

Why Planning is Important?

It allows us to Plan and Design Projects that:

Better Define & Better Meets

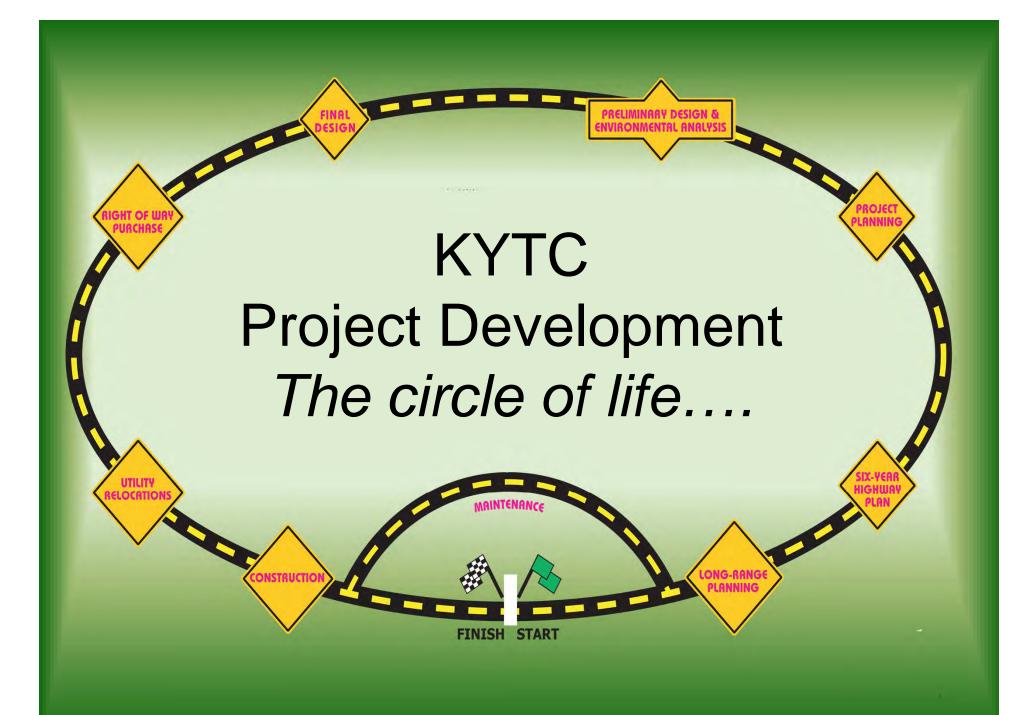
the needs of the human and natural environment.

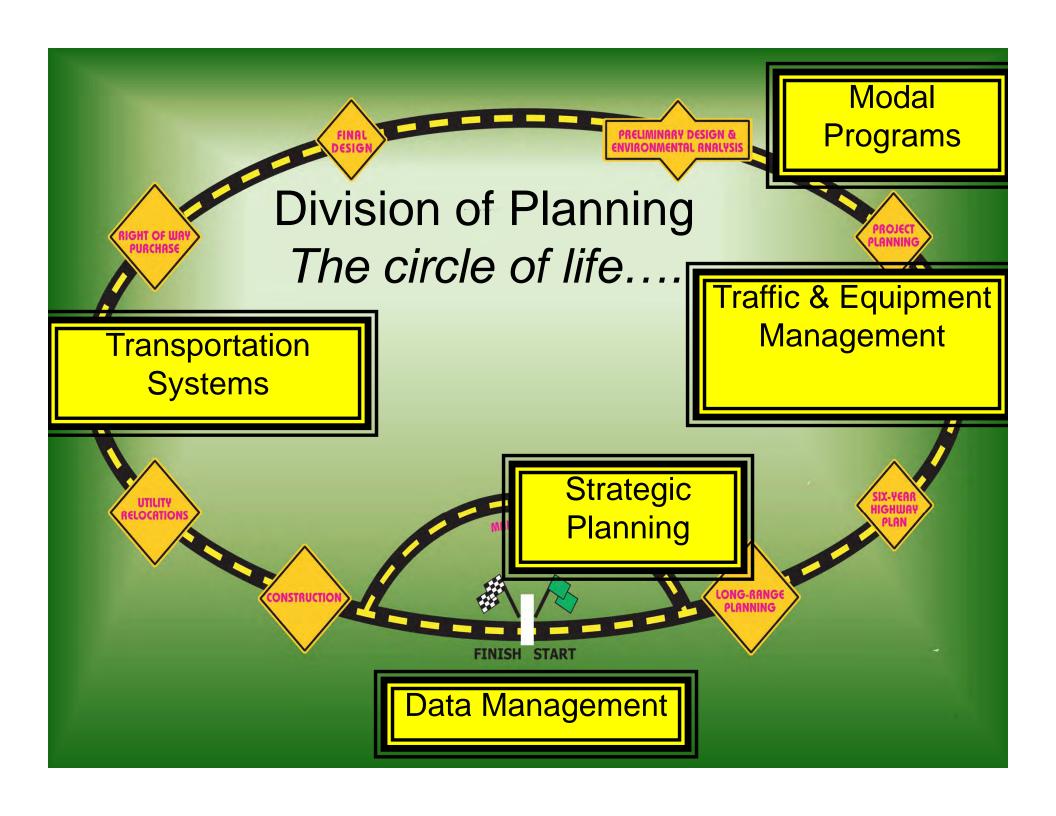
It also, allows us to Scope Projects to Establish a Draft Purpose & Need

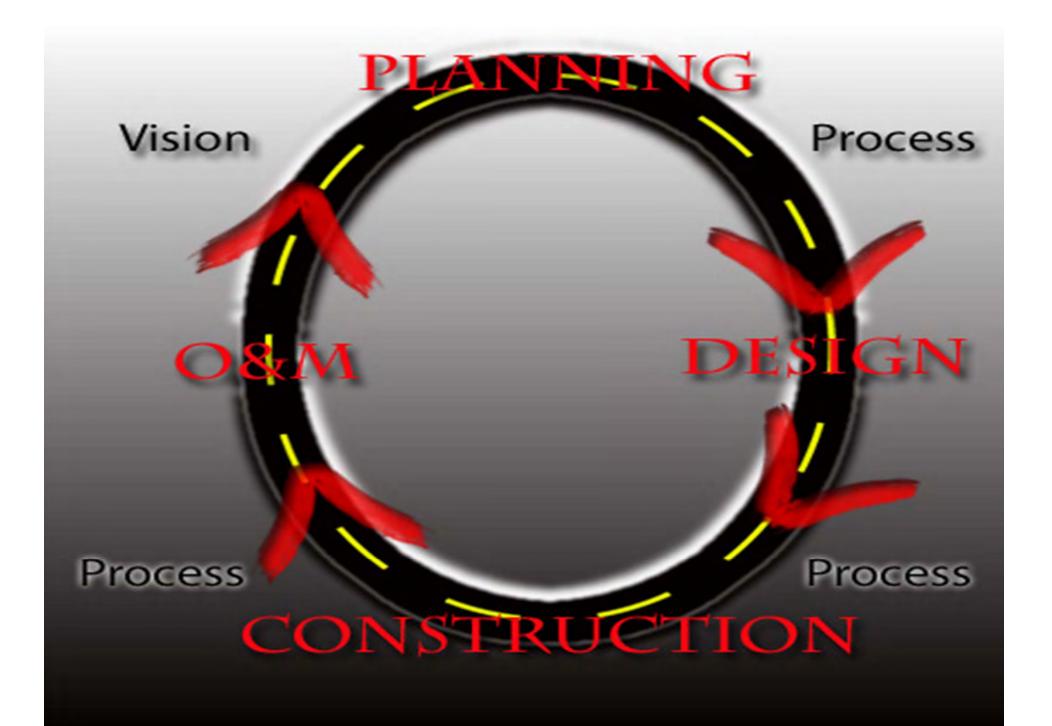
to help keep a project on track based on needs.

It assist with Maintaining a Manageable Road System.

Basically, It guides us to Doing the Right Thing







Refining Statewide Planning

- Assign District Liaison's in C.O. Planning
- Encouraging Travel to Districts
- Participate in District Prioritization Process
- Attend Area Development District Meeting
- More Direct Conversations.
- Participate when need in Project Team meetings or at least Provide Input.
- Share Project Management of Studies.
- LPA Oversight

Traffic Forecast

District Planning Engineer Makes Request



Developing Two New Policies

First Look Studies

System Issues

FIRST LOOK STUDIES

Two Main Goals:

 Draft Purpose & Need

Estimate

Systems Issues

Begin in Phase I Design.

Will help to determine
 Preferred Alternative.

Will help Manage
 State Maintained Mileage.

