# TPB CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE MONTHLY REPORT

July 22, 2020

Nancy Abeles, CAC Chair

The 2020 CAC met for an online-only meeting on Thursday, June 16. At the meeting, the committee discussed two items on the TPB agenda: Safety Recommendations and the National Capital Trail Network. The committee also provided feedback on the Visualize 2045 website.

#### SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS UPDATE

Jon Schermann, TPB Transportation Planner, briefed the committee on the board's discussion about the safety recommendations at the June meeting. He described the changes that have been made and walked the committee through the resolution that the TPB will discuss on July 22. He also presented on the connection between CAC input on safety over the last 18 months and recommendations in the resolution.

The committee endorses board Resolution R3-2021 to approve a set of regional safety recommendations and actions.

The committee made the following statement:

The 2020 Citizens Advisory Committee endorses prompt adoption of TPB's proposed Safety Resolution (R3-2021). The committee supports inclusion of an equity statement in the resolution and encourages the board and staff to extend an equity perspective to all their work. The committee supports the TPB's vision and aspirations to reduce and eliminate transportation related fatalities and serious injuries in the region. The committee is eager to see the resolution and countermeasures applied equitably and consistently within respective jurisdictions and throughout the region. The committee believes that this action is significant and looks forward to working with the board to make the region safer for everyone.

#### NATIONAL CAPITAL TRAIL NETWORK

Michael Farrell, TPB Transportation Planner, briefed the committee on updates to the National Capital Trail Network.

The committee supports the updated trail network and is excited that the new network will connect all jurisdictions in the region by trail.

#### **OTHER BUSINESS**

Nancy Abeles, CAC Chair, walked the committee through the discussion that occurred at the June TPB meeting.

Lyn Erickson, TPB Plan Development and Coordination Program Director, walked the committee through the July TPB agenda.

Abigail Zenner, TPB Communications Specialist, shared the Visualize 2045 website with the committee and lead an activity to identify ways to improve and make the site clearer.

### **ATTENDEES**

## MEMBERS STAFF AND GUESTS

Nancy Abeles, chair	Rob Jackson	Lyn Erickson, TPB staff
Audrey Derissaint-Nwaze	Kalai Kandasamy	Bryan Hayes, TPB staff
Jeremy Martin	Jacqueline Manapsal	John Swanson, TPB staff
Ricky Tejada	Daniel Papiernik	Jon Schermann, TPB staff
Tony Giancola	Jeff Parnes	Abigail Zenner, TPB staff
Katherine Kortum	Lorena Rios	Michael Farrell, TPB staff
Elisa Walton		Karen Armendariz, TPB staff
		Andrew Meese, TPB staff
		Kelly Russell, TPB Chair
		Bill Orleans, Public

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