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for the Guiding Principle -
"Economic Vitality"
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focus on freight.

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The definition for the Guiding Principle -
“A Healthy and Sustainable Environment”
was changed to remove the reference to climate change.

EWG's Ten Guiding Principles	
Preserve and Maintain the Existing System	Ensure the transportation system remains in a state of good repair.
Support Public Transportation	Invest in public transportation to spur economic development, protect the environment, and improve quality of life.
Support Neighborhoods & Communities	Connect communities to opportunities and resources across the region.
Foster a Vibrant Downtown & Central Core	Improve access to and mobility within the central core by all modes to increase the attractiveness of St. Louis and strengthen the regional economy.
Provide More Transportation Choices	Create viable alternatives to automobile travel by providing bicycle and pedestrian facilities.
Promote Safety and Security	Provide a safe and secure transportation system for all users.
Support a Diverse Economy with a Reliable System	Reduce congestion and improve travel time reliability to support the diverse economic sectors of the region.
Support Quality Job Development	Support the growth of wealth producing jobs that allow residents to save and return money to the economy.
Strengthen Intermodal Connections	Support freight movement and connections that are critical to the efficient flow of both people and goods
Protect Air Quality and Environmental Assets	Encourage investments that recognize the linkages between the social, economic, and natural fabric of the region

Our Communities and Region

- Economic Vitality
- Thriving Neighborhoods and Communities
- A Vibrant Downtown and Central Core
- A Healthy and Sustainable Environment

Our Transportation System

- Safe and Secure
- Choices and Access for All
- Seamless, Efficient, and Reliable
- Well-Maintained and Resilient

Our Process

- Collaborative
- Equitable
- Innovative
- Performance-Based