

National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board

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TPB TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

AGENDA

Date: Friday, October 4, 2013
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Place: Training Center
777 N. Capitol Street, N.E.

- 9:00 1. **Welcome and Approval of Minutes from the September 6 Technical Committee Meeting**
.....Chair Erickson

ITEMS FOR THE BOARD AGENDA

- 9:10 2. **Briefing on the Draft Call for Projects and Schedule for the Air Quality Conformity Assessment for the 2014 CLRP and FY 2015-2020 TIP**
.....Andrew Austin, DTP
Jane Posey, DTP

The Committee will be briefed on the draft call for projects document and schedule for the air quality conformity assessment for the 2014 CLRP and FY 2015-2020 TIP. Staff will also review materials on future year transit coding assumptions. The TPB will be asked to approve the final call for projects document at its November 20 meeting. (Attachment)

- 9:25 3. **Update on the Final Report of the TPB Bus On Shoulders (BOS) Task Force**
.....Eric Randall, DTP

The Committee will be updated on the final report of the TPB BOS task force which has investigated promising locations in the region to operate buses on the shoulders of highways. The task force met on September 18 to finalize the report, which will be presented to the TPB at its meeting on October 16. (Attachment)

- 9:45 4. **Update on a Revised Draft TPB Regional Transportation Priorities Plan (RTPP)**
..... Ron Kirby, DTP

The TPB Regional Transportation Priorities Plan (RTPP) is being developed to identify regional strategies that offer the greatest potential contributions toward addressing regional challenges. The draft RTPP was released for public comment on July 24 and the TPB was briefed on the comments received at its September 18 meeting. The Committee will be updated on the September 27th COG Economy Forward event on regional activity centers and transportation priorities, and on proposed revisions to the draft priorities plan. An updated version of the plan will be released for public comment at the CAC meeting on October 10. (Attachment)

- 10:40 5. **Update on the Regional "Street Smart" Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety Education Campaign**
..... Michael Farrell, DTP

The Committee will be briefed on the evaluation of the Fall 2012 and Spring 2013 campaigns, and on the funding and planning for the Fall 2013 and Spring 2014 campaigns. (Attachment)

ITEMS FOR INFORMATION AND DISCUSSION

- 10:55 6. **Briefing on a Draft Regional Green Streets Policy for the Washington Region**
..... Michael Farrell, DTP
At the December 19 meeting, the TPB received a request from the Anacostia Watershed Restoration Partnership to adopt a regional Green Streets policy, following its adopted regional Complete Streets policy. The Committee will be briefed on a draft regional Green Streets policy. (Attachment)
- 11:05 7. **Update on the Metropolitan Area Transportation Operations Coordination (MATOC) Program**
..... Andrew Meese, DTP
As requested its September 18 meeting, the TPB will receive a MATOC activities update memorandum in the October 16 TPB meeting materials. MATOC is a joint program between DDOT, MDOT/SHA, VDOT, and WMATA to promote real-time interagency information sharing and coordination. The TPB requested information on MATOC's regional transportation coordination activities during the September 16 Navy Yard incident, and this information will be included in the draft memorandum.
- 11:20 8. **Update on the Connection between Goods Movement and the Economy at the County Level in the Washington Region**
..... Karin Foster, DTP
In order to better understand the connection between goods movement and the local economy, TPB staff has interviewed county and city staff to obtain goods movement data and information on freight facilities within their jurisdictions. The Committee will be updated on observations about goods movement and the local economy data throughout the region.
- 11:40 9. **Briefing on the new Activity Centers and their Share of Round 8.2 Forecast Regional Growth**
..... Clara Reschovsky, DTP
In July, the Planning Directors Technical Advisory Committee (PDTAC) approved Transportation Analysis (TAZ)-based geographic definitions for the 141 new Activity Centers that have been designed to better integrate locally planned growth areas into the regional planning process. Staff will brief the Committee on the new Activity Centers and the share of future regional growth (Round 8.2) projected to occur in these centers by 2040.
- 11:55 10. **Other Business**
- 12:00 11 **Adjourn**

Enclosures not referenced in the above agenda:

- Report of the Citizens Advisory Committee
- July/August Progress Report