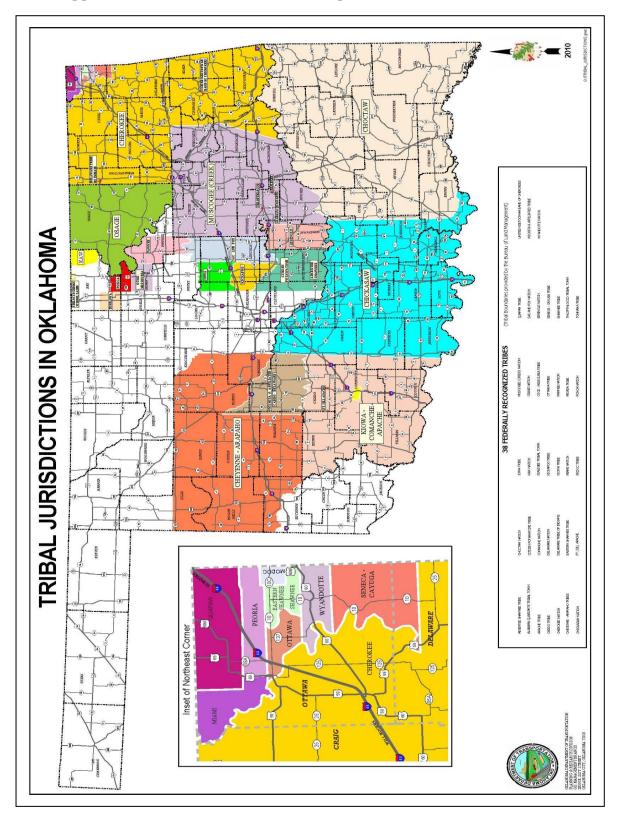
BUSINESS / INDUSTRY NAME	STREET ADDRESS	CITY	2016 # EMPLOYEES	TAZ	REVISED TAZ
LLC					
Southwest Technology Center	711 W. Tamarack Rd.	Altus	20-49	112	112
Southwest Transit	1401 E. Ridge Crest	Altus	20-49	157	157
Southwestern Youth Services	317 N. Hudson	Altus	20-49	138	138
Stockmans Bank	3421 N. Main St.	Altus	10-19	102	102
Sunset Elementary School	1830 Sunset Dr	Altus	20-49	211	211
Taco Bell	1701 N. Main St.	Altus	20-49	118	118
Tamarack Assisted Living Center	1224 E. Tamarack Rd.	Altus	20-49	108	108
United Supermarket	600 E. Broadway St.	Altus	79	148	148
UPS Customer Ctr	1811 E Broadway St	Altus	50-99	117	117
USPS	217 W. Cypress St.	Altus	20-49	138	138
Wal-Mart Super Center	2500 N Main St. St.	Altus	300	110	110
Washington Elementary School	311 E Cypress St.	Altus	20-49	141	141
Western Oklahoma State College	2801 N. Main St. St.	Altus	250	102	102
Western Sizzling Restaurant	3200 N. Main St. St.	Altus	50-99	103	103
Whataburger	2728 N. Main St. St.	Altus	20-49	110	110
Will Rogers Elementary	1100 N Forrest St.	Altus	20-49	122	122
Wilmes Chevrolet & Buick	2215 E. Broadway	Altus	50-99	131	131
Wilmes Ford & Lincoln	108 N. Veterans	Altus	50-99	130	130

BUSINESS / INDUSTRY NAME	STREET ADDRESS	CITY	2016 # EMPLOYEES	TAZ	REVISED TAZ
Wilmes Superstore	108 N Veterans Dr	Altus	20-49	130	130
Wrights Comfort Solutions	1106 N. Spurgeon	Altus	10-19	121	121
All American	105 Zinn St.	Blair	5-9	200	100
Blair Public Schools	610 Zinn St.	Blair	40	201	101
Blair Superette	302 Zinn St.	Blair	10-19	200	101
The People's State Bank	117 E. Main St. St.	Blair	6	200	100
Town of Blair	118 W. Main St.	Blair	5-9	200	100
USPS	111 E. Main St.	Blair	1-4	200	101
American Gypsum Co	18972 US Highway 62	Duke	100-249	400	7
Darby's Big Furniture	129 Main St. St.	Duke	6	400	7
Duke Public School	300 N Chickasaw	Duke	30	400	7
Farmers & Merchants Bank	400 E. 6 <sup>th</sup> St.	Duke		400	7
Reliant Energy		Duke	20-49	400	7
USPS	106 E. 2nd	Duke	1-4	400	7
Eldorado Public Schools	200 7 <sup>th</sup> St.	Eldorado	15	500	8
Farmers' Cooperative Assoc.	18587 St HWY 6	Eldorado	38	500	8
Paupers Corner	102 S. Market	Eldorado	1-4	500	8
USPS	116 N. 4th	Eldorado	1-4	500	8
City of Eldorado	500 SH 6	Eldorado	1-4	500	8
Great Plains Commodities	21080 US HWY 62	Headrick	15	800	13
T&G Sand Plant	21598 E. CR 167	Headrick	5-9	800	13
USPS	310 N. Broadway	Headrick	1-4	800	13
Boars Nest & Grill	522 W. Main St.	Martha	1-4	300	5
Darby's Big Furniture	129 E. Main St.	Martha	5-9	300	5
Farmers & Merchants Bank	101 E. Main St.	Martha	5-9	300	5
Farmers'	304 Walnut St.	Martha	27	300	5

BUSINESS / INDUSTRY NAME	STREET ADDRESS	CITY	2016 # EMPLOYEES	TAZ	REVISED TAZ
Cooperative					
Assoc.					
Shop Around the		Martha	1-4	300	5
Corner	213 E. 2nd	Maltila	1-4	300	
USPS	106 E. Church	Martha	1-4	300	5
Olustee Pit Stop	121 E. 4th	Olustee	1-4	700	9
Olustee Public		Olustee	26	700	9
Schools	606 East 6th St	Olustee	20	700	
USPS	104 E. 4th	Olustee	1-4	700	9

Source: Workforce Improvement Board, Ok Dept. of Commerce

Appendix 2.10: Tribal Jurisdiction Map



## **Appendix 2.11: Environmental and Development Concerns**

The environmental features and constraints were identified using secondary source information from the following: United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA), Oklahoma Geological Survey, Oklahoma Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources, Oklahoma Department for Environmental Quality (ODEQ), United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), United States Department of the Interior Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS), United States Geological Survey (USGS), Oklahoma University Geographic Information System (GIS) and other state and local agencies

Streams are natural corridors that provide habitat for fish, insects, wildlife and recreational benefits to people such as hunting, fishing, boating, bird watching, as well as, aesthetic benefits. Streams also provide drinking water for wild animals, livestock and people. There are two (2) major rivers in the county, supplied by numerous streams; however, following years of extreme drought, many of these steams are dry. As of the origin of this plan, none are on the "watch list" of the Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality (ODEQ) and none are designated as scenic waterways.

State and federal agencies classify plants and animals as threatened or endangered when their numbers are low or declining due to direct destruction (from development or pollution, for example) or loss or degradation of suitable habitat. The presence of a threatened or endangered species in an area is an indicator of a better or good quality environment. However, there is no state or federally listed endangered species specific to Jackson County.

The Special Flood Hazard Area is an area designated width along a stream or river with a 1% chance of flooding annually. These areas are protected to prevent any increase in the risks or severity of possible future floods and to maintain their natural and ecological benefits.

The National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) is a list of properties determined significant in American history, architecture, archaeology, engineering, or culture, by virtue of design or architectural criteria, association with historical persons and events, and/or value for historic or prehistoric information. Under state and federal law, NRHP listed and NRHP eligible properties are afforded equal protection from impact. NRHP properties are designated to help state and local governments, Federal agencies, and others identify important historic and archaeological resources, to ensure their protection, either through preservation, or minimization and mitigation of impact.

**Appendix 2.12: Environmental Features Table** 

DESCRIPTION	LOCATION
Jackson County Courthouse	Altus
Fullerton Dam	Olustee
Red Bed Plains	Jackson
Gypsum Hills	Jackson
Washita Mountains	Jackson
W.C. Baker House	Altus
Frazer Cemetery	Altus
Elmer and Lela Garnett House	Altus
Washita Falls	Altus
Northwestern Railroad Passenger Depot	Altus
Perryman Ranch Headquarters	Duke
Cross Ranch Headquarters	Olustee
Olustee Public Library	Olustee
Olustee Park	Olustee

Source: Oklahoma Historical Society

Appendix 2.13: Jackson County Collision Total, 2012-2016

•	FAT	INCAP INJ	NON INCAP INJ	POSSIBLE INJURY	PROPERTY DAMAGE	TOTAL
Collisions	13	56	185	299	1,401	1,965
Persons	15	74	260	440		789

Source: ODOT Traffic Engineering Div. Collision Analysis and Safety Branch

Appendix 2.14: Jackson County Collisions by Type of Collisions, 2012 – 2016

TYPE OF COLLISION	TOTAL							
I TPE OF COLLISION	FAT	INJ	PD	TOT	PCT			
Rear-End (front-to-rear)	0	478	668	7/01	24.6			
Head-On (front-to-front)	3	4	5	12	0.6			
Right Angle (front-to-side)	1	108	29	318	16.3			
Angle Turning	1	64	172	237	12.1			

TYPE OF COLLISION				TOT	AL	
TIPE OF COLLISION		FAT	INJ	PD	TOT	PCT
Sideswipe Same Direction		0	9	73	82	4.2
Sideswipe Other Direction		1	2	12	15	8.0
Fixed Object		3	95	182	280	14.3
Pedestrian		0	12	3	15	8.0
Pedal Cycle		2	8	3	13	0.7
Animal		0	8	79	87	4.5
Vehicle – Train		0	0	1	1	0.1
Overturn/Rollover		1	55	47	103	5.3
Other Single Vehicle Crash			11	25	36	1.8
Other		1	17	245	263	13.5
	Total	13	54	1,401	1,954	100
	PCT	0.7	27.6	71.7	100	

Source: ODOT Traffic Engineering Div. Collision Analysis and Safety Branch

Appendix 2.15: Jackson County Vehicle by Vehicle Type, 2012 - 2016

VEHICLE TYPE			TOTAL		
VEHICLE I IPE	FAT	INJ	PD	TOT	PCT
Passenger Vehicle-2 Door	1	46	196	243	7.1
Passenger Vehicle-4 Door	5	250	1,057	1,312	38.1
Pickup Truck	4	147	826	977	28.4
Single Unit Truck (2 axles)	0	2	11	13	0.4
Single Unit Truck (3 or more axels)	0	0	5	5	0.1
School bus	0	0	5	5	0.1
Truck/Trailer	0	0	16	16	0.5
Truck-Tractor (bobtail)	0	0	9	9	0.3
Truck-Tractor/Semi-Trailer	0	3	48	51	1.5
Truck-Tractor Double	0	1	1	2	0.1
Motorcycle	0	28	8	36	0.9
Bus/Large Van (9-15 seats)		1	3	4	0.1

VEHICLE TYPE			TOTAL		
VEHICLE I TPE	FAT	INJ	PD	TOT	PCT
Bus (16+ seats)			3	3	0.1
Motorcycle		25	9	34	1.0
Motor Scooter/Moped			1	1	
Motor Home			3	3	0.1
Farm Machinery		1	5	6	0.2
ATV	0	1	0	1	0
Sport Utility Vehicles (SUV)		90	422	512	14.9
Passenger Van	1	16	67	84	2.4
Truck More Than 10,000 lbs.		1	9	10	0.3
Van (10,000 lbs. or less)		9	40	49	1.4
Other		1	103	104	3.0
Total	14	644	3,228	3,886	100
PCT	0.3	17.2	82.4	100	

Source: ODOT Traffic Engineering Div. Collision Analysis and Safety Branch

Appendix 2.16: Jackson County Collision Locations, 2012-2016

	HIGHWAY COLLISIONS			SIONS	CI	ΓY STRE	ET COLL	ISIONS	COUNTY ROAD COLLISIONS TOTAL COLLISION				LLISIONS			
Year	FAT	INJ	PD	ТОТ	FAT	INJ	PD	TOT	FAT	INJ	PD	TOT	FAT	INJ	PD	TOT
2012	2	78	138	218		36	130	166		16	22	38	2	130	290	422
2013	1	64	142	207	1	35	130	166		18	25	43	2	117	297	416
2014	3	60	152	215		31	129	160		19	17	36	3	110	298	411
2015	2	60	144	205	1	33	123	157	1	14	28	43	4	107	294	405
2016	0	42	109	151		25	93	118	2	9	20	31	2	76	222	300
Total	8	304	684	996	2	160	605	767	3	76	112	191	13	540	1,401	1,954

Source: ODOT Traffic Engineering Div. Collision Analysis and Safety Branch

Appendix 2.17: Jackson County Collision by Driver Condition, 2012 - 2016

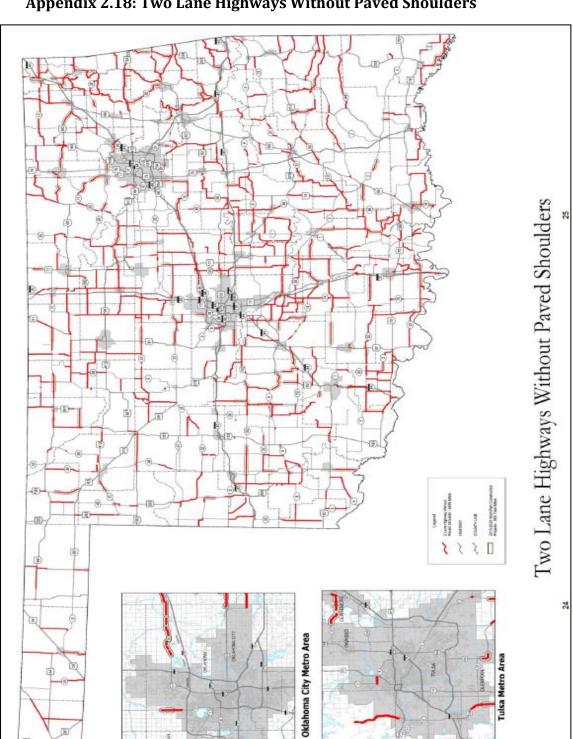
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	Apparently Normal			Ability Impaired			Odor Detect	ed		1					iown lition		Total					
	Fat	Inj *	PD	Fat	Inj *	PD	Fat Inj	PD	Fat	Inj	PD	Fat	Inj	PD	Fat	Inj	PD	Fat	Inj	PD	Total	Pcnt
Failed to Yield		3	1													1			4	1	5	0.2
Failed to Stop	2	87	220			2		1		1			1			8	11	2	97	234	333	10.1
Failed to Signal		45	69		2					1			1			6	5		55	74	129	3.9
Improper Turn		17	63		1			1								1	7		19	71	90	2.7
Improper Start		1	9										1						2	9	11	0.3

Unsafe/ Unlawful						Alco	hol l	nvolv	ved															
	App Nor	arently mal	y		ility paire	d		dor etect	ed		eep spect	ed		g Use cated		_	nown dition		Total					
	Fat	Inj *	PD	Fat	Inj *	PD	Fat	Inj *	PD	Fat	Inj	PD	Fat	Inj	PD	Fat	Inj	PD	Fat	Inj	PD	Total	Pcnt	
Improper Stop		4	6								1									5	6	11	0.3	
Improper Backing			106			1			2						1		1	9		1	119	120	3.6	
Improper Parking		1	1															9		1	10	11	0.3	
Improper Passing		1	22															2		1	24	25	0.8	
Improper Lane		5	30						1									2		5	33	38	1.2	
Left of		1	10													1	1	3	1	2	13	16	0.5	
Following Too Close		30	70														2	6		32	76	108	3.3	
Unsafe	2	77	116		1	1			2			1			1		5	10	2	83	131	216	6.5	
DWI		1	1	1	13	28		8	4					5	11			1	1	27	45	73	2.2	
Inattention	1	102	270		2	1	1	2			12	17			1	1	9	24	3	127	313	443	13.4	
Negligent Driving		2	12														1	3		3	15	18	0.5	
Defective Veh.		11	17			1														11	18	29	0.9	
No Improper	6	373	943						1							1	11	71	7	384	101 5	1406	42.6	
Other	1	32	89			1		1				2				3	11	77	4	44	169	217	6.6	

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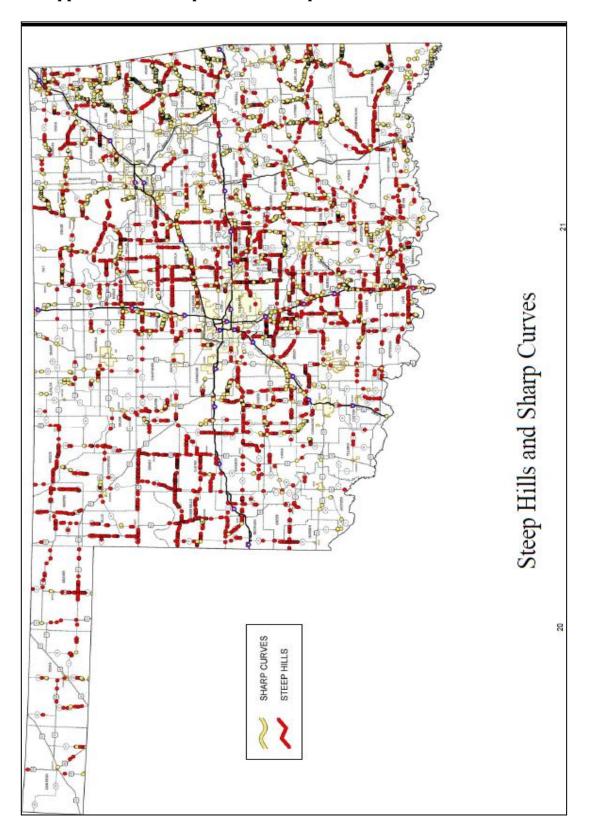
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	Fat	Inj *	PD	Fat	Inj *	PD	Fat Inj	PD	Fat Inj	PD	Fat	Inj	PD	Fat	Inj	PD	Fat	Inj	PD	Total	Pcnt		
Total	12	793	205	1	19	35	1 11	12	15	2		8	14	6	57	24	20	903	237	3299	100		
Percent	0.4	24.	62.3		0.6	1.1	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.		0.2	0.4	0.2	1.7	7.3	0.	27.4	72.	100			

Source: ODOT Traffic Engineering Div. Collision Analysis and Safety Branch



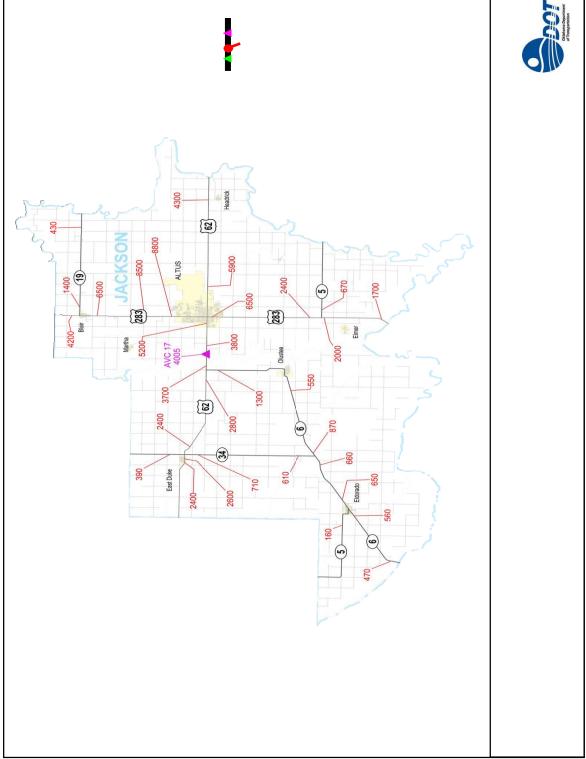
**Appendix 2.18: Two Lane Highways Without Paved Shoulders** 

Appendix 2.19: Steep Hills and Sharp Curves



## Appendix 2.20: Jackson County Traffic Count Data and Map, 2014

Existing traffic conditions were evaluated to provide an overall snapshot of the demand on the roadway system and its current ability to meet that demand. Traffic counts for the SA were obtained from ODOT. Traffic count data for 2014 and the Map illustrating the traffic count location are shown below.



#### **Appendix 2.21: Functional Classification and Road Systems**

Functional classification is the grouping of roads, streets and highways into integrated systems ranked by their importance to the general welfare, motorist and land use structure. It is used to define the role that any particular road should play in providing mobility for through movements and access adjoining land. This grouping acknowledges that roads have different levels of importance and provides a basis for comparing roads fairly.

- Functional classification can be used for, but is not limited to, the following purposes:
- Provide a framework for highways serving mobility and connecting regions and cities within a state.
- Provide a basis for assigning jurisdictional responsibility according to the overall importance of a road.
- Provide a basis for development of minimum design standards according to function.
- Provide a basis for evaluating present and future needs.
- Provide a basis for allocation of limited financial resources.

Historically, one of the most important uses of functional classification of streets has been to identify streets and roads that are eligible for federal funds. The original federal aid primary, federal aid secondary, federal aid urban and national interstate systems all relied on functional classification to select eligible routes. In 1991, the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act (ISTEA) eliminated the primary, secondary and urban federal aid systems and created the National Highway System (NHS). ISTEA continued the requirement that a street, road or highway had to be classified higher than a "local" in urban areas and higher than a "local" and "minor collector" in rural areas before federal funds could be spent on it. The selection of routes eligible for NHS funding was also based on functional criteria. While eligibility for federal funding continues to be an important use for functional classification, it has also become an effective management tool in other areas of transportation planning.

Streets are grouped into functional classes according to the character of service they are intended to provide. Oklahoma's Functional Classification system undergoes a comprehensive review after each decennial US Census. The functional classification of streets includes the following functional classes: Interstate, Freeway, Rural Principal Arterial, Rural Minor Arterial, Rural Major Collector and Rural Minor Collector.

Rural Principal Arterial - A rural principal arterial road includes the following service characteristics:

- Traffic movements with trip length and density suitable for substantial statewide travel.
- Traffic movements between urban areas with populations over 25,000.

- Traffic movements at high speeds.
- · Divided four-lane roads.
- Desired LOS C.

Rural Minor Arterial - A rural minor arterial road includes the following service characteristics:

- Traffic movements with trip length and density suitable for integrated interstate or inter-county service.
- Traffic movements between urban areas or other traffic generators with populations less than 25,000.
- Traffic movements at high speeds.
- Undivided four-lane roads.
- Striped for one or two lanes in each direction with auxiliary lanes at intersections as required by traffic volumes.
- Desired LOS C.

Rural Major Collector - A rural major collector road includes the following service characteristics:

- Traffic movements with trip length and density suitable for inter-county service.
- Traffic movements between traffic generators, between traffic generators, larger cities and between traffic generators and routes of a higher classification.
- Traffic movements subject to a low level of side friction.
- Development may front directly on the road.
- Controlled intersection spacing of 2 miles or greater.
- Striped for one lane in each direction with a continuous left turn lane.
- Desired LOS C.

Rural Minor Collector - A rural minor collector road includes the following service characteristics:

- Traffic movements between local roads and collector roads.
- Traffic movements between smaller communities and developed areas.
- Traffic movements between locally important traffic generators within their remote regions.
- Two-lane undivided roads with intersections at grade and designed to take a minimum interference of traffic from driveways appropriate to a rural setting.
- Striped for one lane in each direction.
- Desired LOS B.

Rural Local Road - A rural local road includes the following service characteristics:

- Two-lane undivided roads with intersections at grade.
- Traffic movements between collectors and adjacent lands.
- Traffic movements involving relatively short distances.
- Desired LOS A.

#### **Level of Service**

Street Capacity: The measure of a street's ability to accommodate the traffic volume along the street.

Level of Service (LOS): A phrase representative of several factors, including speed, travel time, traffic interruptions and operating cost of a traffic facility (roadway), used to measure the quality of the facility.

Level of Service Ranges from LOS A: Indicates good operating conditions with little or no delay, to LOS F, which indicates extreme congestion and long vehicle delays.

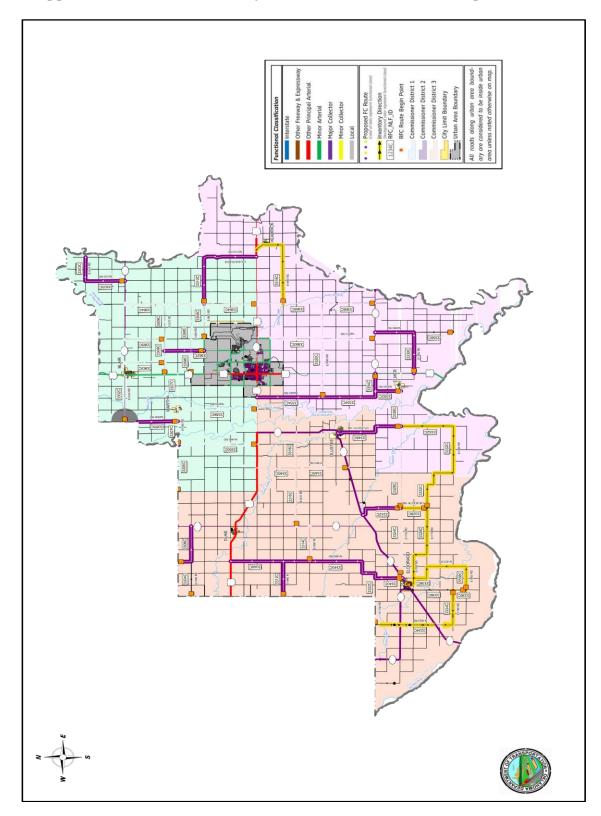
The following is a list of the various LOS with abbreviated definitions from the Highway Capacity Manual:

- LOS A: Describes a condition with low traffic volumes with little or no delays. There is little or no restriction in maneuverability due to the presence of other vehicles. Drivers can maintain their desired speeds and can proceed through signals without having to wait unnecessarily.
   Operating capacity can be measured as less than thirty percent (30%) of capacity.
- LOS B: Describes a condition with stable traffic flow with a high degree of choice to select speed and operating conditions, but with some influence from other drivers. Operating capacity can be measured as less than fifty percent (50%) of capacity.
- LOS C: Describes the beginning of the range of flow in which the operation of individual users becomes significantly affected by interactions with others in the traffic stream. LOS C is normally utilized as a measure of "average conditions" for design of facilities in suburban and urban locations. Operating capacity can be measured as less than sixty-nine percent (69%) of capacity.
- LOS D: Describes high density flow in which speed and freedom to maneuver is severely restricted even though flow remains stable. LOS D is considered acceptable during short periods of time and is often used in large urban areas. Operating capacity can be measured as less than seventy percent (70%) to ninety percent (90%) of capacity.

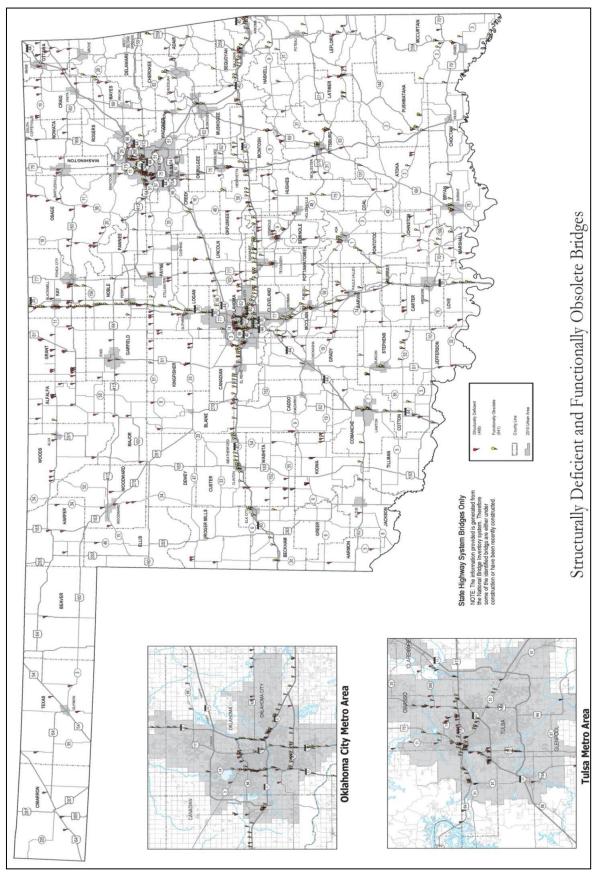
- LOS E: Describes operating conditions at or near capacity. Operations at this level are usually unstable, because small increases in flow or minor disturbances within the traffic stream will cause breakdowns. Operating capacity can be measured as between ninety percent (90%) to ninetynine percent (99%) of capacity.
- LOS F: Is used to define forced or breakdown flow. This condition exists
  whenever the amount of traffic approaching a point exceeds the amount
  that can be served. LOS F is characterized by demand volumes greater
  than the roadway capacity. Under these conditions, motorists seek other
  routes in order to bypass congestion, thus impacting adjacent streets.
  Operating capacity can be measured above one hundred percent (100%)
  of capacity.

Future increases in traffic volume can be traced to population growth and land use development patterns. Capacity and LOS can also be diminished by increasing the number of access points and median cuts on the road network.

Appendix 2.22: Jackson County Functional Classification Map



Appendix 2.23: Structurally Deficient and Functionally Obsolete Bridges



Appendix 2.24: Jackson County On- System Bridges with Sufficiency Rate

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FACILITY	LOCATION	SUFFICIENCY RATE	YEAR BUILT	ADT TOTAL	ADT YEAR
US 283	2.0 MI N Texas S/L	-1	1901	-1	2010
SH 34	2.1 MI N JCT US 62	95.7	1936	420	2015
SH 34	2.8 MI N JCT US 62	95.9	1936	420	2015
US 62	14.4 MI E JCT US 283	70.9	1936	5000	2015
SH 34	1.2 MI N JCT US 62	98.8	1936	420	2015
US 62	12.3 MI E JCT US 283	81.9	1937	5000	2015
SH 5	1.3 MI NW JCT SH 6	83.8	1939	190	2015
US 62	0.6 E. SH 6	-1	1901	-1	-1
SH 5	1.8 MI E JCT US 283	92.2	1953	700	2015
SH 5	2.6 MI E OF JCT US 283	96.2	1953	700	2015
SH 5	0.8 MI NW JCT SH 6	90.2	1955	190	2015
SH 5	4.4 MI NW JCT SH 6	86.8	1939	190	2015
SH 5	6.2 MI NW JCT SH 6	80.5	1939	190	2015
US 62	4.2 MI E JCT SH 34	73.2	1939	2200	2015
SH 5	5.1 MI NW JCT SH 6	77.2	1939	190	2015
SH 6	0.7 NE JCT SH 5	81.1	1945	690	2015
US 62	5.1 MI E JCT US 283	80.4	1930	5400	2015
US 62	6.5 MI E JCT US 283	70.2	1930	5400	2015
SH 6	2.6 NE JCT SH 34	-1	1901	-1	-1
US 62	4.7 MI E JCT US 283	85.8	1930	5400	2015
US 283	0.1 MI N JCT SH 19	95.7	1999	3100	2015
SH 6	5.7 MI NE OF Texas S/L	92.9	2014	470	2015
SH 6	14.2 NE JCT SH 34	97.2	2014	1500	2015
US 283	6.9 MI N Texas S/L	89.9	1932	2100	2015
US 283	3.9 MI N Texas S/L	91.6	1932	1700	2015
US 283	3.2 MI S JCT SH 19	84.9	1932	6200	2015
US 283	7.3 MI N Texas S/L	92.1	1932	2100	2015
US 283	2.0 MI N Texas S/L	74.1	1932	1700	2015
US 62 SD	Park Ln. Shopping Ctr.	89.6	1933	50	2015
SH 6	0.8 MI SW JCT SH 34	96.3	1933	690	2015
SH 6	2.6 MI NE JCT SH 34	72	1933	930	2015
US 62	3.4 MI E JCT US 283	89.1	1933	5900	2015
SH 5	0.9 MI NW JCT SH 6	87.8	1955	190	2015

FACILITY	LOCATION	SUFFICIENCY RATE	YEAR BUILT	ADT TOTAL	ADT YEAR
SH 5	7.8 MI NW JCT SH 6	98.2	1956	190	2015
SH 19	8.9 MI E JCT US 283	97.7	1957	390	2015
SH 34	5.1 MI N JCT SH 6	80.6	1961	550	2015
SH 34	9.4 MI N JCT SH 6	92.8	1961	610	2015
SH 34	1.4 MI N JCT SH 6	93.9	1963	550	2015
US 62	2.6 MI W Tillman C/L	84.9	1968	4200	2015
US 62	0.8 MI W Tillman C/	84.9	1968	4200	2015
SH 6	1.2 MI NE JCT SH 34	87.5	1972	930	2015
US 62	2.2 MI E SH 6	87.8	1973	3900	2015
US 62	2.1 MI E SH 6	87	1973	1950	2015
US 62	0.6 MI E SH 6	70	1973	1950	2014
US 62	3.7 MI E OF Harmon C/L	77.9	1975	2400	2015
US 62	0.8 MI E JCT SH 34	92	1979	2200	2015
US 62	6.2 MI E JCT SH 34	79	1979	2200	2015
US 62	2.1 MI. E. SH 6	98	1983	2100	2015
US 62	0.6 MI E SH 6	100	1983	2100	2015
US 62	Jackson/Tillman C/L	98	1991	2100	2015
US 283	3.0 MI S JCT SH 19	84.9	1999	6200	2015
SH 19	Jackson/Kiowa C/L	77.5	1956	390	2015
US 62	Jackson/Tillman C/L	98	1968	2350	2015
SH 5	2.3 MI N & W JCT SH 6	67.7	1939	190	2015
US 283	Oklahoma-Texas S/L	93.3	1983	1500	2015
SH 6	5.7 MI NE Texas S/L	55.2	1948	470	2012
SH 6	8.8 MI NE JCT SH 34	54.9	1933	1500	2011
US 283	2 MI S JCT SH 19 Blair	97	1932	5920	1999
US 283	.1 MI N JCT SH 19	92.1	1932	3810	1999
US 283	3 MI S JCT SH 19 Blair	97	1932	5920	1999
SH 6	Oklahoma-Texas S/L	2	1931	670	1999
US 283	2.6 MI S JCT US62	94	1932	2500	1999
SH 5	2.3 NW OF SH 6 JCT	-1	1901	-1	-1
SH 6	Oklahoma-Texas S/L	92.7	1993	500	2015

Appendix 2.25: Jackson County Off- System Bridges

LOCATION	SUFFICIENCY	YEAR	ADT	ADT	OWNER
LOCATION	SUFFICIENCE	BUILT	TOTAL	YEAR	OWNER
0.5 W 2.0 S Eldorado	26.9	1950	100	1999	County
4 S 0.6 MI E Duke	34	1940	70	2002	County
3.5 N 2.8 W SH 34 & US 62	97	1993	60	1999	County
3.5 W 1.6 N Eldorado	16.4	1920	50	1999	County
3.0 W 1.5 S Duke	97	1994	60	1999	County
8 W 3.4 MI S Altus	19.2	1930	100	1999	County
5 S 4.6 MI E OF Altus	40.9	1938	100	2011	County
6 E 6.4 MI S OF Altus	87.5	1941	400	2014	County
4 S 0.5 MI E Duke	39.4	1940	70	2002	County
5S 4.6E OF Altus	100	2013	100	2015	County
2 W 1.9 MI S OF Altus	88.1	1937	200	2015	County
2 W 2.9 MI S OF Altus	89.1	1937	200	2015	County
2 W 6.4 MI S OF Altus	82.1	1937	100	2015	County
4.6 MI N OF Friendship	95.9	1938	400	2015	County
.2 MI S of Friendship	99.8	1938	600	2015	County
5 S 2.5 MI E OF Altus	93.1	1939	100	2015	County
5 S 3.2 MI E OF Altus	92.1	1939	100	2015	County
6E 6.9S OF Altus	99.9	2016	400	2015	County
6E 6.4S OF Altus	99.9	2016	400	2015	County
5 S 4.6 MI E OF Altus	92.1	1939	100	2015	County
1.5 S 1.3 W Headrick	80.1	1939	50	2015	County
4.6 MI W OF Elmer	92.1	1938	100	2015	County
7.0 W 0.9 S Martha	91.1	1939	50	2015	County
3.2 N 6.1 W Olustee	93.1	1938	70	2015	County

LOCATION	SUFFICIENCY	YEAR BUILT	ADT TOTAL	ADT YEAR	OWNER
.5 MI E OF Elmer	92.1	1936	200	2015	County
6 E .8 MI S OF Altus	34.2	1990	400	1999	County
0.5 W 3.8 S Eldorado	83	1950	100	2006	County
2.0 N 2.9 W OF Altus	32	1920	50	2004	County
6.0 E 1.7 N Eldorado	95	1920	50	2015	County
3 W 4.1 MI S Martha	86.5	1930	75	2015	County
4.2 N 1.5 E Eldorado	93.9	1930	70	2015	County
1.5 S 7.4 E Eldorado	95	1930	50	2015	County
.1 MI S OF Greer C/L	99.5	1932	4200	2015	County
1.5 S 0.5 W Headrick	91.1	1938	50	2015	County
4 S 2.1 MI E Duke	93.1	1938	70	2015	County
0.5 W 1.2 N Elmer	92.1	1938	100	2015	County
3 E 2.8 MI S OF Altus	97	1936	100	2015	County
3 E 4.9 MI S OF Altus	97	1936	100	2015	County
2.0 S 9.0 E Eldorado	95	1936	50	2015	County
2 MI W OF Martha	32.4	1920	100	2007	County
3.0 W 1.5 S Duke	100	1994	60	2015	County
8.0 W & 3.4 S OF Altus	100	1997	100	2015	County
3.5 W & 1.6 N. Eldorado	100	2001	100	2015	County
1.0 W 2.5 N Elmer	92.1	1940	200	2015	County
0.5 S 0.8 E Blair	35.9	1940	100	2015	County
.1 MI N Hess	93.1	1940	100	2015	County
6.0 E & 0.8 S OF Altus	99.3	2000	2255	2015	County
4.0 S & 0.5E OF Duke	99.9	2001	250	2015	County
4.0S & 0.6E OF Duke	99.9	2001	250	2015	County

LOCATION	SUFFICIENCY	YEAR BUILT	ADT TOTAL	ADT YEAR	OWNER
1.5 E 2.6 S Eldorado	93.1	1940	100	2015	County
2N 2.9W OF Altus	100	2006	50	2015	County
8W .8S US62/US283 Altus	100	2005	100	2015	County
6 E .4 MI S OF Altus	86.9	1960	400	2015	County
1.5 S 3.3 E Eldorado	92	1965	100	2015	County
5 S 0.5 MI W OF Altus	98	1965	100	2015	County
5.1 MI W OF Elmer	100	1970	100	2015	County
2 MI W OF Elmer	72.7	1970	100	2015	County
6 E 3.1 MI S OF Altus	99.9	1991	400	2015	County
9.1 MI E OF Eldorado	100	1992	100	2015	County
3.5 N, 2.8 W SH34 & US62	100	1993	60	2015	County
1.4 S .4 W Eldorado	100	1988	100	2015	County
2 S & 1.5 W OF 283 & 5	100	1990	200	2015	County
4.0 S & 2.0 E OF Blair	98.6	1990	1200	2015	County
1.5 S 2.1 W Headrick	93.1	1940	50	2015	County
3.5 MI E Duke	93.1	1941	100	2015	County
4.5 S 0.8 E Eldorado	91.1	1941	50	2015	County
4.5 W 3.0 S OF Elmer	92.1	1942	60	2015	County
3.1 MILES W Blair	96.9	1950	200	2015	County
0.2 MI W OF Blair	51.9	1950	200	2015	County
4.5 W 1.8 S OF Elmer	85.7	1950	100	2015	County
283 & 62 1.0 S & 5.7 E	100	2000	100	2015	County
1.5S & 0.5E OF Eldorado	84.3	1997	100	2015	County
0.5 W 2.0 S Eldorado	97	1996	100	2015	County
0.5N & 2S OF Eldorado	96.4	1996	100	2015	County

LOCATION	SUFFICIENCY	YEAR BUILT	ADT TOTAL	ADT YEAR	OWNER
2.9 MI W OF Blair	99.9	1982	200	2015	County
3 N 1 MI W Olustee	98	1982	100	2015	County
3 W .1 MI S OF Blair	100	1983	70	2015	County
2.2 MI N Martha	100	1984	70	2015	County
3.4N OF Elmer	99.9	1984	200	2015	County
1.8 MI North Hess	100	1985	100	2015	County
6.7 N 1.5 E Eldorado	100	1986	70	2015	County
1.6 MI E OF Martha	99.9	1980	300	2015	County
1 MI E OF Martha	99.9	1980	300	2015	County
12 S 1.1 MI E Altus	100	1987	70	2015	County
12 S 1.2 MI E Altus	97	1940	70	2015	County
3 E 4.1 MI S Altus	100	1982	100	2015	County
1.0 E 0.5 S OF Warren	52.6	1950	60	2002	County
1.8 N 1. E OF Altus	23.6	1941	3000	1999	Municipal
7.2 E 1. N OF Altus	26.8	1971	100	1999	County
4.7 E 3. N OF Altus	34	1940	24	1999	County
1. N 11.8 W Olustee	17.2	1913	100	1999	County
E1700N2100007	39	1930	50	1999	County
E1710N2110002	19	1915	100	1999	County
3. E 2.6 S OF Duke	27.4	1920	50	1999	County
N1970E1740005	18.8	1920	40	1999	County
N1970E1770005	35.9	1935	100	1999	County
5. E 2.9 N OF Altus	33.9	1939	50	2010	County
2.0 E 0.8 S OF Warren	33.9	1940	50	2010	County
62 & 6 4.E & 1.1 S	33.9	1940	100	2010	County

LOCATION	SUFFICIENCY	YEAR BUILT	ADT TOTAL	ADT YEAR	OWNER
3.7 S 9.5 E Eldorado	32.9	1940	50	2010	County
1.2 E 2.6 S Eldorado	24.4	1940	40	2010	County
.4 N 11.8 W Olustee	24.2	1920	50	2010	County
2. N .8 W OF Olustee	32.9	1930	50	2010	County
3.2 S &1.5 W Olustee	32.9	1930	40	2010	County
1.8 S 6.3 E OF Blair	33.9	1930	50	2010	County
1.6 S 3.2 W OF Duke	32.9	1930	50	2010	County
5.5 N 2. W OF Altus	49.8	1938	60	2012	County
283 & 5 5.5 E 1.7 S	33	1940	30	2010	County
2.8 S 5.6 E Eldorado	34	1940	24	2010	County
6. N 5.9 E OF Altus	32.9	1940	50	2010	County
6.5 MI E OF Ozark	26.9	1929	40	2008	County
283 &5 4.5 E2.6 S	40	1938	50	2015	County
5.4 E 4. N OF Altus	40.9	1939	100	2015	County
2.6 S .7 E Eldorado	24.3	1920	40	2008	County
4.1 S. 2 E JCT. 283 62	32.9	1950	50	2012	County
8.3 W .9 S Olustee	19.2	1930	40	2010	County
1.0 E 2.6 N OF Altus	48.2	1940	400	1999	County
E1710N2030002	32.9	1939	100	1999	County
E1610N1900009	97	1950	50	1999	County
E1670N2090009	38.9	1940	100	1999	County
5.8 E 2. S Altus	70.3	1938	50	2004	County
5.6 E 4. N OF Altus	60.3	1940	50	1999	County
5 N 1 MI E OF Altus	25.5	1940	400	2002	County
1.0 N 6.8 W OF Altus	21.4	1930	100	1999	County

LOCATION	SUFFICIENCY	YEAR BUILT	ADT TOTAL	ADT YEAR	OWNER
2.4 N 1.5 W OF Blair	39	1940	40	1999	County
E1670N2070001	35.9	1940	100	1999	County
N2110E1700008	19.9	1940	30	1999	County
2.0 W 1.7 N OF Blaine	19.4	1940	30	1999	County
1.5 E 4.2 S Eldorado	29.9	1940	100	1999	County
2.0 S 1.3 E Friendship	50	1994	50	1999	County
N2080E1680009	33.9	1940	100	1999	County
5 N 2.7 MI E OF Altus	18	1940	800	1999	County
3.0 N 2.7 W OF Altus	25.6	1910	50	1999	County
N2010E1650006	33.9	1941	100	1999	County
N1950E1840009	34.9	1920	100	1999	County
5E 3.5N OF US 62 & US 283	87.2	2009	50	2015	County
4W, 2S OF US 62 & US 283	97	2009	50	2015	County
7E 3.1N OF JCT US62&283	96.4	2009	50	2015	County
8.3W, .9S OF Olustee	100	2011	40	2015	County
283 & 62 4.0 E 5.1 S	93.1	1937	50	2015	County
1.9 N 3.8 W OF Olustee	93.1	1937	50	2015	County
3.7S 1.9W OF Duke	93.1	1937	50	2015	County
1.0 W 3.2. S Blair	91.1	1938	30	2015	County
5W 2.1S OF SH34/US62	97	2012	100	2015	County
5.5N 2W OF Altus	100	2014	60	2015	County
1.3W .7S OF Duke	100	2016	50	2015	County
Olustee 2S & 2.2 W	93.1	1939	50	2015	County
7.0 M S Olustee	92.1	1939	40	2015	County
4.5 E 2. N OF Altus	86.9	1939	25	2015	County

LOCATION	SUFFICIENCY	YEAR BUILT	ADT TOTAL	ADT YEAR	OWNER
7.0 M S 0.1 E Olustee	93.1	1939	40	2015	County
3. N 1.9 W OF Altus	92.1	1939	100	2015	County
283 & 61 1.0 S & 10.7 E	93.1	1939	60	2015	County
.5 S 1. W OF Blair	35.9	1939	50	2015	County
1.5 N 4.6 E Eldorado	93.1	1939	50	2015	County
1.4 N 4.6 E Eldorado	93.1	1939	50	2015	County
.9 S 8.3 W Olustee	92.1	1939	40	2015	County
.4 N 3. W OF Blair	91.1	1939	50	2015	County
4.1 N 1. W OF ELM	93.1	1939	50	2015	County
4.3N 3E US62/283 Altus	96	2000	100	2015	County
7S 0.2E OF US-62/US-283	100	2009	50	2015	County
2.0 W. OF Martha	99.9	2009	100	2015	County
7W & 2.2N OF US 62	100	2009	30	2015	County
.5W, 3.8S Eldorado	97	2008	100	2015	County
3.9 S 1.4 E OF Duke	93.1	1939	50	2015	County
6.0 E 1.4 N OF Blair	32.1	1940	24	2014	County
1.0 E 1.4 S OF Warren	32.9	1940	50	2014	County
4.5 S 0.4 E OF Blair	64.5	1938	100	2015	County
1.8 N 4.8 W OF Olustee	93.1	1938	50	2015	County
283 & 5 5.0 E & 4.2 S	93.1	1938	30	2015	County
Olustee 8.0 S & 2.4 W	93.1	1938	50	2015	County
1.1 S 1. W OF Blair	66.1	1939	30	2015	County
2.9 N 2. W OF Altus	93.1	1939	100	2015	County
2. W 1.7 N OF Altus	93.1	1939	60	2015	County
.6 N 5. W OF Altus	93.1	1939	60	2015	County

LOCATION	SUFFICIENCY	YEAR BUILT	ADT TOTAL	ADT YEAR	OWNER
283 & 62 7.0 E & 2.6 S	93.1	1939	50	2015	County
1.1W&3.M S Duke	93.1	1939	50	2015	County
2.0 S 9.9 W OF Martha	93.1	1938	40	2015	County
7.2 W .9 S Olustee	93.1	1938	40	2015	County
1.0 N 2.8 W OF Altus	92	1938	50	2015	County
E1750N2040007	91.1	1938	100	2015	County
1.2 N 5.6 E OF Blair	93.1	1938	30	2015	County
1.5 W & 9.4 S Olustee	93.1	1936	40	2015	County
0.5 W 1.1 N Headrick	96	1937	50	2015	County
283&62 3.0 S &2.9 W	24.9	1913	25	2015	County
.4 S 2.4 W Eldorado	92.1	1937	60	2015	County
Olustee 2 N & 4.8 W	93.1	1937	50	2015	County
1.0 S & 1.1 W. OF Duke	29.9	1938	50	2015	County
1.3 W & 0.7 S OF Duke	26.9	1938	50	2014	County
E1680N2060009	33.9	1950	50	1999	County
1.5 W 1.2 N OF Blair	68	1940	50	2004	County
2.8 S & 2.4 M E Duke	28.4	1930	100	2004	County
N2030E1650001	39.6	1999	500	2010	County
5.7 E 2. S Altus	32.9	1989	50	2002	County
.9 S 7. W OF Olustee	24.5	1920	24	2004	County
.7 N .9 E Humphreys	33.9	1985	50	2002	County
4.0 E 2.8 N OF Altus	49.3	1946	100	1999	County
1.6 N 3.6 W OF Duke	33.9	1940	100	1999	County
E1670N2100005	35.9	1950	100	1999	County
1.8 S & 1.1E Duke	81.1	1920	100	2015	County

LOCATION	SUFFICIENCY	YEAR BUILT	ADT TOTAL	ADT YEAR	OWNER
2. S 5.8 W OF Olustee	73.5	1930	50	2015	County
3.S & 2.8 W. OF Olustee	32.9	1930	40	2014	County
1.8S&.6E Duke	39.9	1930	100	2015	County
.9 S .5 E OF Olustee	95	1930	50	2015	County
N1970E1770002	48.5	1935	40	2015	County
.6 S 5.9 E OF Duke	93.1	1938	24	2015	County
4.0 N 2.7 W OF Altus	63.6	1938	30	2015	County
.8 S .8 W OF Blair	93.1	1938	50	2015	County
3.0 N 1.2 E OF Altus	64.5	1938	100	2015	County
1. S 1.3 E Friendship	93.1	1938	40	2015	County
2.6 E 2. N OF Ozark	93.1	1938	40	2015	County
3.7 E 1. S Friendship	93.1	1938	40	2015	County
1.5 N 1.4 W Headrick	92.1	1938	40	2015	County
1.5 N .1 E Headrick	92.1	1938	50	2015	County
.3 E 1.5 N Headrick	92.1	1938	50	2015	County
283 & 62 1.0E & 2.9S	92.1	1938	40	2015	County
.4 S 5.6 E Eldorado	93.1	1938	50	2015	County
1.5W &11.3 S Olustee	87.8	1938	40	2015	County
3.7W&1S Duke	82.1	1938	50	2015	County
3. E .3 N OF Duke	91.1	1938	40	2015	County
.6 S 4. E OF Duke	65.1	1938	50	2015	County
5 E & 7.5 S OF 283 & 19	64.5	1938	50	2015	County
.5 N .6 W OF Duke	93.1	1938	50	2015	County
2.2 N 4.6 E Eldorado	93.1	1938	50	2015	County
283 & 5 6.0E &0.9S	92.1	1938	30	2015	County

LOCATION	SUFFICIENCY	YEAR BUILT	ADT TOTAL	ADT YEAR	OWNER
1.5W &7.6 S Olustee	61.2	1936	40	2015	County
1.1 N 4.5 W Olustee	97	1936	50	2015	County
7. S & 1/4 E OF Altus	35.9	1940	50	2008	County
3.5 S 5.6 E Eldorado	32	1940	30	2007	County
7E 3.1N OF JCT US62/US283	36.9	1950	50	2007	County
7.0 W 2.2 N OF Altus	19.8	1940	30	2008	County
4. N 5.5 E OF Altus	36.9	1990	50	2007	County
0.5 E & 1.0 N OF Duke	100	1993	50	2015	County
283 & 62 2.0 S &3.5 E	66.5	1940	50	2015	County
4. N 5.8 E OF Altus	93.1	1940	100	2015	County
5.5 S 7.4 E OF Blair	48.9	1940	50	2015	County
283 & 62 1.0 S & 10.6 E	92.1	1940	60	2015	County
1.0 W 1.6 S OF Blaine	58.5	1940	30	2015	County
4.3 N .8 W OF Olustee	31.9	1940	50	2014	County
3.0 E 2.5 N Friendship	36.9	1940	60	2015	County
3.4 S 9.E OF Blair	36.9	1940	50	2015	County
5.9 MI N OF Altus	93.1	1940	80	2015	County
3.8 N 1.8 W OF Olustee	93.1	1940	50	2015	County
283 & 5 6.5 E 0.9 N	56.5	1940	30	2015	County
1.9 N 4.6 E Eldorado	93.1	1940	50	2015	County
283 & 5 4.5E &1.8 S	84.8	1991	50	2015	County
1.8 S .4 W OF Blair	68.3	1940	25	2015	County
.1 W .8 S OF Blair	41	1940	50	2015	County
283 &62 2.0 S & 0.5E	52.2	1940	60	2015	County
7.0 E 0.6 N OF Altus	80	1940	50	2015	County

LOCATION	SUFFICIENCY	YEAR BUILT	ADT TOTAL	ADT YEAR	OWNER
62&6 2E 71.2S	90.1	1940	24	2015	County
3.2 N .8 W OF Olustee	92.1	1940	50	2015	County
1.6 N `.8 W OF Olustee	93.1	1940	50	2015	County
2.0 N 0.5 E Blair	54.4	1940	50	2015	County
3.5 S 0.6 E OF Blair	64.5	1940	70	2015	County
1.5 S 0.9 OF Blair	64.5	1940	100	2015	County
3.0 E & 2.6 S OF Duke	100	2002	50	2015	County
5.0 N & 2.7 E OF Altus	99.8	2001	800	2015	County
2.0W & 1.7S OF Blair	100	2001	50	2015	County
62 & 34 .9 W.	90.1	1940	100	2015	County
283 & 62 7.0 S 1.3 W	65.1	1940	50	2015	County
283 & 62 4.0 S & 0.4 W	49.9	1940	50	2015	County
5.5 M E OF Olustee	74.7	1940	50	2015	County
283 & 5 2.0 N 1.1E	68.3	1940	50	2015	County
283 % 1.0 N 2.2 E	93.1	1940	50	2015	County
5.7E & 2.0S OF Altus	100	2003	100	2015	County
5.0N & 1.0E OF Altus	99.8	2002	800	2015	County
1.3E OF Friendship	97	2002	50	2015	County
6.5E US283 1 NE Humphreys	100	2004	50	2015	County
8.0E OF Blair, 0.5S SH-19	100	2003	60	2015	County
2.8S 2.4E OF JCT US62/SH3	100	2005	100	2015	County
1.5W 1.2N OF Blair	96	2005	50	2015	County
.9 S AND 7 W OF Olustee	91	2003	24	2015	County
283 &62 4.0S &2.2E	77.6	1940	50	2015	County

LOCATION	SUFFICIENCY	YEAR BUILT	ADT TOTAL	ADT YEAR	OWNER
283 & 5 1.0 N 2.8 E	80.2	1940	50	2015	County
5.6N of SH5	-1	1901	100	2014	County
283 & 5 2.0E 0.1 S	97	1953	50	2015	County
Ordance & .3N Broadway	96.9	1961	200	2015	Municipal
4.0 N & 3.2 E OF Altus	99.9	1992	300	2015	County
7 <sup>th</sup> St. & .7 W Hughes	90.1	1950	100	2015	Municipal
Taylor & 6 <sup>th</sup> St.	97	1997	100	2015	Municipal
3. S 1.1 W OF Ozark	100	1993	50	2015	County
3. S 3.1 E OF Altus	100	1993	60	2015	County
2.0 S 1.3 E Friendship	100	1994	50	2015	County
5.5 W & 1.2 S OF Elmer	94	1930	40	2015	County
.5W of Humphreys	-1	1901	100	2014	County
.1S 9.E OF Blair	100	1987	50	2015	County
1.8S&.3E Duke	97	1988	100	2015	County
Olustee2.2S3.5W	100	1988	60	2015	County
1.6E .6N OF Hendrick	100	1989	50	2015	County
1.0N & 0.2W-Friendship	99.8	1990	800	2015	County
62&6 1S &2.3E	100	1990	50	2015	County
1 N 0.8 E OF Blair	54.4	1940	60	2015	County
.5S 1W OF Blair	-1	2017	50	2015	County
283 & 62 8.0E & 4.8 S	96	1950	50	2015	County
3.5 S & 1.5 W Olustee	100	1998	100	2015	County
2.4 N 1.5 W OF Blair	97	1996	40	2015	County
6.5E & 3.0S OF Altus	100	1995	50	2015	County
4S &2.9E OF Altus	96.8	1997	50	2015	County

LOCATION	SUFFICIENCY	YEAR BUILT	ADT TOTAL	ADT YEAR	OWNER
283 & 62 6.0S &6.7 E	100	1996	50	2015	County
283 &62 4.0E &4.9 S	97	1996	30	2015	County
1.5E, 1.5S OF Humphreys	95.8	1996	30	2015	County
3S & 7E OF Eldorado	88.8	1997	40	2015	County
5W &1N OF Duke	80.2	1997	100	2015	County
Park Ln. & Trail Dr.	100	1998	400	2015	Municipal
3.0 N & 2.7 W OF Altus	100	1998	100	2015	County
1S 1.4W of SH19/US283 JCT	-1	1901	50	2015	County
1.8S&2.6E Duke	98	1982	100	2015	County
0.2 MI S Humphreys	100	1983	50	2015	County
.4 N 1. E OF Duke	98	1983	100	2015	County
283&62 1.S &4.0E	97	1984	100	2015	County
5.0 E 2.0 N OF Altus	100	1986	100	2015	County
3.5 S 8.4 E OF Blair	46	1987	40	2015	County
5 N 5.4 MI E OF Altus	96	1987	800	2015	County
2. E 1.2 N OF Altus	39.5	1992	1500	1999	Municipal
Park Ln. & .4 N Falcon	80.9	2014	3050	2015	Municipal
Concord & Gettsyburg	97	2016	100	2015	Municipal
Veterans & .2 N OF US-62	81.3	1940	7750	2015	Municipal
Veterans & .8 S Tamarack Rd.	80.7	2000	1550	2015	Municipal
Tamarack Rd. & Gettysburg	93.3	2000	1050	2015	Municipal
Falcon & .3 E Veterans	77.9	1957	6350	2015	Municipal
Tamarack Rd. & N. Ridge	90.5	1979	1050	2015	Municipal
2.0 E. & 1.2 N. OF Altus	77.1	1941	3000	2014	Municipal

LOCATION	SUFFICIENCY	YEAR BUILT	ADT TOTAL	ADT YEAR	OWNER
Falcon & .4 E Veterans	77.1	1945	6355	2015	Municipal
Stonehocker & 6 <sup>th</sup> St.	94.5	1997	200	2015	Municipal

#### Appendix 2.26: National Highway Freight Network - Oklahoma

The NHFN includes the following subsystems of roadways:

- Primary Highway Freight System (PHFS): This is a network of highways identified as the most critical highway portions of the US freight transportation system determined by measurable and objective national data. The network consists of 41,518 centerlines miles, including 37,436 centerline miles of Interstate and 4,082 centerline miles of non-Interstate roads.
- Other Interstate portions not on the PHFS: These highways consist of the remaining portion of Interstate roads not included in the PHFS. These routes provide important continuity and access to freight transportation facilities. These portions amount to an estimated 9,511 centerline miles of Interstate, nationwide, and will fluctuate with additions and deletions to the Interstate Highway System.
- Critical Rural Freight Corridors (CRFCs): These are public roads not in an urbanized area which provide access and connection to the PHFS and the Interstate with other important ports, public transportation facilities, or other intermodal freight facilities.
- Critical Urban Freight Corridors (CUFCs): These are public roads in urbanized areas which provide access and connection to the PHFS and the Interstate with other ports, public transportation facilities, or other intermodal transportation facilities.

Primary Highway Freight System (PHFS) Routes					
ROUTE No.	START POINT	END POINT	LENGTH (MILES)		
Creek Type	I44	U75	4.9		
I240	I44	I35	4.61		
I244	OK3R	I44	3.52		
I35	TX/OK Line	OK/Ks Line	236.13		
I40	TX/OK Line	I35	151.76		
I40	I35	OK/AR line	177.96		
I44	I240	4.68 Miles North of I40	7.92		
I44	I35	OK/MO Line	194		
U412	OK6P	I44	6.4		
Subtotal			787.19		

PHFS Intermodal			
Connectors			
		FACILITY	LENGTH
FACILITY ID	FACILITY NAME	DESCRIPTION	(MILES)
		21st St. (33rd W.	
OK2L	Williams	Avenue to Burlington	
UKZL	Pipeline Station	Northern RR at 23rd	
		St.)	1.27
	Rurlington	23rd St. (BN Terminal	
OK3R	Burlington Northern	to Southwest Avenue)	
UKSK	Railroad	SW Avenue (23rd St. to	
	Kaiii oau	I-244 ramp.)	0.56
OK5P	Port of Catoosa	SR 266 (Port to US	
OKSF	POIL OI GALOUSA	169)	11.42
	Johnston's Port		
OK6P	33 (Verdigris	From US 412/NS 414,	
OKOP	River near	south 0.25 miles, east 1	
	Muskogee)	mile to Terminal	1.14
Subtotal			14.39
PHFS TOTAL			801.58

Interstate Not on the PHFS			
ROUTE No.	START POINT	END POINT	LENGTH (MILES)
I235	I40	I44	5.14
I240	I35	I40	11.68
I244	S. 21st St.	I44	12.24
I44	TX/OK Line	I240	114.91
	0.35 miles S. of		
I44	S66	I35	7.7
I444	I244 S	I244 N	2.5
Subtotal			154.15

### **Appendix 3: Future Conditions**

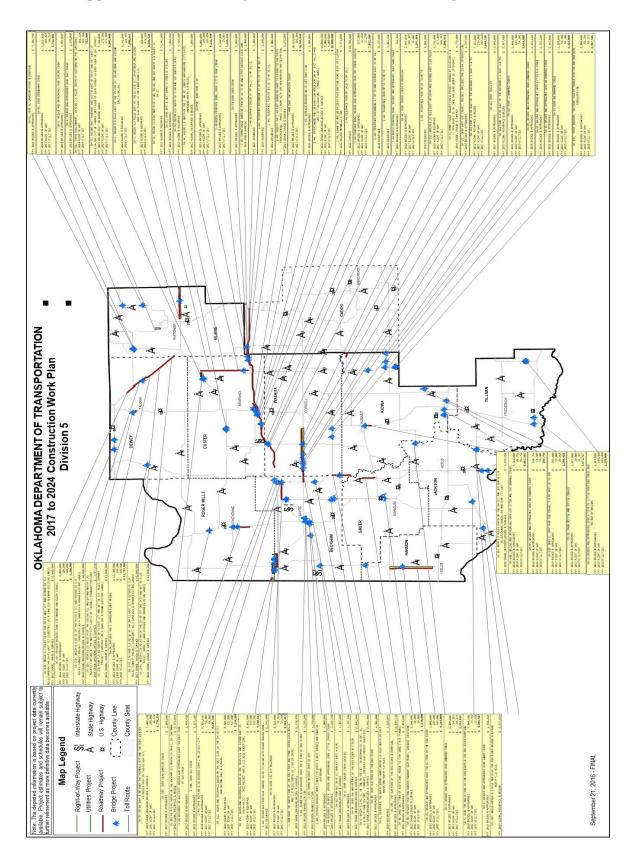
Appendix 3.1: Jackson County 2040 Population and Employment Projections by TAZ

RVSD.	2010 POP.	2040	2040
TAZ NO.		POP.	EMPL.
1	202	215	35
2	314	345	75
3	657	675	65
4	709	725	25
5	644	655	20
6	374	400	35
7	513	515	30
8	523	525	40
9	633	630	50
10	406	415	35
11	90	110	80
12	103	110	25
13	359	375	125
14	38	45	160
15	13	15	45
16	42	59	235
100	147	150	25
101	669	675	35
200	0	0	5
201	97	505	215
202	445	500	50
203	247	300	0
204	485	600	0
205	575	760	0
206	441	750	0
207	396	405	100
208	471	545	135
209	480	500	0
210	492	495	135
211	423	500	100
212	408	475	260
213	392	419	0
214	293	300	165

RVSD. TAZ NO.	2010 POP.	2040 POP.	2040 EMPL.
215	320	365	0
216	1603	2000	5550
217	3	15	70
218	707	800	25
219	561	575	65
220	479	525	0
221	504	550	90
222	393	393	0
223	545	545	0
224	342	345	0
225	606	610	45
226	425	435	145
227	5	5	315
228	562	575	0
229	74	75	325
230	437	440	0
231	432	442	0
232	489	500	0
233	0	0	100
234	244	255	100
235	0	0	205
236	53	55	375
237	129	130	370
238	285	285	400
239	593	600	475
240	574	600	95
241	233	245	315
242	444	445	295
243	361	370	145
244	305	320	325
245	415	425	222
246	403	415	15
247	396	400	0
248	119	135	0
249	575	600	0
250	127	135	0
251	622	630	110

Source: SORTPO

Appendix 3.2: ODOT 8-year Construction Work Program 2017-2024



## **Appendix 4: Financial**

**Appendix 4.1: Federal Funding Categories** 

Streets &	
Highways	
Federal Highway Administration Formula Program Federal Highway	<ul> <li>Bridge Replacement and Rehabilitation (BR)</li> <li>Congestion Mitigation/Air Quality (CMAQ)</li> <li>Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP)</li> <li>Interstate Maintenance (IM)</li> <li>National Highway System (NHS)</li> <li>Surface Transportation Program (STP) (Statewide, Urbanized Area, Enhancement and Safety)</li> <li>American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA</li> <li>Demonstration Funds</li> <li>High Priority Projects (HDP)</li> </ul>
Administration Discretionary Programs:	<ul> <li>High Priority Projects (HPP)</li> <li>Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS)</li> <li>Transportation Community Systems Preservation (TCSP)</li> <li>Other Discretionary Earmarks</li> </ul>
Federal Transit Administration Formula Programs	<ul> <li>Sec. 5307 – Urbanized Area Funds (Oklahoma City UZA and Norman UZA)</li> <li>Sec. 5310 – Elderly and Persons with Disabilities Program</li> <li>Sec. 5311 – Non-Urbanized Area Formula Program</li> <li>Sec. 5316 – Jobs Access and Reverse Commute (JARC)</li> <li>Sec. 5317 – New Freedom (NF)</li> <li>Congestion Mitigation/Air Quality (CMAQ) – Transferred from FHWA to FTA</li> </ul>
Federal Transit Administration	Discretionary Programs: • Sec. 5309 – Discretionary Capital Program • Other Discretionary Earmarks
Public Transit Revolving Fund	
Railroad	

Source: FHWA

**Appendix 4.2: Funding Category Summary** 

State	FUNDING ELIGIBILITY
County Equipment Revolving Fund	
Industrial, Historic site and Lake Access Funds	Can be used on city streets and county roads.
County Improvements for Roads and Bridges, (CIRB)	Only contract projects let thru ODOT
Federal	
Federal Bridge Funds Bridge Replacement Funds (BR)	Bridge < 50 sufficiency rating & functionally obsolete or structurally deficient.
Bridge Rehabilitation (BH)	Bridge between 50 & 80 sufficiency rating.
Preventive Maintenance (PM)	Must have a systematic process for project selection.
Safety Bridge Inspection	
	Mandated by the Federal Highway
	Administration, FHWA, on bridge length
	structures.
Surface Transportation	Road projects, grade, drain and surface on
Program	county major and minor collectors. Funding
	may provide up to 80 percent of the
	construction costs. Local governments fund the
	remaining 20 percent match plus costs for
Emanger on Dalie (CD) Fronds	engineering, right of way and utility relocation.
Emergency Relief (ER) Funds	Disaster funding.
Emergency Transportation and	The funds are split amongst the eight CEDs.
Revolving Fund (ETR)	Counties can apply to their CED and borrow any amount of money from the fund.
Circuit Engineering District	
Revolving fund	
County Road & Bridge	County Built, contract projects and
Improvement Fund (CBR)	maintenance on roads/bridges

**Appendix 4.3: Apportionment of Statutory Revenues** 

Appendix 4.3: Appo	FY 2011-12	FY 2012-13	FY 2013-14	FY 2014-15
Circuit Engineering District Revolving Fund	\$4,463,612.89	\$3,759,042.61	\$4,257,973.22	\$3606,553.448
Counties for Bridge & Road Improvement	\$29,469,291.00	\$24,556,139.05	\$28,025,910.64	\$23,430,017.08
Counties for Roads	\$233,167,431.04	\$224,693,222.81	\$252,415,798.31	\$254,470,157.23
County Improvement Road and Bridge Revolving Fund	\$96,381,44.43	\$99,297,039.31	\$129,693,227.84	\$138,133,545.79
County Road Fund	\$16,567,078.24	\$17,075,040.15	\$18,701,249.31	\$17,701,249.31
County Road Improvement Revolving Fund	\$23,162,249.21	\$23,869,001.05	\$26,138,425.71	\$26,138,425.71
High Priority State Bridge Revolving Fund	\$6,3036,200.98	\$5,932,688.65	\$6,159,069.25	\$6,225,331.10
Public Transit Revolving Fund	\$3,850,000.00	\$3,850,000	\$3,850,000	\$3,850,000
Railroad Maintenance Fund	\$666,387.67	\$716,415.44	\$837,887.56	\$826,792.79
Rebuild Oklahoma Access & Driver Safety Fund	\$250,700,000.00	\$292,400,000.00	\$352,100,000.00	\$411,800,000.00
State Hwy. Construction & Maintenance Funds	\$2,079,421.18	\$3,123,679.15	\$7,246,116.42	\$4,785,497.76
State Transportation Fund	\$208,864,879,28	\$204,316,899.57	\$213,905,376.86	\$214,115,706.14

Source: Oklahoma Tax Commission

Appendix 4.4: Jackson County CIRB Funding FY 2015-2019

	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	TOTAL
Jackson	\$6,273,247	\$482,500	\$582,500	\$2,857,500	0	\$9,195,747
County						

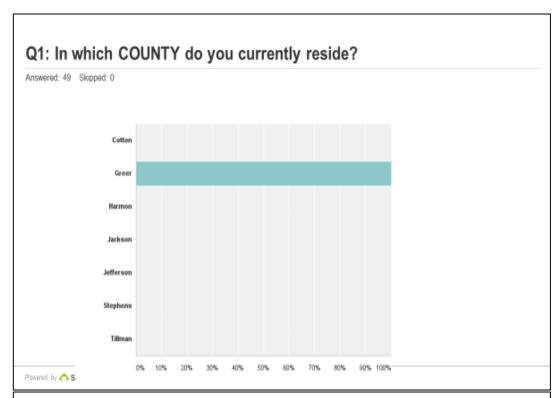
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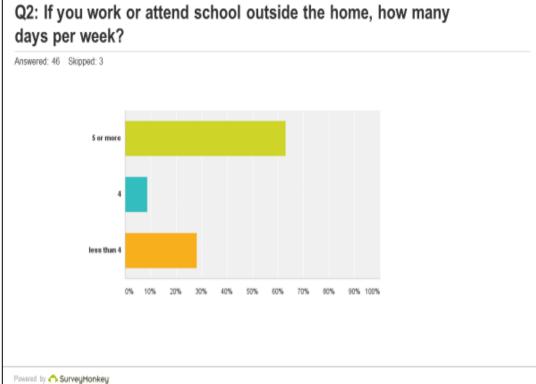
**Appendix 5.1: Jackson County Socio Economic Characteristics** 

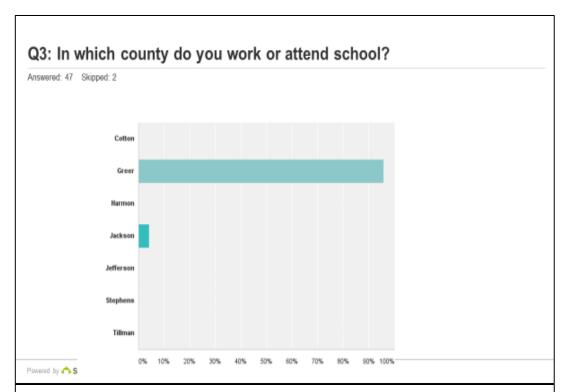
	Jackson
	County
Total Population (2010 Census)	26,446
Average household size	2.51
Average household income	\$41,560
Median age	34.1
Persons 65 years and over	13.6%
Median selected monthly owner costs	\$1,010
with mortgage*	
Median gross rent*	\$708
Percent in poverty*	17.0%
Percent with a disability under age 65 years*	11.7%
Percent without health insurance	14.8%
coverage, under 65 years	
Percent veterans	4.9%
Percent foreign born*	1.6%
Language other than English spoken at	17.2%
home, 5 years and older*	
Mean travel time to work (min)	14.4

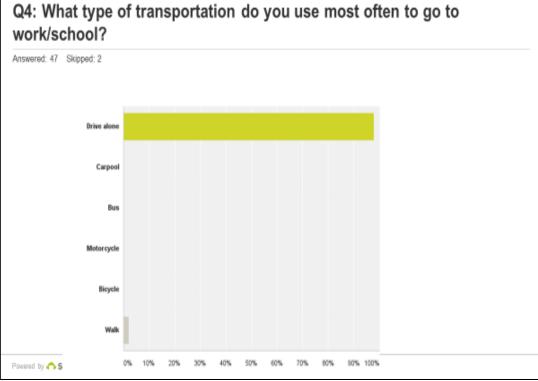
Source: US Census – \*2010-2014 ACS

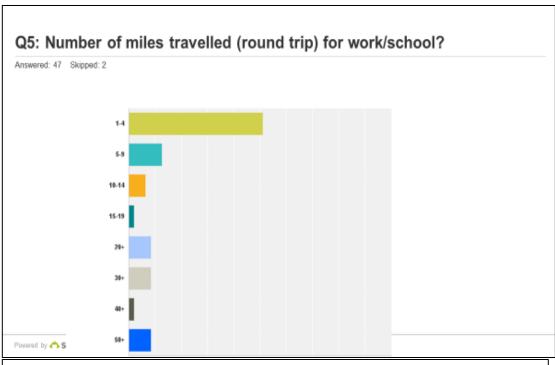
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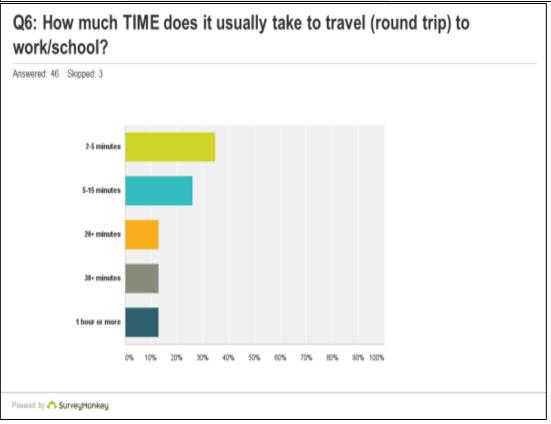


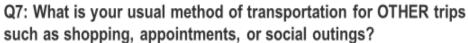


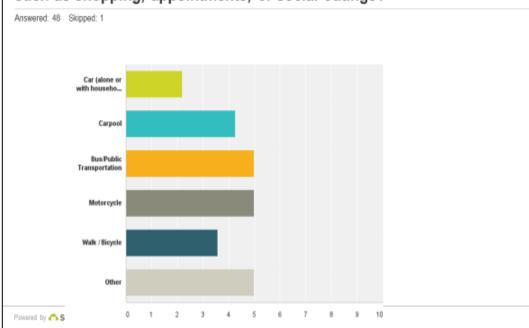




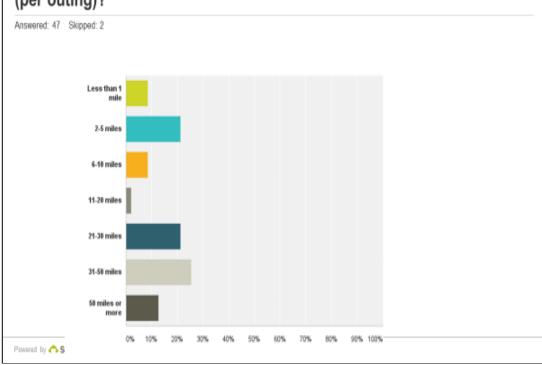


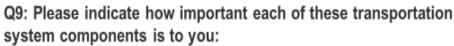


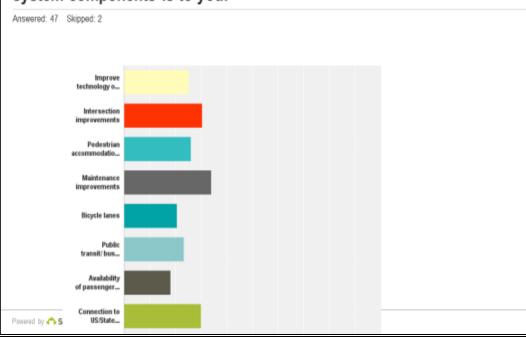




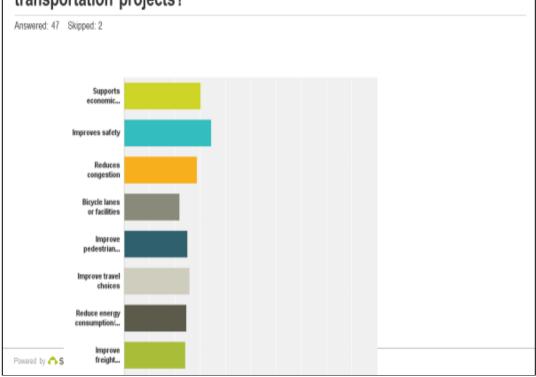
# Q8: How many miles do you usually travel for these other trips (per outing)?







# Q10: Which do you think should be a priority when selecting transportation projects?



### Survey for 2040 Regional Transportation Plan

# Q11 What are some specific locations with traffic problems that you encounter?

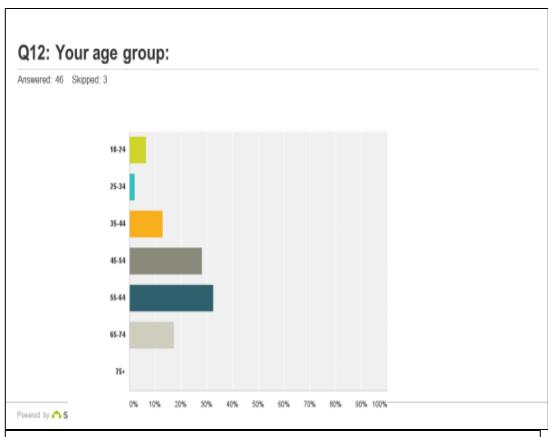
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#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	None	5/12/2017 11:06 AM
2	Traffic signal at intersection of Park Lane and Falcon in Altus ok	5/10/2017 12:39 PM
3	i usually don't have a problem on my normal commutes around town.	5/10/2017 9:12 AM
4	There needs to be a traffic light at the intersection of Tamarack and North Park Lane in Altus, OK. Unfortunately, most drivers do not know the "right-of-way" rules and it causes mass confusion at the four-way stop.	5/10/2017 7:55 AM
5	In Altus, Tamarack and Park Lane intersection.	5/10/2017 7:37 AM
6	park In and falcon, main and tamarack,	5/10/2017 7:12 AM
7	In Altus-the intersection of Park & Tamarack needs to be a Roundabout. In Altus-the intersection of Veterans Dr & E. Tamarack Rd. needs to be re-engineered due to E. Tamarack intersecting on a corner with no turning lane, this creates an unsafe traffic pattern. In Altus, there are far too few sidewalks and lanes for bicycles on main and residential roads.	5/9/2017 4:14 PM
8	Hwy 283 & Heritage Road, Altus	5/8/2017 10:39 AM
9	When riding a bike, no bicycle or sidewalks, many close calls with cars and many stopped riding bikes because of the vehicle traffic and lack of bike paths or sidewalks to assist people with getting healthy or alternative means of transportation.	5/8/2017 8:07 AM
10	Lots of county roads are in poor repair with potholes and extremely rough surfaces	5/5/2017 11:07 AM
11	Highway 62 between Altus and Duke there are times where large farm vehicles block the flow of traffic, and with only the one lane it can sometimes be a long time before an opportunity to pass comes up.	5/5/2017 10:59 AM
12	just potholes and infrequent shoulders wide enough for a tractor to pull aside to allow traffic to pass	5/5/2017 10:57 AM
13	More bus options or carpool options could be nice.	5/4/2017 8:55 AM
14	Altus-St/Inters afety busy dangerous intersection at N. Park Lane. & E. Tamarck Rd. This intersection only has a 4 way stop sign for multi-lane traffic flow which includes left turn lanes. During peak traffic times it is very congested and dangerous.	5/3/2017 3:20 PM
15	Driver distraction faintenance Poor road conditions such uneven surface of asphalt/pavement which also causes problems with flooding conditions. Individuals running red lights.	5/3/2017 10:05 AM
16	Bike/Sidewalks Safety Being grazed by vehicles when trying to ride or walk to work.	5/3/2017 8:38 AM
17	Altus- St/Inters ike/Sidewaks 4-way stop sign at park and tamarac unmarked right turn lane at park and falcon no sidewalks/bikepaths on most or Altus' major roads	4/26/2017 1:34 PM
18	Bus School and medical	3/27/2017 11:42 AM
19	Altus- St/Inters Falcon RD & Main, Broadway & Main, in Altus, Ok Carver Rd is a tragedy.	3/27/2017 11:37 AM
20	Altus- St/Inters The corner of Simpson and Main because there is no left hand turn signal	3/22/2017 3:26 PM
21	Safety 4 way stop signs and busy 2 lane roads that could benefit being 4 lanes	3/17/2017 11:54 AM
22	Age of Driver ELDERLY DRIVERS	3/16/2017 10:58 AM
23	Altus- St/Inters Park Lane and Tamarack	3/15/2017 10:29 PM
24	Altus- SVInters Market Road (west side of Altus) in poor condition. Traffic at the intersection of Grady and Spurgeon Streets in Altus impeded by high water during a heavy rain (poor drainage).	3/15/2017 7:48 PM

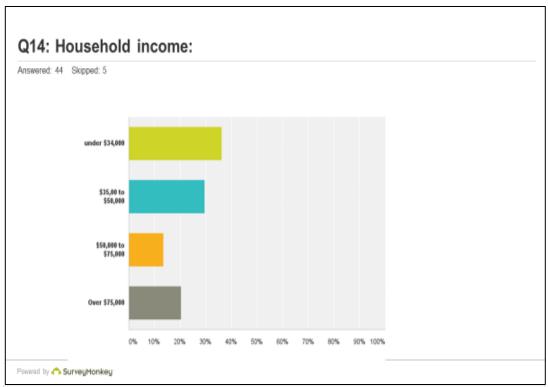
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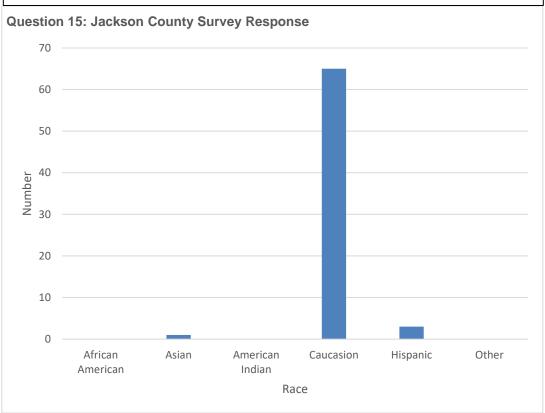
25	Altus- St/Inters Tamarack Rd./ N. Main Altus	3/15/2017 2:43 PM
26	Maintenance Pot holes in city streets	3/15/2017 2:40 PM
27	Altus-St/Inters North Main Street from Falcon Road Street thru Tamarack. Especially Tamarack & North Main. Broadway & Navajoe—rough pavement, narrowstreet.	3/15/2017 11:14 AM
28	Lawton, OKC	3/15/2017 8:04 AM
29	Roads County rural intersections	3/14/2017 4:46 PM
30	Altus- St/Inters Tamarack and Park lane	3/14/2017 4:26 PM
31	Altus- St/Inters Park Lane and Tamarack, Falcon, Broadway	3/14/2017 3:30 PM
32	Altus - St/Inters S. Carver Road, Altus, OK	3/14/2017 3:14 PM
33	Altus- St/Inters Tamarack and Park Lane 4 way stop Tamarack and Main Trying to make a left turn onto Tamarack from the 4 way stop to Main	3/13/2017 11:38 AM
34	Safety when people really don't stop at stop signs and don't look for when people are coming.	3/13/2017 7:26 AM
35	Roads County Heritage Road traffic is too heavy for "county" road; not great access to neighborhood and unsafe.	3/11/2017 3:09 PM
36	Altus- St/Inters main streets with 4 way stop signs need to light signals	3/10/2017 4:16 PM
37	Na Carlotte	3/10/2017 12:14 PM
38	Safety TRAFFIC LIGHTS	3/10/2017 10:31 AM
39	Altus- St/Inters intersections that are too narrow for 4 lanes with the amount of truck traffic we have.	3/9/2017 6:18 PM
40	Altus-St/Inters Intersection of Tamarack and Park Lane	3/9/2017 4:14 PM
41	Altus- St/Inters (laintenance Neighborhood roads are getting bad. Basically any road other than Main roads used. I.e. Main, broadway, tamarack and park lane	3/9/2017 3:59 PM
42	Albus - St/Inters safety amarack and Park Lane intersection in Altus. It is dangerous when other drivers do not know how a 4-way stop works. I think that a stop light should be at that intersection because of how busy it is.	3/9/2017 3:51 PM
43	Altus - St/Inters Falcon Road, Altus OK	3/9/2017 3:46 PM
44	Altus - St/Inters 4 way stop	3/9/2017 3:35 PM
45	Bus We have many people in Altus and Jackson County that must use public transportation and there are very limited options available. We must at least maintain and support the few sources of low cost transportation available.	3/9/2017 3:34 PM
46	Altus-St/Inters The intersection on Park Lane and Tamarack in Altus OK.	3/9/2017 3:33 PM
47	Altus- St/Inters Intersection of Park Lane and Tamarck	3/9/2017 3:27 PM
48	Bridge Bridge construction, no shoulder to pull offon.	3/9/2017 2:55 PM
49	Bike/Sidewalks Not enough sidewalks/bike paths	3/9/2017 2:54 PM
50	Altus-SVInters Falcon rd and park land light is horriblely slow. The 18wheelers run the light at veterans and broad way. Main Street is always congested.	3/9/2017 2:40 PM
51	Altus - St/Inters The 4 way stop at Tamarack and Park Lane needs to have stop lights. The majority of Altus lacks sidewalks, and therefore it makes it hard to walk from place to place, especially with a family.	3/9/2017 2:28 PM
52	Altus- St/Inters north main st,	3/8/2017 1:50 PM
53	Highways HE Bailey toll booth coming from Lawton. Fast drivers are going to rear end those obeying the signs.	3/8/2017 8:16 AM
54	Roads County The county roads are getting really beat up	3/8/2017 7:26 AM

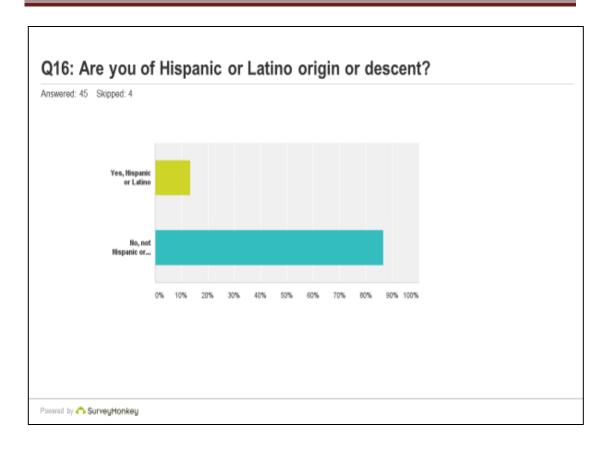
56	Highways toads County est side of altus during cotton harvest. We need a west by-pass very	3/7/2017 10:44 PM
30	bad.	3/1/2017 10.44 FM
57	Altus-SVInters [ighways in Comanche county the highway immediately adjacent to Ft. Sill has a lot of congestion. There is not enough lighting on state route 62 for safe nighttime travel. In Altus, Falcon to Main stretch of road is particularly poor. The intersection at S. Hudson & W. Walnut the stop sign does not have enough visibility. Tamarack does not have enough lighting for safe travel at night. Tamarack west of Main st. intersection abruptly turns from 2 lanes to 1 lane without enough signage to give proper warning.	3/7/2017 9:26 PM
58	Altus-St/Inters Falcon and Park Lane Altus intersection also Tamarack and Park Lane Altus intersection	3/7/2017 8:01 PM
59	Altus - St/Inters Gettysburg and Concord intersection since Hunter Pointe bridge opened. Intersection of Tamarack and North Park Lane. Exists around Walmart on Tamarack and North Main. People turning off Broadway into businesses and streets. Where 2 lanes move into one on Falcon. All intersections and turn onto/off Falcon.	3/7/2017 7:59 PM
60	Altus- St/Inters Traffic lights need to be on good cameras	3/7/2017 7:56 PM
31	Altus-St/Inters Falcon Rd Main and Tamarack, rough North Park Ln between Tamarack and Heritage Falcon and Park Ln, light	3/7/2017 6:19 PM
52	Altus- St/Inters Main and Tamarack	3/7/2017 4:07 PM
53	Altus-St/Inters   like/Sidewals Hil   hways Sale   type   like   lanes anywhere, pedestrian crossings are faded ir do not exist, also intersection of Tamarack and Park Lane is terrible. Lots of accidents there. Hiway 19 East of Blair needs brush cleared east of blue water tower to cut down on deer/vehicle accidents. Multiple per year	3/7/2017 3:42 PM
64	Altus - St/Inters   like/Sidewaks Hij   Inways Interest in Altus, lack of sidewalks in Altus, lack of shoulders on highways in much of our area	3/7/2017 2:18 PM
35	Altus- St/Inters Park Lane and Tamarack intersection.	3/7/2017 2:13 PM
66	Safety All of the stop lights in Altus	3/7/2017 1:36 PM
37	Altus- St/Inters Main street around walmart	3/7/2017 1:22 PM
38	Altus- St/Inters Tamarack and Main, Tamarack and N.Park Lane, North Park lane(North of Tamarack	3/7/2017 1:02 PM
59	CITY OF ALTUS	3/7/2017 12:50 PM
70	Altus - St/Inters The light at main and tamarack.	3/7/2017 12:15 PM
71	Altus - St/Inters Intersection of North Park Lane and Tamarack.	3/3/2017 2:10 PM
72	Altus - St/Inters Park Lane and Tamarack in Altus; Tamarack and Main Street in Altus	3/2/2017 3:56 PM
73	none	2/28/2017 2:15 PM











## **Appendix 5.3: Public Outreach**

During the months of March and April 2017 SORTPO participated in Stakeholder meetings in Jackson County (Altus Chamber of Commerce on March 7th, Jackson County Health Coalition, March 8th, 2017, and Altus Air Force Base April 26, 2017.

SORTPO staff distributed a copy of the Jackson County 2040 LRTP on August 28, 2017 to the following agencies: Jackson County Commissioners, Altus City Hall, Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission, Oklahoma Agriculture Food & Forestry, Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality, Oklahoma Geological Survey, Oklahoma Department of Transportation, Oklahoma Department of Wildlife, Oklahoma Historical Society, and Oklahoma Water Resources Board.

A legal notice advertising SORTPO's public hearing to adopt the 2040 Jackson County Long Range Transportation Plan was placed in the Altus Times newspaper. The SORTPO Policy Board held a public hearing on September 28, 2017 to receive comments on the 2040 Jackson County LRTP prior to its' adoption.

#### Amendment #1

The SORPTO Policy Board at their August 22, 2019 established a 30 day public review and comment period (August 26, 2019 – September 24, 2019 for Amendment #1, modifying population and employment thresholds Traffic Analysis Zone maps and Tables.

#### **COMMENTS -**

At their September 26, 2019 meeting the SORTPO Policy Board held a public hearing to receive comment on Amendment #1 no comments were received.

Invitation to Stakeholder Meeting January 5, 2016

Dear,

The Southwest Oklahoma Regional Transportation Planning Organization ("SORTPO") is the regional transportation planning organization for southwest Oklahoma. Within this region are 16 counties, including the eight counties within the South Western Oklahoma Development Authority (SWODA) Council of Government and the eight counties comprising the Association of South Central Oklahoma Government (ASCOG). SORTPO is in the process of developing a regional long-range transportation plan for the sixteen counties.

A stakeholder meeting is scheduled to introduce the long-range transportation planning process and to engage you in the early stage of this plan development.

Date: February 9, 2017 Time: 10:00 am Location: Hollis City Hall 208 W. Jones Hollis, Ok 73550

This meeting will present opportunities for you to share your areas of concern as well as to help identify transportation programs to meet the needs of the future. Please share this invitation with your associates, as all are welcome, and the meeting is open to the public. We look forward to seeing you there!

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## **Public Review and Comments Received**

(Beginning August 28, 2017- September 26, 2017)

(Beginning may	543C 20, 2017 DC	ptember 20, 2017
Agency	Contact Name	Comments
ODEQ	Jon A. Roberts	This is in response to your August 28,
		2017 request for comments on the 2040
		Long Range Transportation Plans for Greer,
		Harmon, Jackson, Jefferson, and Stephens
		Counties. DEQ has no specific comments
		about the individual county plans; however,
		as you assess environmental risk posed by
		the projects please refer to DEQ Land
		Protection GIS data layers available for
		download athttp://gisdata-
		deq.opendata.arcgis.com/.
OK State	Dennie	Here are some suggestions for unfunded
Depart. Of	Christian	transportation projects for Jackson County.
Health		1. Extend sidewalk on N. Park Ln. to Falcon
		Rd. and E. Tamarack Rd.
		2. Add sidewalks t Falcon Rd. from N. Main
		St. to Veterans Rd. during planned
		widening and paving of Falcon Rd.
ODOT	Lisa Lam	Editorial comments.
Retired OSU Alumni	John Sheppard	Editorial comments.

## **Appendix 6: Recommendations**

**Appendix 6.1: Jackson County Transportation Projects** 

COUNTY	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	FUNDING
Jackson County	2017 - 2021	Develop a clearinghouse for regional data sets, such as pavement management systems and geographic information systems.	SPR/Local
Jackson County	2017 - 2021	Conduct a freight assessment for the county.	SPR/Local
Jackson County	2017 - 2021	Develop a system to collect and monitor changes in population, employment, and major employers by Traffic Analysis Zone (TAZ).	SPR/Local
Jackson County	2017 - 2021	Develop data collection standards.	SPR/Local
Jackson County	2017 - 2021	Establish procedures that enhance the consultation and coordination of transportation planning with local, regional, state and tribal government representatives.	SPR/Local
Jackson County	2017 - 2021	Conduct study at intersection locations with high accident severity index and corridors with major attractors.	SPR/Local
JACKSON 28778(06) UTILITIES	2017 - 2021	SH-6: OVER UNNAMED CREEK, 2.6 MILES N.E. OF SH-34 UT FOR 28778(04)	\$10,278
JACKSON 30085(06) RIGHT OF WAY	2017 - 2021	GRADE, DRAIN SURFACE (EW-165) BEG.AT US-283/EW-165 JCT EXT. WEST 1.0 MI. & EXT. 2.0 MI. NORTH ON NS- 2030 TO (EW-163) RIGHT OF WAY FOR 3008504	\$20,000
JACKSON 28778(05) RIGHT OF WAY	2017 - 2021	SH-6: OVER UNNAMED CREEK 2.6 MILES N.E. OF SH-34 RW FOR 28778(04)	\$34,215

COUNTY	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	FUNDING
JACKSON 30698(05) CONTRACT PE (AS OF 10/1/2013)	2017 - 2021	BRIDGE AND APPROACHES (NS-198) OVER UNNAMED CREEK, LOCATED 4.3 MI NORTH AND 0.8 MI WEST OF Olustee. (ENGINEERING)	\$45,000
JACKSON 31149(05) CONTRACT PE (AS OF 10/1/2013)	2017 - 2021	BRIDGE AND APPROACHES OVER BITTER CREEK LOCATED 3.0 MILES SOUTH AND 2.9 MILES WEST OF US 283/US 62 JCT	\$45,000
JACKSON 30060(05) CONTRACT PE (AS OF 10/1/2013)	2017 - 2021	RECONSTRUCT NAVAJO ROAD (PHASE II) PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING	\$100,000
JACKSON BRIDGE REHABILITATION	2017 - 2021	SH-6; BRIDGE REHAB OVER GYPSUM CREEK, 1.2 MILES NE OF SH-34 JCT	\$250,000
JACKSON 30085(07) UTILITIES	2017 - 2021	GRADE, DRAIN SURFACE (EW-165) BEG.AT US-283/EW-165 JCT EXT. WEST 1.0 MI. & EXT. 2.0 MI. NORTH ON NS- 2030 TO (EW-163) RIGHT OF WAY FOR 3008504	\$400,000
JACKSON RESURFACE	2017 - 2021	SH-19 BEGIN AT THE US-283 JCT AND EXTEND EAST 1.60 MILES.	\$413,893
JACKSON 30698(04) BRIDGE & APPROACHES	2017 - 2021	BRIDGE AND APPROACHES (NS-198) OVER UNNAMED CREEK, LOCATED 4.3 MI NORTH AND 0.8 MI WEST OF Olustee.	\$437,500
JACKSON 31149(04) BRIDGE & APPROACHES	2017 - 2021	BRIDGE AND APPROACHES OVER BITTER CREEK LOCATED 3.0 MILES SOUTH AND 2.9 MILES WEST OF US 283/US 62 JCT	\$437,500
JACKSON 32622(04) BRIDGE & APPROACHES	2017 - 2021	CO BR: EW-1550 OVER TRIB. OF BITTER CREEK,1.0 MILE SOUTH & 1.4 MILE WEST OF JCT. US-283/SH-19 IN Blair	\$437,500
JACKSON 3272604 BRIDGE REHABILITATION	2017 - 2021	US-62: US-62 OVER TURKEY CREEK, 3.7 MILES EAST OF HARMON C/L.	\$950,000

COUNTY	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	FUNDING
JACKSON RESURFACE	2017 - 2021	SH-6; BEGIN 8.77 MI NE OF SH-34 & EXT. NORTH 6.06 MILES	\$1,242,780
JACKSON 30060(04) GRADE & DRAIN	2017 - 2021	RECONSTRUCT NAVAJO ROAD (PHASE II)	\$2,000,000
JACKSON RESURFACE	2017 - 2021	US-62 BEGIN 365 FEET WEST OF THE SH-34 JCT AND EXTEND EAST 7.56 MI TO THE DIVIDED 4 LANE SECTION.	\$2,126,008
Jackson County	2022- 2026	Develop procedures to identify and collect traffic count data at specific locations within the county.	SPR/LOCAL
Jackson County	2022 - 2026	Develop method to track the implementation of projects and regularly update the public on the status of projects, programs and finances.	SPR/LOCAL
Jackson County	2022 - 2026	Identify the locations of major employment centers, including existing and proposed developments and identify types of transportation available.	SPR/LOCAL
Jackson County	2022 - 2026	Working with area employers and stakeholders develop a database and map identifying transportation needs	SPR/LOCAL
Jackson County	2022 - 2026	Develop database and mapping to identify the County's underrepresented	SPR/LOCAL
Jackson County	2027 - 2031	Develop a data file and create a map identifying location of wind farms and pipelines and relationship to communities and the transportation system.	SPR/LOCAL
Jackson County	2027- 2031	Develop a regional map that identifies tourism destinations and regionally significant facilities	SPR/LOCAL

Source: ODOT, SORTPO