



TPB STEERING COMMITTEE

Friday, June 2, 2023
12:15 P.M. - 2:00 P.M.
Ronald F. Kirby Training Center

Meeting in-person/hybrid for members

AGENDA

1. **REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF JOINT LETTERS FROM TPB, MWAQC, AND CEEPC TO THE EPA ON TWO PROPOSALS TO ESTABLISH “PHASE 3” GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS STANDARDS FOR HEAVY-DUTY VEHICLES AND TO ESTABLISH MULTI-POLLUTANT EMISSIONS STANDARDS FOR LIGHT AND MEDIUM-DUTY VEHICLES BEGINNING WITH THE 2027 MODEL YEAR**

Erin Morrow, TPB Transportation Engineer

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) recently issued two Notices of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRMs) that would establish more stringent greenhouse gas emissions standards for motor vehicles. The first NPRM would establish “Phase 3” greenhouse gas emissions standards for heavy-duty vehicles, and the second would establish multi-pollutant emissions standards for model years 2027 and later light-duty and medium-duty vehicles. A joint letter for each of the NPRMs from the TPB, the Metropolitan Washington Air Quality Committee (MWAQC), and the Climate, Energy and Environment Policy Committee (CEEPC) supporting the proposals has been drafted for review and approval. MWAQC and CEEPC approved the letter on May 24.

Action: Approve draft letters for the TPB Chair’s signature.

2. **REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF TWO RESOLUTIONS TO AMEND THE FY 2023-2026 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP) THAT ARE EXEMPT FROM THE AIR QUALITY CONFORMITY REQUIREMENT**

*Mark Rawlings, District Department of Transportation (DDOT)
Amir Shahpar, Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT)*

Actions:

- **Adopt TPB Resolution SR27-2023 to amend the TIP to include TIP Action 23-19.1 which adds funding to the Southern Ave. SE Improvements project as requested by DDOT.**
- **Adopt TPB Resolution SR28-2023 to amend the TIP to include TIP Action 23-19.3 which adds or removes funding on three roadway projects, one pedestrian bridge project, and three project and/or program groupings, as requested by VDOT**

**2. REVIEW AND RECOMMEND FOR TPB APPROVAL ON JUNE 21, 2023,
THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE FY 2023-2026 TIP**

Amir Shahpar, VDOT

Naomi Klein, Virginia Passenger Rail Authority (VPRA)

Actions:

- **Recommend for TPB approval TPB Resolution R12-2023 to amend the TIP to include TIP Action 23-19.4 which adds funding for the Long Bridge VA – DC, and the Alexandria 4th Track projects as requested by VDOT on behalf of VPRA.**
- 3. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF THE DRAFT AGENDA FOR THE JUNE 21, 2023, TPB MEETING**
- 4. OTHER BUSINESS**

The next meeting is scheduled for Friday, July 7, 2023.