The Washington DC-MD-VA Urbanized Area Fauquier County and TPB Membership

Robert E. Griffiths

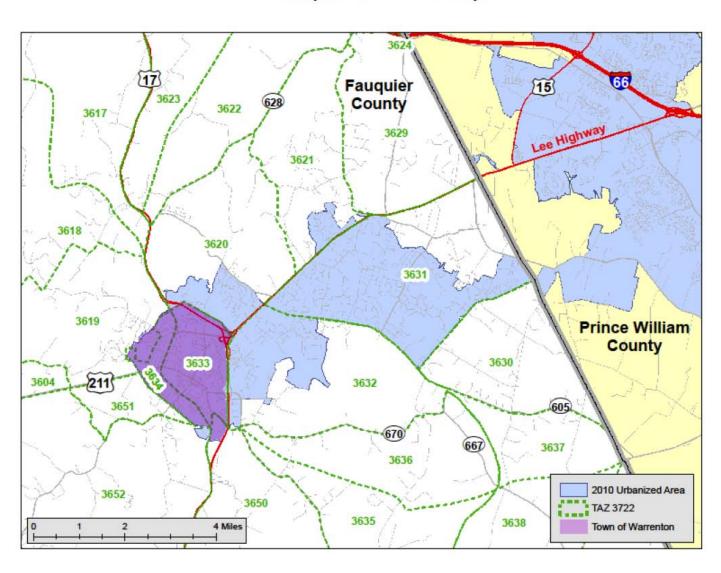
TPB Technical Committee Meeting

April 4, 2014

The Washington DC-MD-VA Urbanized Area now includes a portion of Fauquier County, VA

- The March 27, 2012 Federal Register noted that a portion of Fauquier County, including the Town of Warrenton and areas adjacent to Route 29 northeast of Warrenton, had been designated as part of the Washington DC-MD-VA urbanized area based on results from the 2010 Census.
- Federal metropolitan transportation planning regulations require that the residents of the newly designated portion of this urbanized area be included in the region's transportation planning and programming process and represented on the National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board (TPB).
- Based on published federal guidance, representation of these Fauquier County residents on the TPB must be accomplished prior to the next update of the TPB's Constrained Long Range Plan in October, 2014.

2010 Washington, DC--VA—MD Urbanized Area: Fauquier County



Fauquier County and TPB Membership

- In order to receive federal funding for any transportation projects in areas of Fauquier County/Town of Warrenton that are now designated as part of the urbanized area for the National Capital Region, these projects must be included in the TPB's CLRP and TIP.
- Transportation and land use planning in these areas of Fauquier County/Town of Warrenton must also be included in the region's transportation planning process.
- It is thought and believed that the interests of all residents who live in the portion of Fauquier County/Town of Warrenton that is now part of our urbanized area could best be represented on the TPB by an elected official from Fauquier County.
- It is anticipated that at its April meeting the TPB will formally invite Fauquier County to become a member starting July 1, 2014.
- Once the County agrees to join the TPB, it will have voting membership on the TPB and may participate in all TPB work program activities.