



GADSDEN COUNTY

# Bicycle AND Pedestrian

## FACILITIES MASTER PLAN

### Gadsden County

Gadsden County is creating a Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan and needs your input. When completed, the Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan will be a guide to promote an efficient, safe, and interconnected system of bicycling and walking opportunities throughout Gadsden County.

This project will provide an opportunity for everyone to work together to form a vision that guides multimodal accessibility within the County. This process will involve data analysis of existing facilities and conditions, public workshops, and policy development. Because not all projects can be funded immediately, a strategic funding implementation plan will be created to maximize available resources.

The Gadsden County Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan provides an opportunity for the City to leverage existing resources and expand upon its existing network of sidewalks, bike routes and trails, to enhance quality of life for the County's residents while promoting the use of alternative transportation modes and opportunities within the County.

In the end, the Plan will result in an implementation-focused guide that prioritizes bicycle and pedestrian facilities, enhances connections between these facilities and other modes of transportation, improves access to schools, and contributes to the improvement of mobility throughout the County.



### Major Tasks of the Gadsden County Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan:

- Data Collection of Existing Conditions
- Public Workshop
- Master Plan Report
- Bicycle Route Map



### Project Schedule

Task Description	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb
Data Collection, Analysis and Stakeholder Interviews						
Develop Draft Bicycle Network, Facilities, and Policy Recommendations						
Public Workshop to Prioritize Recommendations						
Develop Draft Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan						
Develop Bicycle Route Map						
Master Plan Adoption						

## Public Workshop

The Gadsden County Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan Public Workshop will be held on January 23rd from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the **Gadsden County Commission Chambers 9-B East Jefferson St., Quincy, FL 32351** and is open to any member of the general public. The workshop will provide participants with the opportunity to offer input into the Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan. At the meeting, a presentation will be made to provide a general overview of the project and present preliminary project recommendations. In small groups, participants will provide input and ideas on how to improve bicycling and walking in the County. Participants can also comment on the preliminary project recommendations. A representative from each group will then summarize and share the group's ideas and input. All participants will then be given the opportunity to prioritize the preliminary project recommendations and the ideas generated by the small groups. The input and priorities established by the small groups will be used to develop the final Master Plan.

## Public Workshop Agenda

January 23rd, 2012

**Gadsden County Commission Chambers**  
 9-B East Jefferson Street  
 Quincy, Florida 32351

- 6:00 p.m. - Welcome and introductions
- 6:15 p.m. - Project presentation
- 6:45 p.m. - Workshop break-out groups
- 7:15 p.m. - Break-out group summaries
- 7:30 p.m. - Prioritization of recommendations
- 8:00 p.m. - Meeting adjourns



**Do you have an idea about how to enhance bicycling, walking, or commuting in or around Gadsden County?**

If so, plan to attend the Public Workshop to share your ideas and prioritize projects for the Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan. Your participation is essential to developing a plan that best suits your community.



## IT STARTS WITH YOU!

Did you ever think there should be a trail or bike lane there? How do you feel about your child biking to school? Now is the time to provide your input on these topics! Become involved in this comprehensive study that will result in a list of prioritized bicycle and pedestrian projects and set goals for enhancing mobility in Gadsden County. Your participation is essential to developing a master plan that best suits your community!

To get involved, simply provide your email address at the January 23rd public workshop or send an email to [Zach.DeVeau@Kimley-Horn.com](mailto:Zach.DeVeau@Kimley-Horn.com) to request your name be added to the email directory.