National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board

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TPB Scenario Study Task Force

Wednesday May 20, 2009 10:30 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.

COG Board Room, 3rd Floor 777 North Capitol Street, N.E. Washington, DC 20002-4290

Agenda

10:30 1. Introductions

Harriet Tregoning, Chair

10:35 2. Update on Regional Priority Bus Transit Conference

Ron Kirby, DTP

Mr. Kirby will provide a brief update on the Regional Priority Bus Transit Conference to be held on June 24, 2009, which is intended to support the region's bus transit planning efforts by bringing together key national examples and regional stakeholders to discuss development of a priority bus network.

10:40 **3. Overview and Discussion of US DOT Criteria for ARRA Discretionary Grant Program**

Monica Bansal, DTP

TPB staff will provide an overview of the criteria and requirements for the ARRA discretionary grant program administered through the US DOT Office of the Secretary, and an analysis of any implications for the current priority bus transit concept.

11:05 4. Update on the Development of a Regional Priority Bus Transit Project Based on the CLRP Aspirations Scenario for Submission for a Competitive Grant under ARRA

Michael Eichler, DTP and Monica Bansal, DTP

TPB staff will present a comprehensive list of potential corridors and transit centers for consideration, and draft criteria to be used in paring the list down to a few feasible, competitive corridors and associated transit centers.

- 11:30 **5. General Discussion and Next Steps** *Ron Kirby, DTP*
- 11:45 **6.** Adjourn-----Next Meeting Date: Wednesday, June 17, <u>10:30 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.</u>