



TPB TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

Wednesday, July 3, 2024
9:30 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

In Person/Hybrid Meeting

AGENDA

- 9:30 A.M. **1. WELCOME, PARTICIPATION PROCEDURES, AND MEMBER ROLL CALL**
Amy Garbarini, TPB Technical Committee Chairman
- COG protocols for holding hybrid meetings and how this meeting will proceed will be explained.
- 9:40 A.M. **2. APPROVAL OF MEETING RECAP FROM THE JUNE 7, 2024 TECHNICAL COMMITTEE MEETING**
Amy Garbarini, TPB Technical Committee Chairman

ITEMS FOR THE BOARD AGENDA

- 9:45 A.M. **3. CAR FREE DAY PROCLAMATION**
Daniel Sheehan, Transportation Operations Programs Director
- In an effort to create awareness and encourage residents to go car free by using public transportation, bicycling or walking, or go car lite and carpool, Regional Car Free Day events are being organized in the region for September 23. These events will encourage the community and regional decision-makers to support car free policies and initiatives.
- 10:00 A.M. **4. FY 2024 MARYLAND TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES SET ASIDE PROGRAM PROJECT APPROVALS**
John Swanson, TPB Transportation Planner
- A portion of the federal Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside Program (TAP) is sub-allocated to the TPB for project selection in suburban Maryland. The board will be briefed on recommended projects and asked to approve them for funding.

10:15 A.M. 5. CARBON REDUCTION PROGRAM: STATE DEPARTMENTS OF TRANSPORTATION BRIEFINGS

Kanti Srikanth, TPB Staff Director

The committee will be briefed on collaboration with the state DOTs on project identification and selection for formula funding from the Carbon Reduction Program, which was established by the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law and provides funds for projects designed to reduce carbon dioxide emissions from on-road transportation.

ITEM 5A: CARBON REDUCTION PROGRAM: MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Deron Lovaas, MDOT

The committee will receive a briefing from MDOT staff on their project identification and selection process for Carbon Reduction Program funding.

ITEM 5B: CARBON REDUCTION PROGRAM: VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Chris Berg, VDOT

The committee will receive a briefing from VDOT staff on their project identification and selection process for Carbon Reduction Program funding.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

10:55 A.M. 6. REGIONAL SAFETY EVENT

Janie Nham, TPB Planning Manager

Staff will brief the committee on its current planning efforts for a regional safety event to be held in the Fall, in anticipation of establishing a regionwide zero deaths goal.

11:15 A.M. 7. WMATA BETTER BUS NETWORK REDESIGN PROJECT UPDATE

Al Himes and William Jones, WMATA

Staff from the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (Metro) will present on the Better Bus Network Redesign Project in the context of the current engagement period. Metro is currently conducting a third round of public outreach for the Better Bus Network Redesign. This round of public engagement is focused on gathering input on the proposed 2025 Better Bus Network (2025 Network), which includes a network of bus routes that better connect the region with the same level of resources as the current Metrobus network, new route names, and more efficient bus stop spacing.

11:35 A.M. 8. CARBON REDUCTION PROGRAM: DISTRICT DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
Meredith Soniat, DDOT

The committee will receive a briefing from DDOT staff on their project identification and selection process for Carbon Reduction Program funding.

11:50 A.M. 9. OTHER BUSINESS
Lyn Erickson, TPB Plan Development and Coordination Program Director

- Visualize 2050: Recap, deadline extensions, schedule forthcoming (*Cristina Finch*)
- Curbside Management Symposium this Summer (*Janie Nham*)
- DMV Moves (*Kanti Srikanth*)
- Staff Update (*staff*)

12:00 P.M. 10. ADJOURN

The July TPB meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, July 17, 2024. The next Technical Committee meeting is scheduled for Friday, September 6, 2024.

Upcoming Subcommittee and Advisory Committee Meetings		
July 8	12:00 P.M.	TPB Access for All Advisory Committee
July 11	1:00	Freight Subcommittee
July 11	6:00 P.M.	TPB Community Advisory Committee
July 12	9:30 A.M.	TPB Travel Forecasting Subcommittee
July 16	10:00 A.M.	Employer Outreach Committee
July 16	12:00 P.M.	Commuter Connections Subcommittee
July 16	1:00 P.M.	TPB Bicycle and Pedestrian Subcommittee
July 17	12:00 P.M.	Transportation Planning Board
July 23	12:00 P.M.	TPB Regional Public Transportation Subcommittee
July 25	10:30 A.M.	TPB Aviation Technical Subcommittee
September 6	9:00 A.M.	TPB Technical Committee
September 6	12:15 P.M.	TPB Steering Committee