

REGIONAL PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SUBCOMMITTEE (RPTS) YEAR-IN-REVIEW 2023

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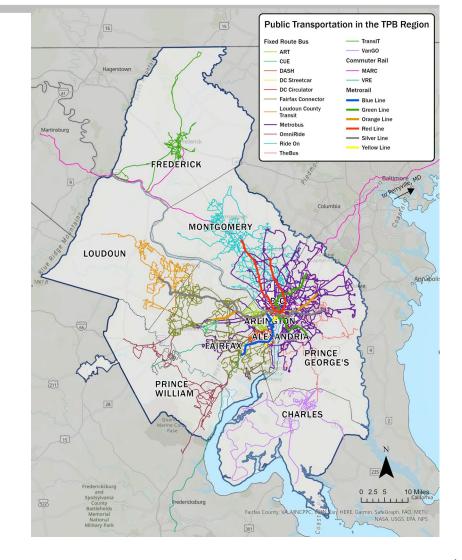
Presentation Items

- Purpose of RPTS
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- Looking Forward to 2024...



Purpose of RPTS

- Serve as a regional forum for collaboration and coordination regarding public transportation activities
- Be a platform through which to address public transportation interests at TPB
- Coordinate regional public transportation activities with those of adjacent interests within TPB and COG
- Update members on relevant topics of interest





RPTS Activities in 2023

Jurisdictions/Organizations Presenting











DC: 2

MD: 6

VA: 9

WMATA: 4

TPB: 13

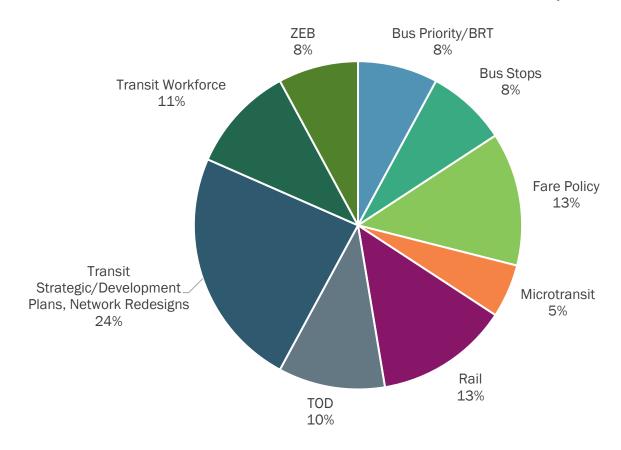
Total Presentations at RPTS in 2023 = 46 (incl. 5 from outside the region)

Average Number of Presentations Per Meeting = 5



RPTS Activities in 2023

TOPICS COVERED BY TOTAL SHARE (APPX.)





2023 RPTS Member Survey - Results

https://www.surveymonkey.com/stories/SM-FhDCFYSjnFP_2F2PK2m7doUg_3D_3D/



Other Survey Takeaways

What Went Well/What Was Most Relevant in 2023

- "I enjoyed the very specific focus on transit and what the region is doing. Bringing in outside presenters also helped think through some issues we have yet to tackle."
- "WMATA better bus network redesign"
- "Different topical conversations"
- "Hearing from other transit agencies"
- "Field trip to Broad Run"

What Could Improve in 2024

- "Consider one or two sessions for interactive workshops/content that promotes active participation."
- "Discuss current regional and local transportation policy issues and challenges.
 More emphasis and focus on transportation funding opportunities that will benefit members.
 Lead regional initiatives."
- "Attendance and participation seem low."
- "Different day/time."



Other Survey Takeaways

What types of meetings are you most interested in attending (please rank in order of preference, top selection being the most preferred)?

- #1: Regional forum focused on a specific topic
- #2: Interactive workshops
- #3: Field trips
- #4: Panel presentations
- #5: Regional conference with multiple issues discussed



Looking Forward to 2024...

More Site Visits

More Interactive Programming

- More Free Lunch!
 - (Four In-Person Meetings Including January 23,2024 at COG)

STATE OF PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION 2022 REPORT

An overview of public transportation in the National Capital Region

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