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Bicycle and Pedestrian Project Database and Plan Update

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Schedule and Status

- The on line database works
- About 2/3 of jurisdictions have updated projects
 - Information that goes to TPB must be accurate
 - Arm twisting needed
- Text revisions in process
- This subcommittee should approve the plan at its May 18th meeting
- Working group meeting to review a draft on April 20
 - Draft to be posted on the subcommittee web site
 - Comments and suggestions can be posted using the web site blog feature

Plan Highlights

- Same essential structure; update mostly for accuracy and to reflect current best practices
- New:
 - 2007/2008 Household Travel Survey Results
 - Safety data
 - Facilities built since 2006
 - Federal, State, Regional Policies
 - Local and agency plans
 - Best practices
 - Bike Sharing, Cycle Tracks, Bike Route mapping, Complete Streets
 - Transportation Land Use Connections, other TPB programs

Goals and Performance Measures

- Broad Goals
 - TPB Vision (1999)
 - Region Forward 2050
 - Calls on the region to implement the projects in the plan faster
- Possible Performance Measures
 - Construction of bicycle and pedestrian facilities
 - Miles of bike lanes, cycle tracks, side paths
 - Dollars spent
 - Cost-benefit
 - Safety measures
 - Training measures
 - Enforcement measures
 - Others?

Outlook

- Annual Database Updates
 - Measure progress
 - Report to TPB annually
 - Tool for generating lists of “ready to go” projects
- Plan Updates
 - Every 4 years
 - General information for bicycle and pedestrian planning in the region
 - Incorporate changes in best practices, goals