

# **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Wednesday, June 12, 2019 12:00 - 2:00 P.M. Walter A. Scheiber Board Room

#### **AGENDA**

**12:00 P.M. 1. CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**Robert C. White, Jr., COG Board Chair

2. CHAIRMAN'S REPORT
Robert C. White, Jr., COG Board Chair

**12:05** P.M. **3. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT**Chuck Bean, COG Executive Director

**4. AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA**Robert C. White, Jr., COG Board Chair

**12:15** P.M. **5. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES FROM MAY 8, 2019** *Robert C. White, Jr., COG Board Chair* 

**Recommended Action: Approve minutes.** 

6. ADOPTION OF CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

Robert C. White, Jr., COG Board Chair

- A. Resolution R17-2019 Resolution authorizing COG to receive a grant to develop an occupational health and safety manual and training
- B. Resolution R18-2019 Resolution authorizing COG to receive a grant to update the National Capital Region Threat Intelligence Consortium standing operating procedures
- C. Resolution R19-2019 Resolution authorizing COG to procure and enter into a contract to renew COG's association management system
- D. Resolution R20-2019 Resolution authorizing COG to procure and enter into a contract with the Occoquan Watershed Monitoring Laboratory
- E. Resolution R21-2019 Resolution authorizing COG to receive grants, procure and enter into contracts to conduct the 2019 Washington-Baltimore Regional Air Passenger Survey
- F. Resolution R22-2019 Resolution endorsing COG's recognition and appreciation of distinguished service by Charles M. Murray

Recommended Action: Approve Resolutions R17-2019 - R22-2019.

## 12:20 P.M. 7. EXPECTATIONS OF THE WASHINGTON METRORAIL SAFETY COMMISSION (WMSC)

Henrika Buchanan, Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Associate Administrator and Chief Safety Officer

The board will be updated on the FTA's certification of the State Safety Oversight Program of the WMSC, the independent body now responsible for overseeing and enforcing safety of the Metrorail system, including expectations and next steps.

Recommended Action: Receive briefing.

#### 12:35 P.M. 8. REAUTHORIZATION OF FEDERAL FUNDING FOR METRO

Ben Cardin, U.S. Senator from Maryland Chris Van Hollen, U.S. Senator from Maryland Gerald E. Connolly, U.S. Representative from Virginia

The board will be briefed on the proposed legislation to reauthorize federal funding for Metro.

Recommended Action: Receive briefing and adopt Resolution R23-2019.

#### 12:55 P.M. 9. AFFORDABILITY OF HOUSING ACROSS COST BANDS IN THE REGION

Polly Donaldson, COG Housing Directors Advisory Committee Co-Chair Catherine Buell, Greater Washington Partnership Policy & Programs Vice President

Stephen Harrington, Greater Washington Partnership Engagement & External Affairs Manager

Margery Turner, Urban Institute Senior Vice President for Program Planning and Management

As part of the board's initiative to address the region's housing shortfall, the board will be briefed on draft research findings by the Urban Institute. This draft report, supported by the Greater Washington Partnership, proposes a regional housing framework that addresses the likely future need for housing across a range of cost points.

Recommended Action: Receive briefing.

## 1:40 P.M. 10. EXECUTIVE SESSION

## 1:55 P.M. 11. OTHER BUSINESS

## 2:00 P.M. 12. ADJOURN

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, September 11, 2019.