Meeting Highlights TPB Technical Committee – November 6, 2020

The Technical Committee met on Friday, November 6, 2020 in an online-only session. Meeting materials can be found here: https://www.mwcog.org/events/2020/11/6/tpb-technical-committee/.

The following items were reviewed for inclusion on the TPB's November agenda.

TPB AGENDA ITEM 7 - FY 2021 TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES SET-ASIDE PROGRAM FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The committee was briefed on recommended projects for the federal Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside Program sub-allocated to the TPB for the District of Columbia for FY 2021. The board will be asked to approve the projects at the November TPB meeting.

TPB AGENDA ITEM 8 - PERFORMANCE-BASED PLANNING AND PROGRAMING - TRANSIT SAFETY TARGETS

The committee was briefed on the final recommended regional targets for transit safety performance measures, including fatalities, injuries, safety events, and system reliability, as required under the federal performance-based planning and programming rulemaking for public transportation providers and MPOs. The board was briefed on the draft targets at its September meeting and will be asked to approve the regional targets at the November meeting.

TPB AGENDA ITEM 10 - PERFORMANCE-BASED PLANNING AND PROGRAMMING - DRAFT 2017-2021 HIGHWAY SAFETY TARGETS

The committee was briefed on the proposed 2017-2021 targets for highway safety performance measures. The board will be asked to approve the targets at the December TPB meeting.

TPB AGENDA ITEM 9 - CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE - UPDATE

The committee was briefed on the latest recommendations for updating the Citizens Advisory Committee. These recommendations were presented to the TPB in October for board input. The board will be asked to approve the recommendations at the November TPB meeting.

TPB AGENDA ITEM 11 - VISUALIZE 2045 - TECHNICAL INPUTS SOLICTIATION

The committee was briefed on the draft final Technical Input Solicitation guide, appendix, and input form. The committee also heard about key dates and deadlines, input requirements, and changes from the last long-range transportation plan and Transportation Improvement Program update cycle.

The following items were presented for information and discussion:

REGIONAL SAFETY PROGRAM

The committee was briefed on the status of the Regional Safety Program and an initial overview of its proposed structure was provided.

moveDC UPDATE

The committee was briefed on the District Department of Transportation's long-range plan update. The plan, called moveDC, establishes goals, policies, strategies, and metrics to guide DDOT's investments and programs.

VTRANS PRIORITIZATION OF TRANSPORTATION NEEDS

The committee was briefed on the Policy for the Identification of VTrans Mid-term Needs adopted by the Virginia Commonwealth Transportation Board in January 2020. The Office of Intermodal Planning and Investment has been directed to prioritize the identified needs. The presentation included the draft policy which is available for public comment.

REGIONAL TRAVEL SURVEY - CHANGE IN OBSERVED TRIPS SINCE 2007/2008

The committee was briefed on changes in travel between 2007/2008 and 2017/2018 as reported in the Regional Travel Survey. The presentation focused on daily weekday trips, mode share of all trips, commute trips, and weekday trips by destination and travel mode.

OTHER BUSINESS

- Update on Multisector COVID-19 Regional Impact Analysis Approach
- Public Opinion Survey Completion / Update
- Visualize 2045 Ambassador Kits
- Street Smart
- October 30 CAV Forum Recap
- Resiliency Study
- New employee announcements