

**TPB Technical Committee Meeting Highlights**

**May 2, 2008**

The Technical Committee met on May 2 at COG. Two items were reviewed for inclusion on the TPB agenda on May 21.

- TPB agenda Item 9

The Committee received a status report on the conformity analysis of the 2008 CLRP and FY 2009-2014 TIP with NVTA funded projects. The Committee also received status reports on inputs for the two versions of the draft 2008 CLRP and FY 2009-2014 TIP (with and without NVTA funded projects), and on the agenda for the public meeting on the TIP to be held on May 15 hosted by the TPB Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC).

- TPB agenda Item 11

The Committee was updated the development of the "CLRP Aspirations" and "What Would it Take?" scenarios, and on the briefings on the scenario development process that were presented to the COG Climate Change Steering Committee and the Greater Washington 2050 Coalition in late April. The Committee also was briefed on a draft cost-effectiveness analysis of travel demand measures (TDMs) for reducing CO<sub>2</sub> emissions which could inform the "What Would it Take?" scenario that will examine a number of strategies to reduce CO<sub>2</sub>.

Two items were presented for information and discussion:

- A consultant briefed the Committee on a cost-benefit analysis framework which provides a comprehensive approach for assessing transit investments in the Washington region.
- Staff briefed the Committee on a draft policy report summarizing the changes in travel trends and commuting patterns in the Washington region.

**TPB TECHNICAL COMMITTEE MEMBERS AND ALTERNATES  
ATTENDANCE - May 2, 2008**

**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

DDOT                      Mark Rawlings

**MARYLAND**

Charles County            -----  
 Frederick Co.             John Thomas  
 City of Frederick         Tim Davis  
 Gaithersburg             -----  
 Montgomery Co.          David Moss  
 Prince George's Co.      Vic Weissberg  
 Rockville                 -----  
 M-NCPPC  
   Montgomery Co.        -----  
   Prince George's Co.    Faramarz Mokhtari  
 MDOT                      Lyn Erickson  
                                   Shiva Shrestha  
                                   Keith Bounds  
                                   Patrick Fleming  
                                   Del Harvey

**VIRGINIA**

Alexandria                 Maria White  
 Arlington Co.             Ritch Viola  
 City of Fairfax            -----  
 Fairfax Co.                 Robert Owolabi  
                                   Leonard Wolfenstein  
 Falls Church              -----  
 Loudoun Co.                -----  
 Manassas                  -----  
 Prince William Co.        Monica Backmon  
 NVTC                        -----  
 PRTC                        Anthony Foster  
 VRE                         -----  
 VDOT                        Kanathur Srikanth  
 VDRPT                      Sharmila Samarasinghe  
 NVPDC                      -----  
 VDOA                        -----

**WMATA**

WMATA                      Clayton Ashby

**FEDERAL/OTHER**

FHWA-DC                  -----  
 FHWA-VA                  -----  
 FTA                         -----  
 NCPC                       -----  
 NPS                         -----  
 MWAQC                    -----  
 FEMA/DHS                -----

**COG Staff**

Ronald Kirby, DTP  
 Gerald Miller, DTP  
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 Mark Pfoutz, DTP  
 Andrew Austin, DTP  
 Jim Hogan, DTP  
 Bob Griffiths, DTP  
 Andrew Meese, DTP  
 William Bacon, DTP  
 Michael Farrell, DTP  
 Erin Morrow, DTP  
 Nicholas Ramfos, DTP  
 Monica Bansal, DTP  
 Jane Posey, DTP  
 Hailemariam Abai, DTP  
 Sunil Kumar, DEP

**Other Participants**

Harry Sanders, Purple Line Now  
 Randy Carroll, MDE  
 Chris Behr, HDR  
 David Lewis, HDR  
 Neil Pogorelsky