



## TPB TRAVEL FORECASTING SUBCOMMITTEE

Friday, May 20, 2022

9:30 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. Eastern (6:30 A.M. to 8:00 A.M. Pacific)

[This meeting will be 100% virtual/teleconference](#)

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### AGENDA

- 9:30 A.M.     **1. INTRODUCTIONS AND APPROVAL OF MEETING HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE PREVIOUS MEETING**  
*Lisa Shemer, Maryland Department of Transportation, State Highway Administration (MDOT SHA), Office of Planning & Preliminary Engineering, Travel Forecasting and Analysis Division; TFS Chair*
- 9:35 A.M.     **2. AIR QUALITY CONFORMITY ANALYSIS AND PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS OF THE 2022 UPDATE OF VISUALIZE 2045, THE TPB'S LONG-RANGE TRANSPORTATION PLAN**  
*Dusan Vuksan, TPB Manager, Model Application Group*  
*Sergio Ritacco, TPB Transportation Planner*
- Staff will provide an overview of the draft Visualize 2045 plan's air quality conformity analysis and regional transportation system performance analysis. The presentation will also include a review of regional context, an overview of plan requirements, and the Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP). The TPB actions related to the plan are scheduled for June 2022.
- 10:20 A.M.   **3. COG/TPB GEN3 TRAVEL MODEL: STATUS REPORT**  
*Andrew Rohne, Senior Consultant, RSG*  
*Feng Xie, TPB Manager, Model Development Group, COG*
- The TPB's next-generation travel demand forecasting model, known as the Gen3 Travel Model, will be an activity-based model (ABM), implemented in the ActivitySim software platform. The Gen3 Model is being developed in two phases. The goal of Phase 1 was to develop a prototype model that can be used by TPB staff for testing purposes. As of February, Phase 1 is now complete. Phase 2, whose goal is to develop a production-use model, began in March and should be completed in the summer of 2023. Today, RSG will discuss the plans for dealing with internal-to-external (IE) and external-to-internal (EI) travel in the Gen3 Travel Model. Then, TPB staff will discuss the planned methodology for developing school enrollment data, which is needed by the Gen3 Model.

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**10:45 A.M. 4. ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION OF CURRENT MODELING EFFORTS AROUND THE REGION**

*Lisa Shemer, TFS Chair*

TFS members will have an opportunity to inform the subcommittee about active or planned project planning studies that are underway in their respective jurisdictions.

**10:55 A.M. 5. OTHER BUSINESS**

- a. Snapshots of effects of COVID-19 on travel, available on COG website (Martha Kile, TPB staff)
- b. Planned guest presentations at upcoming TFS meetings (Mark Moran, TPB staff)
- c. Next meeting scheduled for Friday, July 22, 2022, 9:30 A.M. to 12 noon

**11:00 A.M. 6. ADJOURN**

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