### Proposed FY 2018 UPWP Activities:

#### Mobile Emissions Planning and Travel Forecasting

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# Unified Planning Work Program

- A listing of MPO work activities and budgets
- A coordination mechanism
- A requirement for federal funding
- Fiscal-Year (FY) based (July 1 to June 30)
- We are currently planning for FY 2018
  - -- begins July 1, 2017



#### FY 2018 UPWP: 3 Parts

- 1. Core Work Program
  - 10 Program Areas
- 2. Technical Assistance
  - The three "states" and WMATA
- 3. Continuous Airport System Planning (CASP)

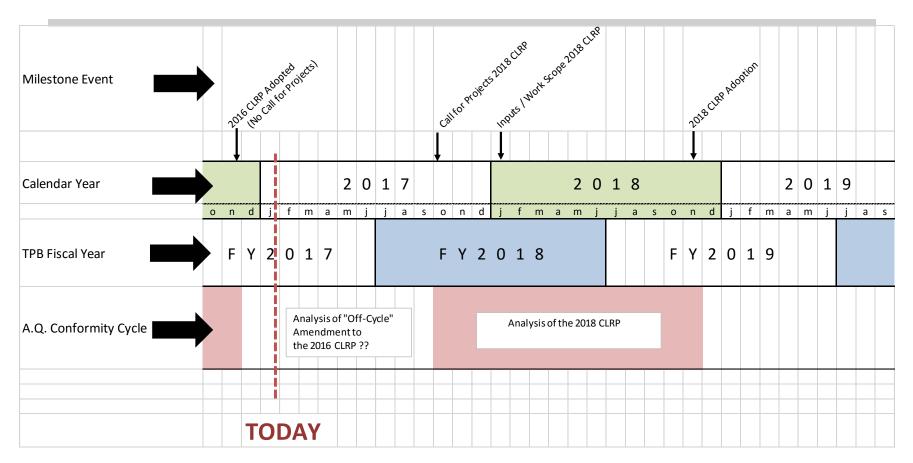


# 10 Core Work Program Areas

No.	FY 2018 TPB Core Work Program Activities	TPB Committee/Subcommittee Oversight
1	Long Range Planning	Technical Committee
2	Performance-Based Planning	Technical Committee
3	Mobile Emissons Planning	Technical Committee in consultation with MWAQC
4	Planning Programs	(Multiple committees and subcommittees)
5	Travel Forecasting	Travel Forecasting Subcommittee
6	Travel Monitoring and Data	Technical Committee and Travel Forecasting Subcommittee
7	Cooperative Forecasting & Transportation Planning Coordination	Technical Committee
8	Public Participation & Human Transportation Service Coordination	TPB
9	Transportation Alternatives & Land Use Connection	Technical Committee
10	TPB Support & Management	TPB



# A.Q. Conformity Timeline





# Takeaways from timeline as per travel demand modeling

 The Version 2.3.66 model is and will remain the adopted forecasting process for the next two years

 The decision to stay with the V2.3.66 model or move to the developmental V2.5 model for the 2018 AQC analysis will be made in January 2018

 The next "adopted" travel demand model will likely occur in November 2018



## Mobile Emissions Planning Activities

#### Air Quality Conformity

- Prepare/evaluate scenario analysis for the Long Range Plan Task Force including sketch planning tool use
- Begin the AQC analysis cycle of the 2018 CLRP
  - Solicitation process
  - Scope of work development
  - Consultation process
- Determine PBPP requirements for the FY 2018 CLRP analysis (CMAQ, GHG emissions reduction targets)
- Mobile Emissions Analysis
  - 2017 VIN Inventory
  - SIP, MSWG, TERMS support



# Travel Forecasting/ Network Development activities

- Update base-year transit network
- Maintain and refine COGTOOLS process
- Support LRP scenario network development
- Support network development for both the currently adopted (V.2.3.66) model as well as the developmental (V2.5) trip-based model
- Continue development of a parcel-level land use database



# Travel Forecasting/ Models Development activities

- Evaluate, document and prepare V2.5 trip-based travel demand model for production use
- Establish consultant assisted contract for initiating the multi-year development of a next-generation model using existing data
- Continue maintenance and development activities
  - Staff the TFS
  - Support external users of the adopted travel model
  - Maintain/update software, hardware resources
  - Respond to technical data requests



# Concluding remarks

- We appreciate TFS oversight and interest in our activities
- Our hope: technical products services are valued and responsive to your needs
- Challenges:
  - Demands placed on the TPB's travel forecasting capabilities are increasing
  - Keeping the forecasting methods current with emerging travel technologies is another concern; this is a justification for an on-going data collection program



# Questions?

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