

Local Transportation Oil Dependency

- SA residents drive 29 vehicle miles/person/day – **19% above big city average**
- SA residents and businesses **annually spend \$854M more for transportation** than if they drove an average amount (@ 44.5¢ per vehicle mile)
- San Antonians spent **\$114.5M in 2005 on Middle Eastern oil** for transportation
- SA listed in *Forbes* magazine's **top 10 cities hardest hit by gasoline price increases** (Sept. 29, 2005)

San Antonio's extensive highway system "induces" more vehicular travel with resulting consequences.