

TPB STEERING COMMITTEE

Friday, April 1, 2022 12:15 - 2:00 P.M.

IN PERSON/HYBRID MEETING FOR MEMBERS

AGENDA

 APPROVAL OF REGIONAL BIKE TO WORK DAY 2022 PROCLAMATION Nicholas Ramfos, Transportation Operations Programs Director

In an effort to increase public awareness of the viability of bicycle commuting in the Washington region, regional Bike to Work Day events are being organized at 96 locations in the region for Friday, May 20. These events will encourage the business community and other regional decision-makers to support increased bicycle commuting through bicycle-friendly policies and initiatives.

Action: Approve Regional Bike To Work Day 2022 Proclamation.

2. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF A JOINT LETTER FROM TPB, MWAQC, AND CEEPC TO THE EPA ON A PROPOSAL TO CONTROL AIR POLLUTION FROM NEW MOTOR VEHICLES: HEAVY-DUTY ENGINE AND VEHICLE STANDARDS

Jane Posey, TPB Transportation Engineer

In a March 28, 2022 Federal Register notice the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is seeking comment on a proposal to change the heavy-duty vehicle emission control program – including the standards, test procedures, regulatory useful life, emission-related warranty, and other requirements – to further reduce the air quality impacts of heavy-duty engines across a range of operating conditions and over a longer period of the operational life of heavy-duty engines. The proposal also includes targeted updates to the existing Heavy-Duty Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Emissions Phase 2 program that will further GHG reductions in the model year (MY) 2027 timeframe. A joint letter from the Transportation Planning Board (TPB), the Metropolitan Washington Air Quality Committee (MWAQC), and the Climate, Energy and Environment Policy Committee (CEEPC) supporting the proposal has been drafted for review and approval. The Steering Committee will be asked to approve this letter.

Action: Approve draft letter.

- 3. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF THE DRAFT AGENDA FOR THE APRIL 20, 2022 TPB MEETING
- 4. OTHER BUSINESS

The next meeting is scheduled for Friday, May 6, 2022.

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