

# Progress Report - Road Safety Pillar

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#### I. Introduction

- The Africa Transport Policy Program (SSATP) is an international partnership that aims to facilitate policy development and related capacity building in the transport sector of Africa.
- It supports sound policies that lead to efficient, safe, and sustainable transport for the people of Africa and that help countries to compete internationally.
- SSATP is a partnership of:
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- Regional economic communities
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# II. SSATP DP3 (2015-2018)- Main Goal and Linkage with the African Agenda

'efficient, safe, and sustainable transport for the people in Africa'



### Key outcomes

#### **Roadmap (Decade Goals)**

- 1. Data collection, analysis and reporting
- 2. Development National Road Safety Strategies
- 3. Sensitization
- 4. Technical Control (Vehicle Inspections)
- 5. Create / Strengthen Lead Road Safety Agencies
- 6. Capacity Building / Lack of Country Capacity Review
- 7. Funding Road Safety activities
- 8. Agenda 2063

Strong Strategic Fit between DP3 Pillar C Objectives and Road Map



# Pillar C - Objective/Goal

#### **Overall objective**

Support African countries to achieve sustainable road safety outcomes through the implementation of:

- 1. African Plan of Action
- 2. Decade of Action Goals
- 3. SDG targets
  - "By 2020, halve the number of global deaths and injuries from road traffic accidents" (Health)
  - "By 2030, provide access to safe, affordable, accessible and sustainable transport systems for all, improving road safety, notably by expanding public transport, with special attention to the needs of those in vulnerable situations, women, children, persons with disabilities and older persons" (Cities)



#### **Objective / Outcome**

#### **Indicators**

Enable AUC & UNECA to inspire	Indicators of UN Decade of Action and African	
countries to achieve UN Decade of	road safety action plan as they exist	
Action and Africa Plan of Action 2011-		
2020 Road Safety goals		
Intermediate Outcome	Indicators	
Knowledge and understanding of status and prospects of attaining road safety goals in Africa strengthened	Africa road safety action plan reviewed by the African Ministers of Transport to achieve the objectives of the Decade of Action	
Outputs	Indicators	
<ul> <li>Progress monitored at continental, regional and country levels in the implementation of the Africa road safety Action Plan</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Continental, regional and country reports</li> <li>Number of country assessments</li> <li>Action plans adopted that collect indicators</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Country analysis of reporting status, actions, and progress</li> </ul>		



Intermediate Outcome	Indicators
<ul> <li>Framework in place for monitoring progress of UN Decade of Action and Africa Plan of Action 2011-2020</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>African road safety observatory operational</li> <li>Regional road safety observatory operational in one REC</li> <li>Road safety monitoring and evaluation strategies and systems available in six countries</li> </ul>
Outputs	Indicators
<ul> <li>Road safety data that observatories need have been identified</li> <li>Road safety data are harmonized</li> <li>Road safety data management capacity and needs assessed at country, regional and continental level</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Assessment of road safety data management and monitoring and evaluation system at continental level, for one REC and in three countries</li> <li>Guidelines for establishment of a country-wide road safety monitoring and evaluation system</li> </ul>



Promote effective policy and strategy formulation and implementation at			corded stabilization of road crashes in three untries
CO	country level		
	Intermediate Outcome		Indicators
•	Country road safety policies and strategies better aligned to the UN Decade and Africa Action Plans and goals Effective high impact road safety interventions implemented	•	Three countries adopt strategies that are revised to reflect the Africa Plan of Action  Five countries report actions on high impact road safety interventions
	Outputs		Indicators
•	Existing countries' policies and strategies reviewed and required changes identified to better align them with Decade of Action Road safety capacity and institutional assessed and needs for policy and strategy development identified in selected cities to advance urban road safety strategies Road safety capacity for policy and strategy development strengthened in cities	•	Three countries/cities have prepared road safety strategies Guidelines for road safety policy in urban areas



Stimulate good practice in Road Safety Management (Pillar one of UN Decade of Action) by promoting systematic implementation of the Africa Plan of Action	Increase in the number of Sub-Saharan African countries with fully empowered cross-sectoral lead agencies
<ul> <li>Countries create road safety lead agencies where none existed before</li> <li>Countries raise profile of existing lead agencies from one sector focused agencies to cross-sectoral status</li> <li>Countries improve financing of lead agencies</li> <li>REC's decision to create regional organizations to lead agencies</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Indicators</li> <li>Three new countries decide to create lead agencies</li> <li>Three countries decide to raise profile of lead agencies</li> <li>Ten countries improve funding arrangements for lead agencies</li> <li>Organization of lead agencies created in one region</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Operational guidelines for road safety lead agencies including review of the status on the creation of road safety lead agencies by African countries and criteria for gauging their effectiveness</li> <li>Capacity development plan prepared for road safety lead agencies</li> <li>Policy notes on the creation of lead agencies and on raising profile of lead agencies and funding lead agencies</li> <li>Guidance note on the creation of a regional organization of lead agencies</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Guidelines produced</li> <li>Capacity development plan prepared for three agencies</li> <li>Policy notes prepared</li> <li>Capacity assessment done to identify three candidate countries with potential to raise profile of their lead agencies</li> <li>Identification of one secretariat for a regional organization of lead agencies</li> </ul>



#### **Objective / Outcome**

#### **Indicators**

Better integration of road safety policy and pillar-based interventions in locally and externally funded road developments	Effective use by development partners, road funds and municipalities of guidelines to improve effectiveness of their support towards road safety
Intermediate Outcome	Indicators
Capacity of development partners, road funds and municipalities strengthened to improve effectiveness of their support towards road safety	<ul> <li>Use of SSATP guidelines confirmed in projects prepared by development partners, three road funds and two municipalities</li> </ul>
Outputs	Indicators
Guidelines on how development partners can improve support towards road safety through investments, how local funding of road safety could be made more effective and how to mainstream road safety in urban road projects	Guidelines prepared



Enable AUC & UNECA to inspire countries to achieve UN Decade of Action and Africa Plan of Action 2011-2020 Road Safety goals

- Activity 1: Supporting the 3rd Africa Road Safety Conference and Support to the African Ministers Panel at Brasilia Conference
  - completed
- Activity 2: Development of Country Data systems
  - Collaboration with IRTAD
  - Data needs assessment conducted
  - Series of workshops
  - minimum set of indicators to be collected by all countries proposed
- Activity 3:Development of regional data observatory
  - initial agreement achieved
  - steering group and task force set up towards Marrakech



Promote effective policy and strategy formulation and implementation at country level

- Activity 1: Developing country/city level road safety strategies
  - provision of consulting services to support strategy development at country and city level (Cote d'Ivoire, Mali, Kenya, Sierra Leone, Accra, Togo)
- Activity 2: Guidelines for development of urban road safety strategies
  - guideline will be developed in collaboration with Urban Mobility Pillar
  - will be developed after completing at least 2 strategies



Stimulate good practice in Road Safety Management Pillar (Pillar 1 UN DoA) by promoting systematic implementation of the Africa Plan of Action

- Activity 1: Develop and strengthen Lead agencies
  - Advocacy for the creation of lead agencies
  - Development of operational guidelines for lead agencies Senegal, Sierra Leone, Kenya
- Activity 2: Creation of a regional association of lead agencies
  - WARSO
  - RECs



Better integration of road safety policy and pillar-based interventions in locally and externally funded road developments

- Activity 1: Development of guidelines for development partners and governments on how to support road safety through mainstreaming in investment programs/policies
  - work with DPs to define strategy
  - consultancy at country level to explore options

Review of policies and programs to fund road safety at government and development partner levels underway

African Road Safety Leadership Program



#### On the Horizon

- Urbanization and road safety workshop to promote the adoption of sound innovative solutions to address safety concerns and improve mobility in Africa, particularly in urban areas and along the main corridors, in line with the goals of the African Road Safety Charter
- Network of Legislators to bring together the key players concerned with development of legislation connect the network to the global partnerhsip, drawing lessons from their implementation and building upon their achievements

