



COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE 2021 - 2022 Application

Community leaders and interested citizens from across the Washington region are invited to apply for membership on the 2019 Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC) to the National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board (TPB). Applications are due by December 10, 2020.

WHAT IS THE CAC?

The Community Advisory Committee (CAC) is a group of 25 people who represent diverse viewpoints on regional transportation issues, including long-term planning concerns, and short-term policies and programs. The TPB is the body that coordinates transportation planning for the entire metropolitan Washington region. The TPB includes elected local officials, representatives from transportation agencies, and other key officials. Staff for the TPB is provided by the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (COG).

The mission of the TPB Citizens Advisory Committee is:

- to ***promote public involvement*** in transportation planning for the region,
- to ***advance equitable representation*** in regional transportation planning, and
- to ***provide independent, region-oriented citizen advice*** to the TPB on transportation plans and issues.

The 21 members of the CAC are appointed. Fifteen members are appointed evenly between the District of Columbia, Suburban Maryland, and Northern Virginia. An additional nine members are appointed to represent TPB member jurisdictions, different perspectives on transportation, and to ensure a diverse committee. According to CAC operating procedures, committee membership should represent environmental, business, and civic interests in transportation, including appropriate representation from low-income, minority, and disabled groups and from the geographical area served by the TPB.

The CAC meets every month on the second Thursday evening, six days prior to the monthly TPB meeting (the TPB always meets on the third Wednesday of the month). The CAC meetings are from 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. During the pandemic, all meetings will be held online. When it is safe to return for in-person meetings, those meetings will be held at the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments located at 777 North Capitol Street NE, Washington, DC 20002.

RECENT COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES

The CAC advises the TPB and offers comments to the board reflecting the committee's diverse viewpoints. Over the years, the CAC has focused on key regional transportation issues, such as the transportation funding shortfall, environmental concerns, and emergency preparedness issues. The committee has also identified key opportunities to enhance the TPB's ongoing public participation activities.

For more information on the CAC's activities, including committee reports and agendas, please visit mwkog.org/tpbcac.

APPLICANTS:

- Should be able to attend monthly committee meetings. Meetings will be held online during the pandemic.
- Should be willing to serve for a two-year term.
- Should complete the application form.
- Must reside in one of the [TPB member jurisdictions](#).
- Should not work as a planner or engineer for transportation and planning agencies of TPB members.
- Should declare any ongoing business with COG/TPB.

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION, PLEASE CONTACT:

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DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS:

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For more information, to submit your application via email, or to request a paper application, please contact:

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Contact Information

* 1. Name:

* 2. In which TPB member jurisdiction do you live?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> District of Columbia | <input type="checkbox"/> City of Gaithersburg (Maryland) | <input type="checkbox"/> Prince William County (Virginia) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Charles County (Maryland) | <input type="checkbox"/> City of Greenbelt (Maryland) | <input type="checkbox"/> City of Alexandria (Virginia) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Frederick County (Maryland) | <input type="checkbox"/> City of Laurel (Maryland) | <input type="checkbox"/> City of Fairfax (Virginia) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Montgomery County (Maryland) | <input type="checkbox"/> City of Rockville (Maryland) | <input type="checkbox"/> City of Falls Church (Virginia) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prince George's County (Maryland) | <input type="checkbox"/> City of Takoma Park (Maryland) | <input type="checkbox"/> City of Manassas (Virginia) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> City of Bowie (Maryland) | <input type="checkbox"/> Arlington County (Virginia) | <input type="checkbox"/> City of Manassas Park (Virginia) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> City of College Park (Maryland) | <input type="checkbox"/> Fairfax County (Virginia) | <input type="checkbox"/> Urbanized area around Warrenton in Fauquier County (Virginia) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> City of Frederick (Maryland) | <input type="checkbox"/> Loudoun County (Virginia) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other / Not sure | | |

* 3. Where do you live?

Home address 1:

Home address 2:

City/Town

State/Province

ZIP/Postal Code

Email Address

Phone Number



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* 4. Are you a current or former member of the CAC?

- Yes
- No
- If yes, what year(s) did you serve?

* 5. Have you completed the TPB's Community Leadership Institute?

- Yes
- No

If yes what year did you graduate?

* 6. How do you normally get around the Washington region? Select your three primary modes of transportation.

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Walk | <input type="checkbox"/> Subway or streetcar |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bike | <input type="checkbox"/> Commuter rail |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drive alone | <input type="checkbox"/> Taxi or ride hailing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Carpool | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bus | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) | |

* 7. Why are you interested in serving on the TPB's CAC?

* 8. Please list any associations, committees, nonprofits, or other groups you have served on, volunteered for, or worked with. These do not have to be transportation groups.

One

Two

Three

Four

Others

9. Is there anything else that you'd like us to know related to your interest in serving on the CAC?

10. How did you learn about the CAC opportunity?



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* 11. Are you a transportation or planning professional?

Yes

No

If yes, please briefly describe your current work.

* 12. Are you currently involved in any professional capacity with the TPB or COG? This includes representing a private firm on any COG/TPB committee or contract.

Yes

No

If yes, please briefly describe your current work.



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Collecting demographic information for committees helps the TPB understand who is participating in the regional transportation planning process.

The TPB seeks a committee that represents the broad diversity of the Washington region.

While no members will be selected based upon their demographic information, this information may be used to help select a committee that represents the region's racial and ethnic diversity, as well diversity in age and gender. This information also helps the TPB understand who is participating in the regional transportation planning process and can be used to help the TPB conduct representative engagement.

13. What is your age?

- Under 18
- 18-24
- 25-34
- 35-44
- 45-54
- 55-64
- 65+

14. I identify my gender as...

15. Do you have a disability?

- Yes
- No

16. What is your race or ethnicity? Select all that apply.

White or Caucasian

Black or African American

Hispanic or Latino

Asian or Asian American

American Indian or Alaska Native

Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander

Another race or ethnicity (please specify)



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The CAC is called upon to promote public involvement and to provide advice to the Transportation Planning Board.

* 17. Members of the CAC are required to avoid conflicts of interest. If selected to serve on the CAC, are you prepared to disclose all possible conflicts of interest, and recuse yourself from discussion or action should a conflict of interest arise?

Yes

No