



NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION TRANSPORTATION PLANNING BOARD

TPB TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

AGENDA

Date: Friday, March 6, 2015
Time: **10:00 a.m. – Please Note Start Time Change**
Place: Ronald F. Kirby Training Center
777 N. Capitol Street, N.E.

- 10:00 1. **Welcome and Approval of Minutes from the February 6 Technical Committee Meeting**
..... Chair Rawlings, DDOT
- [Minutes](#)

ITEMS FOR THE BOARD AGENDA

- 10:10 2. **Review of Final Draft FY 2016 Commuter Connections Work Program (CCWP)**
..... Nick Ramfos, DTP
Staff will review the final draft of the Commuter Connections Work Program (CCWP) for FY 2016 (July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016). The TPB will be asked to approve the FY 2016 CCWP at its March 18 meeting.
- [Draft FY 2016 CCWP](#)
- 10:20 3. **Review of Final Draft FY 2016 Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP)**
..... Bob Griffiths, DTP
Staff will review the final draft of the Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) for FY 2016 (July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016). The TPB will be asked to approve the FY 2016 UPWP, including FY2015 UPWP carryover to FY 2016, at its March 18 meeting.
- [Draft FY 2016 UPWP](#)
- 10:35 4. **Update on a Briefing on The Regional Bus Staging, Layover, and Parking Location Study**
..... Rich Roisman, DTP
At the January meeting, the Committee was briefed on the final report of the planning study to determine the best potential locations for on-street staging for commuter buses and off-street layover and parking of buses (tour/charter, intercity, commuter, sightseeing, and shuttle) within the District of Columbia and Arlington County. The Committee will be updated on a briefing on the study that will be presented to the TPB at its March 18 meeting.
- [Regional Bus Staging, Layover, and Parking Location Study](#)

ITEMS FOR INFORMATION AND DISCUSSION

- 10:50 5. **Briefing on a Study to Identify Pedestrian/Bicycle Access Improvements at Select Rail Stations in the Washington Region**
.....John Swanson, DTP
The TPB in 2012 received a grant from the FHWA's Transportation, Community, and Systems Preservation (TCSP) Program to develop an inventory of pedestrian and bicycle improvements near 25 rail stations that currently have capacity to accommodate more riders and are anticipating ridership growth. The capital improvements included in this inventory, which were largely derived from local plans and studies, would enhance station access, helping to maximize use of the existing rail system. The Committee will be briefed on the study.
- [Draft Report: Study to Identify Pedestrian/Bicycle Access Improvements at Select Rail Stations in the Washington Region](#)
- 11:10 6. **Briefing on the February Meeting of the Transportation Sector Group of the COG Multi-sector Working Group to Examine Greenhouse Gas Reductions**
.....Bob Griffiths, DTP
In December, the TPB committed to support a COG multi-disciplinary professional working group to develop a multi-sector action plan to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and criteria pollutants. The Committee will be briefed on the first meeting of the transportation sector group of the COG working group which was held on February 27.
- [Multi-Sector Working Group](#)
 - [Multi-Sector Working Group – Transportation Subgroup](#)
- 11:25 7. **Briefing on 2014 Peak Period Freeway Congestion in the Washington Region, and Changes Since 2011 and 2008**
..... Daivamani Sivasailam, DTP
Beginning in 1993, the TPB has commissioned aerial surveys every three years to monitor the performance of the regional freeway system during the morning and afternoon peak periods. The Committee will be briefed on the recurring congestion observed in the latest survey of Spring 2014 undertaken by Skycomp, Inc., and on changes in congestion locations and durations since the surveys of 2008 and 2011.
- [Traffic Quality on the Metropolitan Washington Area Freeway System – Spring 2014 Report](#)
- 11:40 8. **Update on the Development of MAP-21 Performance Measures**
..... Eric Randall, DTP
The Committee will be updated on the latest developments regarding US DOT regulations on performance measures under MAP-21.
- [Memo: Update on the MAP-21 Performance Provisions](#)

11:50 9. **Update on the Development of a List of Unfunded Transportation Projects**

.....Bob Griffiths, DTP
In November, in response to a request from the TPB, the Committee was briefed on the development of a list of transportation projects which could not be included in the CLRP because funding has not been identified. The TPB jurisdictions and agencies have been requested to provide recognized priority transportation projects and their cost estimates for inclusion in the regional list. The Committee will be updated on the project inputs received to date for the development of the list.

11:55 10. **Other Business**

12:00 11. **Adjourn**

Enclosures not referenced in the above agenda:

- [Report of the Citizens Advisory Committee](#)
- [Monthly UPWP Progress Report](#)

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