

USE CASE

MPO Planning

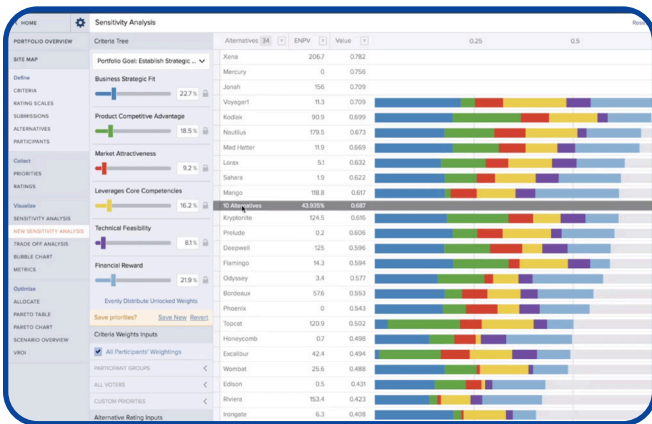
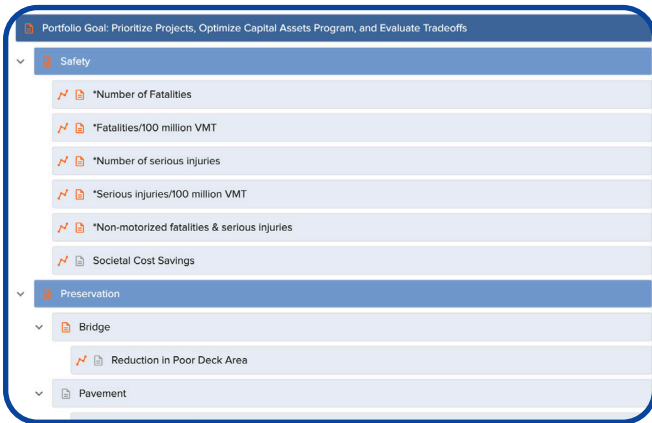
Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPOs) typically have at least two planning cycles: Long Range Plans (LRP) and Transportation Improvement Plans (TIP). These planning processes are time consuming since they require the input from stakeholders, boards and committees, and in many cases lack transparency into how projects are prioritized. MPOs are now using Decision Lens to solve these problems.

Creating a repeatable and defensible process

- Develop a standard framework for which all projects are evaluated to ensure strategic alignment.
- Incorporate the use of project data and subject matter expertise to score projects, collaboratively online.
- Boards and committees provide their input on the relative importance of the scoring matrix through an online voting process.

Focus on the right projects

- Through a transparent process MPOs can now more easily identify which projects represent the highest value to the organization's goals.
- Review all project scores and adjust the order manually if needed, to represent what is funded during your cycle.
- Effortlessly communicate your planning cycle priorities to all stakeholders and the public.
- Optimize resource constraints and see where you can get the best "bang for your buck"



MPOs can now manage all their planning needs from one central location. Decision Lens' SaaS solution eliminates the hassles of multiple spreadsheets where version control and out of date information continually causes issues. By developing a standardized framework, MPO's can easily have stakeholders participate in a broad-reaching voting process where all voices are heard. Planning professionals no longer need to spend time trying to understand why one project is prioritized over others or how changes in scoring will affect their plans. MPOs now have a more streamlined process for tackling the planning cycle and the tools to more confidently communicate their plan to the public.