Meeting Highlights TPB Technical Committee – January 6, 2023

The Technical Committee met on Friday, January 6, 2023. Meeting materials can be found here: https://www.mwcog.org/events/2023/1/6/tpb-technical-committee/

The following items were reviewed for inclusion on the TPB's January agenda.

TPB AGENDA ITEM 8 – REVIEW OF OUTLINE AND PRELIMINARY BUDGET FOR THE FY 2024 UNIFIED PLANNING WORK PROGRAM (UPWP)

The committee was briefed on an outline and preliminary budget for the Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) for FY 2024 (July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024). A complete draft of the FY 2024 UPWP will be presented to the board for review at its February meeting.

TPB AGENDA ITEM 9 - ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE ANALYSIS

The committee was briefed on the results of the federally required environmental justice analysis of the 2022 update of Visualize 2045. Using the TPB-approved Equity Emphasis Areas, the plan does not have a disproportionately high or significantly adverse impact on low-income and racial and ethnic minority population groups.

TPB AGENDA ITEM 10 - 2024 LONG-RANGE PLAN UPDATE: DRAFT TECHNICAL INPUTS SOLICITATION

Staff reviewed considerations related to the 2024 plan update. This included updates on the policy framework, schedule, key resources that will support the next Technical Inputs Solicitation, and Project InfoTrak training.

The following items were presented for information and discussion:

2024 LONG-RANGE PLAN UPDATE: FINANCIAL PLAN STATUS

The committee was briefed on next steps in the 2024 plan update financial analysis, which will include a request for long-range revenue and expenditure projections (2025 through 2050) by local jurisdictions, agencies, and other funding partners.

STREAMLINING ACCESS TO TPB ONLINE PLANNING TOOLS AND RESOURCES

Staff is developing a webpage that catalogs TPB's online planning tools and related resources. The committee was briefed on this initiative and received a demonstration of this draft webpage currently under development.

TPB AND THE NEW TRANSPORTATION RESILIENCY PLANNING PROGRAM

Ms. Rainone reviewed the TPB's recent resiliency planning activities and provided an overview of the new resilience planning activities expected to kick off in Spring of 2023.

2017-2018 REGIONAL TRAVEL SURVEY 7-DAY PANEL EVALUATION

This item was deferred to the February agenda.

OTHER BUSINESS

- Community Advisory Committee Approvals
- Federal Grant Opportunities
- New Heavy Duty Truck Emissions Rule
- Transportation and Land Use Connections and Regional Roadway Safety Program application kickoff January 6
- Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting, January 8-12
- Housing Affordability Planning Program grants
- Staff Update