MWCOG Cooperative Forecasting Program
Fall 2019

Data:

- QCEW State Data (2nd Quarter – 2015)
- QCEW (Jurisdictional Totals/Annual)
- InfoGroup Data (April 2018)
- Census Residential Construction (Jurisdictional Totals/Annual)
- Job Density by Land Use Table

Reports:

- Commercial Construction Indicators Report (May 2019)
- Multifamily Rental Housing Construction Indicators Report (January 2019)
- Growth Trends Report (October 2018)
- Updated Employment Baseline Guidance Memorandum (September 2018)
- NAICS to Land Use Category Memorandum (September 2018)
- Land Use Retail Employment Trends Memorandum (December 2017)
- REMS Report (Monthly)

Topics / Speakers:

Planned:

- State of the Commute Survey Report – Nicholas Ramfos/Tim Canan (COG/TPB Staff)
- Regional Household Travel Survey – Ken Joh (COG/TPB Staff)
- Briefing on the TPB Regional Transportation Data Clearing House – Charlene Howard (COG/TPB Staff)
- COG Board Initiative – The Future of Housing in Greater Washington report – Paul DesJardin (MWCOG staff)
- Residential Construction Survey – Cheryl Cornish (U.S. Census Bureau)
- The changing face of retail trade – Michael Rieley (Bureau of Labor Statistics)

Other Possible Topics:

- Jurisdictional Presentations (Topics of Interest) – (MWCOG Membership)
- 2017 Economic Census (Being released on a flow basis between September 2019 and December 2021)
- Housing and the Tech Boom: Using LEHD and Zillow Data to Understand Housing Market Impacts - Aaron Terrazas, Senior Economist, Zillow - Possible impacts that Amazon can have on our region as compared to Amazon's impact on Seattle
- Gentrification/Displacement Challenges in the Washington Region
- TPB Defined High-Capacity Transit (HCT) stations
- Commuting Trends between Baltimore, MD and Washington, DC
- Scooters – emissions-free modes of transportation
- What is the Impact of Big Data? [Differential privacy]
- Understanding the Gig Economy
- Impacts of the Sharing Economy

- 2018 ACS Data Release
- Homelessness in Metropolitan Washington Results and Analysis from the Annual Point-in-Time (PIT) Count of Person Experiencing Homelessness – Hilary Chapman (COG/DCPS Staff)

Completed:

- Differential Privacy and the Overall Privacy of Decennial Data – Michael Hawes (U.S. Census Bureau)
- 2020 Census Partnership Updates – Nesreen Khashan and Eduardo Guity (U.S. Census Bureau)
- Data Visualization – Jordan Sender (Tableau Software)
- Regional Economy – Jeannette Chapman (The Stephen S. Fuller Institute)
- Regional Economic Topics - Raymond Owens (Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond)
- Development of Statewide Population Projections – Qian Ca & Shonel Sen (Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service) and Alfred Sundara (Maryland State Data Center)
- Commercial Real Estate Trends in the Washington Region – David Weisel (Delta Associates) No longer with Delta Associates
- The Federal Government Presence and Office Space Usage – Mina Wright (U.S. General Services Administration)
- Immigration Policy - Audrey Singer (now with Congressional Research Service)
- Commercial Real Estate - Greg Leisch (Newmark Knight Frank - now retired)
- Retail Real Estate – Christopher Gerlach (International Council of Shopping Centers)
- Future of the Retail Trade Sector – Mark Mathews (National Retail Federation)
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- Presentation on BEA Employment Data– Robert Brown (Bureau of Economic Analysis)

Training:

- New Platform for Accessing Census Data (data.census.gov) September 2019– Rob Chestnut (U.S Census Bureau)
- Census Transportation Planning Products Program (CTPP) August 2019 – Ed Christopher and Penelope Weinberger (American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials)
- Participant Statistical Areas Program (PSAP) February 2019 – Randy Gonzalez and Rob Stabs (U.S. Census Bureau)
- Local Update of Census Addresses Operation (LUCA) Training Session November 2017 - Randy Gonzalez (U.S. Census Bureau)
- Census Bureau Economic Programs: An Overview, and Using These Data to Promote Economic Development April 2015 – Andrew Hait (U.S. Census Bureau) and Jason Horenberg (CoStar)