## COG 2017 LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES

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### **CERTAINTY AND ADEQUACY OF TRANSPORTATION FUNDING**

- Support State Safety Oversight Agencies (SSOA)
- Support Dedicated Infrastructure Funding for the National Capital Region
- Support Fixing the Deficit in the Federal Transportation Trust Fund
- Support Federal Funding for Operations of the Region's Metrorail System
- Support Funding for Next Generation Transportation Systems



# WATER QUALITY PROTECTION

- Support Investments in Water Infrastructure and Workforce Development
- Ensure Stormwater Regulatory Feasibility
- Support Climate and Flood Resiliency Initiatives
- Ensure Local Government Input
- Support Affordability and Regulatory Flexibility
- Support Water Security
- Support Drinking Source Water Protection



#### CLIMATE AND ENERGY INNOVATION AND AIR QUALITY PROTECTION

- Support Deployment of Clean Energy Innovation and Technology
- Expand Clean Energy Finance
- Improve Energy System Resilience
- Further Improve Air Quality
- Ensure Local Government Input



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#### WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT AND HUMAN SERVICES

- Align Education and Job Creation
- Support Workforce Development at the Local Level
- Support Local Governments and Activity Centers
- Increase Availability of and Access to Mental Health Services
- Support School Nutrition



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