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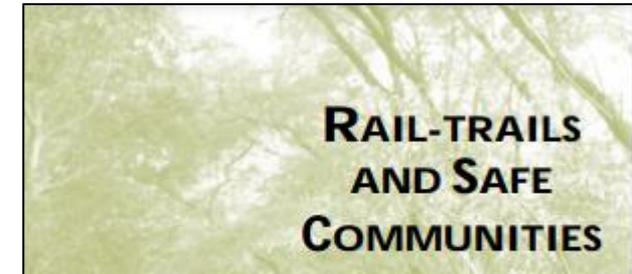
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Trail Perception Survey
January 19, 2023

Trail Perception Survey

- Many existing studies from around the US, but not Northeast Ohio
 - Trail safety, 1990s/early 2000s
 - Economic impact and benefit studies, 2000s-present
- Need for local trail data
 - Gauge impact existing of trails have on communities
 - Questions about perceived safety, quality of life and property value
 - Support efforts for future trails



Partnership for Survey

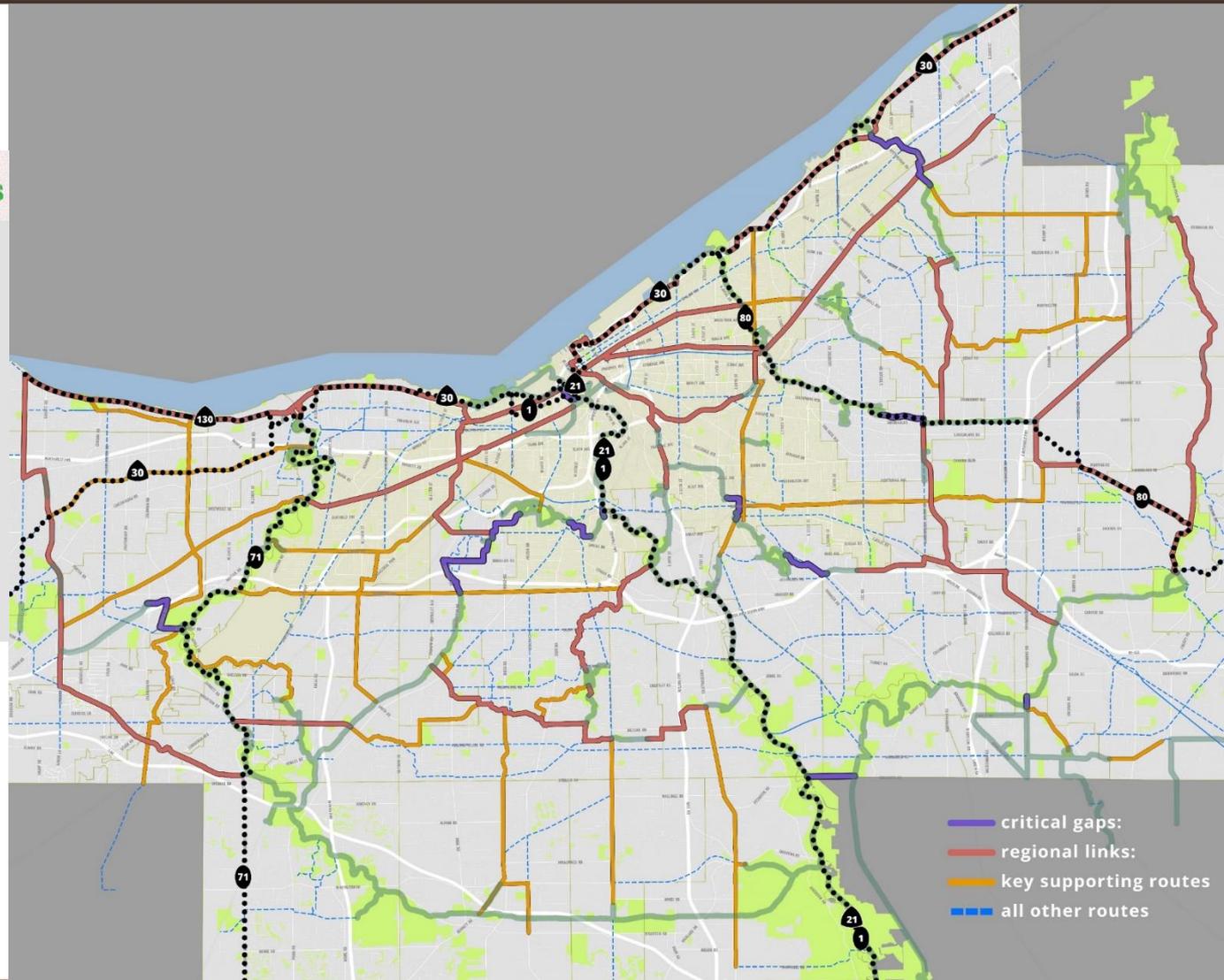
- Initiative of Cuyahoga Greenway Partners
 - Survey to assess multiple all purpose trails throughout county
 - Increase visibility of group
- Cleveland Metroparks to administer surveys and report
 - Working with Cuyahoga Greenway Partners on data collection and coordination



Cuyahoga Greenways Plan Priority Network



- **Critical Gaps**
 - 12 Projects (14 mi.)
- **Regional Links**
 - 27 Projects (132 mi.)
- **Key Routes**
 - 30 Projects (111 mi.)
- **Supporting Routes**
 - > 350 mi.



Goals & Deliverables

- Provide reference on local trail data for public and stakeholders
- Inform elected leaders
- Create set of deliverables for distribution and websites: infographics, fact sheets, video, report



Timeline

- Distribute Realtor and police chief surveys in late January/February; responses by end of March
- Distribute surveys to residences in close proximity of selected trails in March; responses by end of April
- Intercept surveys on select trails in spring
- Compilation of results and final products summer





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