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## HEALTH EQUITY

Governor's Interagency Council on  
Health Disparities Presentation

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# Equity Efforts in Wenatchee



- ▶ South Wenatchee Subarea Plan
- ▶ 1422 Grant
- ▶ CDBG Program
- ▶ Healthy Living Wenatchee Valley Coalition
- ▶ United Neighborhood Association (UNA)

# South Wenatchee Subarea Plan



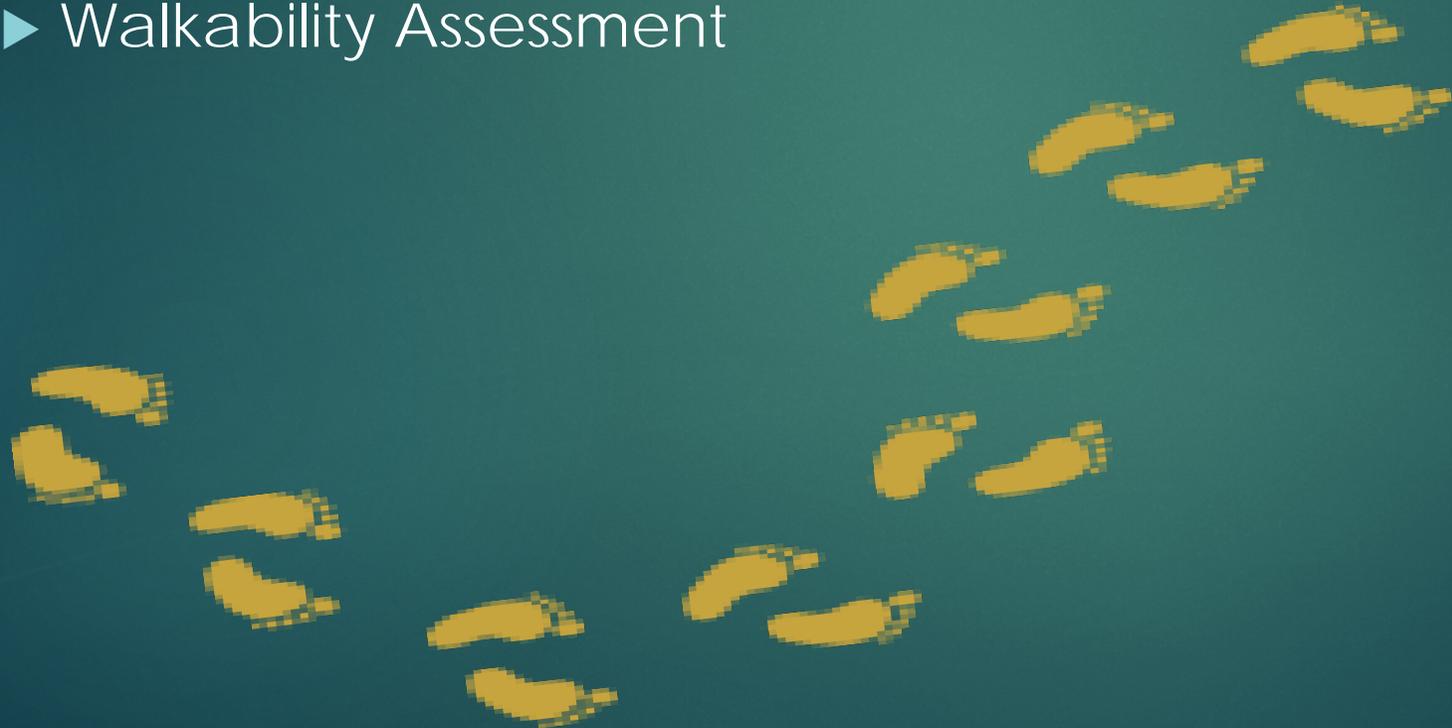
- ▶ Sidewalks and Lighting
- ▶ Cultural District
- ▶ Parks
- ▶ Community Center
- ▶ Public Art
- ▶ Economic Development
- ▶ Housing
- ▶ Workforce
- ▶ Building Neighborhoods



# 1422 Grant



- ▶ Develop and/or implement transportation and community plans that promote walking.
  - ▶ Pedestrian Master Plan
  - ▶ Complete Streets
  - ▶ Walkability Assessment



## COMPLETE STREETS WORKSHOP

**Wednesday, February 24th**  
**10am – 3pm** Wenatchee School District  
 FREE w/ lunch provided by 235 Sunset Ave

Complete Streets Policies ensure that the entire right-of-way is planned, designed, constructed, operated and maintained to provide safe access for all users.

<b>10am-12:30pm</b>	<b>Laying the Foundation for Complete Streets</b>	<b>Who Should Attend?</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Build a common understanding</li> <li>- Examine policies and best practices</li> <li>- Compare how designs use existing rights-of-way</li> <li>- Apply tools and approaches to a local example</li> </ul>	
<b>Complete Streets Design Considerations</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Discuss design context in implementation strategies</li> <li>- Consider design for all users</li> <li>- Assess local decision-making processes and performance measures</li> <li>- Develop a design implementation workplan</li> </ul>		
<b>1pm – 3pm</b>	<b>Complete Streets Policy Development</b>	<b>Who Should Attend?</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Examine policies and practices</li> <li>- Consider policy types and the 10 elements of effective policies</li> <li>- Identify local goals and performance measures</li> <li>- Review a draft policy that meets local needs</li> </ul>	
<b>Complete Streets Policy Implementation</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Assess local policy and decision-making outcomes</li> <li>- Consider implementation strategies</li> <li>- Identify barriers to implementation &amp; discuss solutions</li> <li>- Draft specific steps to achieve local policy goals</li> </ul>		

**Who Should Attend?**

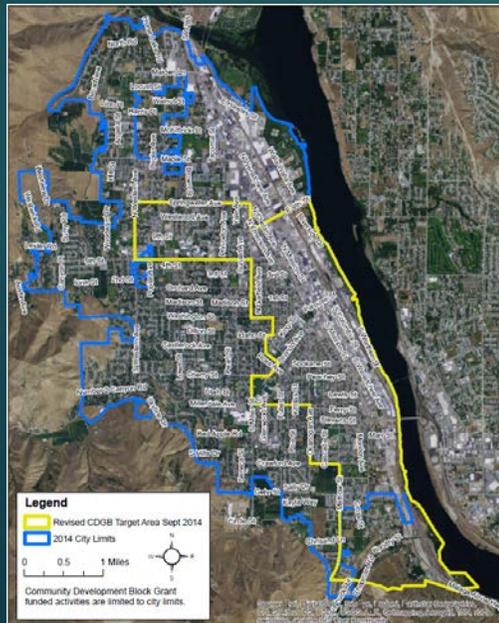
- Traffic Engineers
- Public Works
- Roadway Design
- Maintenance Staff
- Mayors
- Elected Officials
- Appointed Officials
- Public Health
- Econ. Development
- Transportation
- Land Use
- Comm. Development
- Public Transportation
- Trails & Parks Staff
- Community Stakeholders and Advocates

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# CDBG Program



- ▶ Sidewalk, Lighting, Crosswalks, Public Art
- ▶ Literacy Council
- ▶ Mini Grants
- ▶ LEP Plan



# Healthy Living Wenatchee Valley



- ▶ Liferful Living
- ▶ Healthy Environment
- ▶ Holistic Nutrition
- ▶ Community-Clinical Linkages



**HEALTHY LIVING**  

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**Wenatchee Valley Coalition**

# United Neighborhood Association



## ▶ UNA Priorities

- ▶ Sidewalks for safe walking by children and neighborhood residents
- ▶ Adequate street lighting to support safety and active lifestyles
- ▶ Safety: provide for and encourage desirable neighborhood improvements, including establishment of a Neighborhood Watch program to reduce crime and improve safety.
- ▶ Crosswalks and traffic lights where appropriate to improve safety
- ▶ Bathrooms in neighborhood parks to promote healthy lifestyles
- ▶ Establish a neighborhood activity center to support neighborhood integration and positive relationships.

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# THANK YOU!



**“THE POWER OF COMMUNITY TO CREATE HEALTH IS FAR GREATER THAN ANY PHYSICIAN, CLINIC OR HOSPITAL.”**

**MARK HYMAN**

