



## REGIONAL PLAN SPENDING COMPARED TO TRANSIT & HIGHWAY MARKET SHARES

### ALPHABETICAL

Metropolitan Area	Transit Market Share	Spending on Transit	Transit Spending per Person Mile	Spending on Roads Compared to Road Market Share
Atlanta, GA	1.1%	42.1%	68.3	58.6%
Austin, TX	0.8%	28.7%	47.7	71.9%
Baltimore, MD	2.1%	47.2%	41.9	53.9%
Boston, MA-NH-RI	3.1%	90.7%	308.2	9.6%
Charlotte, NC-SC	0.4%	84.0%	1210.7	16.1%
Chicago, IL-IN	3.7%	45.1%	21.5	57.0%
Cincinnati, OH-KY-IN	0.7%	21.9%	41.5	78.6%
Columbus, OH	0.3%	24.5%	100.6	75.7%
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	0.6%	30.6%	70.0	69.8%
Denver-Aurora, CO	1.4%	30.3%	31.4	70.7%
Detroit, MI	0.4%	22.8%	69.6	77.5%
El Paso, TX-NM	0.7%	29.0%	54.4	71.5%
Houston, TX	0.9%	27.7%	43.8	72.9%
Los Angeles-Riverside	1.6%	58.0%	84.9	42.7%
Miami, FL	1.0%	68.9%	227.0	31.4%
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN	1.0%	31.7%	46.3	69.0%
New York-Newark, NY-NJ-CT	9.6%	76.0%	29.9	26.6%
Philadelphia, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2.5%	51.5%	41.0	49.8%
Portland, OR-WA	2.2%	27.9%	17.4	73.7%
Salt Lake City, UT	1.2%	84.4%	443.3	15.8%
San Antonio, TX	0.9%	38.1%	71.6	62.5%
San Diego, CA	1.1%	66.3%	176.4	34.1%
San Francisco-Oakland, CA	5.0%	64.4%	34.7	37.5%
San Jose, CA	0.7%	86.3%	850.6	13.8%
Seattle, WA	1.9%	48.4%	49.7	52.6%
Tucson, AZ	0.5%	26.2%	65.3	74.2%
Washington, DC-VA-MD	3.7%	60.5%	39.8	41.1%
Average	1.8%	48.6%	158.8	52.2%

## RANKED BY SHARE SPENT ON TRANSIT

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1	Boston, MA-NH-RI	3.1%	90.7%	308.2	9.6%
2	San Jose, CA	0.7%	86.3%	850.6	13.8%
3	Salt Lake City, UT	1.2%	84.4%	443.3	15.8%
4	Charlotte, NC-SC	0.4%	84.0%	1210.7	16.1%
5	New York-Newark, NY-NJ-CT	9.6%	76.0%	29.9	26.6%
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9	Washington, DC-VA-MD	3.7%	60.5%	39.8	41.1%
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11	Philadelphia, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2.5%	51.5%	41.0	49.8%
12	Seattle, WA	1.9%	48.4%	49.7	52.6%
13	Baltimore, MD	2.1%	47.2%	41.9	53.9%
14	Chicago, IL-IN	3.7%	45.1%	21.5	57.0%
15	Atlanta, GA	1.1%	42.1%	68.3	58.6%
16	San Antonio, TX	0.9%	38.1%	71.6	62.5%
17	Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN	1.0%	31.7%	46.3	69.0%
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25	Columbus, OH	0.3%	24.5%	100.6	75.7%
26	Detroit, MI	0.4%	22.8%	69.6	77.5%
27	Cincinnati, OH-KY-IN	0.7%	21.9%	41.5	78.6%

## RANKED BY PERSON MILE TRANSIT SPENDING COMPARED TO ROAD

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1	Charlotte, NC-SC	0.4%	84.0%	1,210.7	16.1%
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26	Chicago, IL-IN	3.7%	45.1%	21.5	57.0%
27	Portland, OR-WA	2.2%	27.9%	17.4	73.7%

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