



BUCKEYE HILLS
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 transportation planning

In partnership with The Ohio Department of Transportation, Buckeye Hills Regional Council serves as the Regional Transportation Planning Organization (RTPO) for our eight-county region.

Our team worked to develop the first-ever Regional Transportation plan that provides information on the district's **8,992** miles of road, **2,922** bridges, **147** miles of Ohio River frontage, **6** airports, as well as information on rail and pedestrian facilities.

All of this information is used to explore six major goals:

- maintain the region's transportation systems
- enhance safety
- strengthen economic vitality
- environmental sustainability
- increase mobility
- enhance connectivity

The **RTPO program** provides a much needed opportunity to express the ongoing transportation needs for the region with a unified voice.

Buckeye Hills Regional Council serves as a liaison between local governments and non-profit organizations with a variety of state and federal partners, programs and resources. We are proud to partner with the following groups to improve our region:

Appalachian Regional Commission
 Economic Development Administration
 United States Department of Agriculture
 Ohio Department of Aging
 Ohio Department of Transportation
 Ohio Governor's Office of Appalachia
 Ohio Emergency Management Agency
 Ohio Public Works Commission

Buckeye Hills Regional Council is a member of:

Chambers of Commerce in the Region
 Development District Association of Appalachia
 Eastern Ohio Development Alliance
 National Association of Area Agencies on Aging
 National Association of Development Organizations
 Ohio Association of Area Agencies on Aging
 Ohio Association of Regional Councils
 Ohio County Commissioners Association
 Ohio Economic Development Association
 Ohio Township Association

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**working cooperatively
 to improve our region**

Buckeye Hills Regional Council is a voluntary organization of local government representation, serving the eight counties of **Athens, Hocking, Meigs, Monroe, Morgan, Noble, Perry and Washington**. We work with our regional partners to secure financial resources that will effectively translate ideas into action.

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aging & disability

One call can open doors to many long-term services and supports in Southeast Ohio.

Buckeye Hills Regional Council is the lead agency for the Southeast Ohio Aging & Disability Resource Network. Our professionals are a trusted source for information and access to a full-range of available services, programs and options to help individuals, regardless of age or disability, remain at home. To schedule an in-home, long-term care consultation to review available services and care options, call **1-800-331-2644**.



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community & economic
development

Buckeye Hills Regional Council assists communities in problem solving, identifying urgent needs and securing financial resources to improve infrastructure and the overall quality of life for residents.

We work with regional and federal partners to help secure investments in projects that have a positive impact on commercial and residential sectors by creating and retaining jobs, providing access to education or training, increasing access to water and sanitary sewer services, as well as maintaining and upgrading transportation infrastructure. Our development team facilitates a locally-based, regionally-driven economic development planning process that results in a Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS). This powerful tool produces critical demographic and economic data that is available to public and private entities.

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mapping & data

We understand that finding the data needed to complete funding applications, manage projects, and answer questions of constituents can be difficult.

Buckeye Hills Regional Council can provide access to regional data on transportation, housing, land use, health and economic development, and serve as the liaison between funders, elected officials and constituents to improve and enhance the region's quality of life and economic competitiveness. Our GIS services assist communities with planning decisions, including a small community infrastructure mapping program.

