



# Newark Pedestrian and Bicycle Master Plan

South County

## PROJECT BENEFITS:

The Master Plan will focus the City's investments on the highest-priority projects and programs to improve walking and biking safety, convenience, and access. Design guidelines will ensure that bicycle and pedestrian facilities and other roadway facilities are designed uniformly, and according to best practices.

## PROJECT STATUS:

The development of the Request for Proposals began in summer of 2009.

To find out more about this project, please contact the Project Sponsor.

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The City of Newark will develop its first Pedestrian and Bicycle Master Plan with grant funding from ACTIA. The primary goal of the plan is to put forth recommendations for making walking and biking viable alternatives to automobile use for recreational, school, and work trips, while reducing traffic congestion and improving overall community health. The plan will thoroughly address gap closure needs, safety improvements, and increasing convenient access to public transit, activity centers, and schools. The City will also develop design guidelines.

To guide the development of the Master Plan, the City will form a Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee, which will include local residents.

<b>Project Budget and Funding</b>	
<b>TOTAL PROJECT COST</b>	<b>\$149,000</b>
<i>Funding</i>	
ACTIA Bike/Ped Grant Award	\$119,000
Matching Funds	\$30,000
<i>Source:</i>	
Local Funds	\$30,000



<b>Project Schedule</b>	
Commence ACTIA Grant (Cycle 4)	July 1, 2009
Issue Consultant Request for Proposals to Develop Master Plan	September 2009
Issue Consultant Notice to Proceed	December 2009
Create Local Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee	December 2009
Complete Draft Master Plan	July 2010
Complete and Adopt Final Master Plan	October 2010
Complete Grant Funding Period	June 30, 2011

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