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Thursday, September 13
12 noon to 2 pm
COG Board Room – 3rd Floor

Webinar/ Phone call info:

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AGENDA

- 12:00 P.M. 1. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS**
Chair Kacy Kostiuik, TPB Member and Councilmember, City of Takoma Park
- 12:05 P.M. 2. VISUALIZE 2045: DRAFT REVIEW & OPPORTUNITY FOR COMMENT**
Staff will introduce the draft of Visualize 2045, the TPB's new long-range transportation plan for the National Capital Region, which was released for public comment on September 7: <https://www.mwcog.org/visualize2045/>. After the 30-day comment period, the TPB will be asked to approve Visualize 2045 at its October 17 meeting.
- A. INTRODUCTION (5 MINUTES)**
Lori Zeller, TPB Transportation Planner
- This introduction will include an overview of the region's transportation system, land-use forecasts, and the regional policies which guided the development of Visualize 2045
- B. ASPIRATIONAL ELEMENT (5 MINUTES)**
Abigail Zenner, TPB Communications Specialist
- In 2017 and 2018 the TPB endorsed seven aspirational initiatives to include as the unfunded element of Visualize 2045. Ms. Zenner will explain how the aspirational initiatives are integrated throughout Visualize 2045.
- C. FINANCIALLY CONSTRAINED ELEMENT (30 MINUTES)**
- Projects in the financially constrained element**
Andrew Austin, TPB Transportation Planner
- Staff will provide a brief overview of project highlights from the financial constrained element of Visualize 2045 and how they support the seven endorsed initiatives.

Financial plan

Eric Randall, TPB Transportation Engineer

Federal planning regulations require the long-range transportation plan and TIP to have a financial plan that demonstrates how they can be implemented and the sources of funding reasonably expected to be made available to carry them out.

Performance analysis

Sergio Ritacco, TPB Transportation Planner

The performance analysis for the financially constrained element of Visualize 2045 “visualizes” the differences between three scenarios.

Air Quality Conformity determination

Jane Posey, TPB Transportation Engineer

The financially constrained element of Visualize 2045 demonstrates that future emissions under the plan are consistent— “in conformity”—with emissions levels set forth in air quality plans adopted by the states.

D. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION (5 MINUTES)

Abigail Zenner, TPB Transportation Planner

The TPB developed Visualize 2045 over a four-year period between 2014 and 2018, with public participation an integral part throughout. Ms. Zenner will provide an overview of all the public involvement activities and summarize the public input received.

E. QUESTIONS & COMMENTS (30 MINUTES)

Sergio Ritacco, TPB Transportation Planner

1:20 P.M.

3. COORDINATED HUMAN SERVICE TRANSPORTATION PLAN STATUS UPDATE

Lynn Winchell-Mendy, TPB Transportation Planner

The TPB’s Coordinated Human Service Transportation Plan is being updated this year and guides funding decisions for the Enhanced Mobility grant program. A draft plan was shared during the July AFA webinar. Ms. Winchell-Mendy will provide an update on the status of the plan and emphasize the continued need for assistance of AFA membership in finalizing the Listing of Specialized Transportation.

1:25 P.M. 4. THE ARC OF NORTHERN VIRGINIA – TRAVELMATE, TRAIN THE TRAVEL TRAINER PROJECT

*Kymerly DeLoatche, Project Manager - Enhancing Mobility
Camille Franco, TravelMate/EmployMate Project Coordinator*

Ms. DeLoatche & Ms. Franco will present on the Arc's Train the Travel Trainer project. The training uses a specialized software program that provides a step by step guide to support adults and students with intellectual disabilities to independently travel on bus or Metrorail. The presentation will include next steps for expansion of the project with the support of additional Enhanced Mobility funding.

1:50 P.M. 5. OTHER BUSINESS

2:00 P.M. 6. ADJOURN

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