

Draft Round 7.2 Cooperative Forecasts of Population, Households, and Employment

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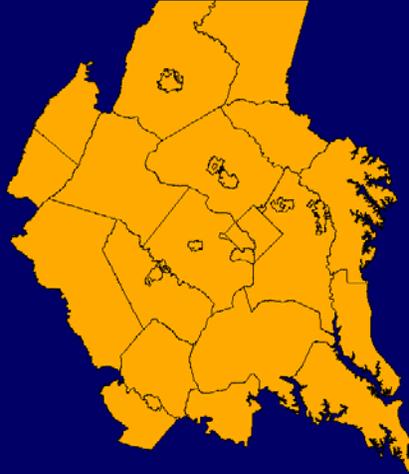
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The Round 7.2 Cooperative Forecasts . . .

- . . . are an annual update to Round 7.1. Jurisdictions have the opportunity to annually provide updated forecasts based on new developments or land use decisions, but annual updates are not required.
- . . . were extended to **2040**, at request of NVRC and ICPRB for drought and water supply planning.
- . . . will be used in upcoming Air Quality Conformity Analysis through the **2030** forecast period.
- . . . will be followed next year by Round 8.0, which will be used in the **2010** CLRP Update.

Forecasts for all jurisdictions in the TPB Modeled Area are included in Round 7.2.

- **COG Members**
- **BMC Counties in TPB Modeled Area**
 - Anne Arundel, Carroll & Howard
- **Tri-County Council**
 - Calvert, Charles & St. Mary's
- **FAMPO**
 - Fredericksburg, King George, Spotsylvania & Stafford
- **Others**
 - Clarke, Fauquier & Jefferson



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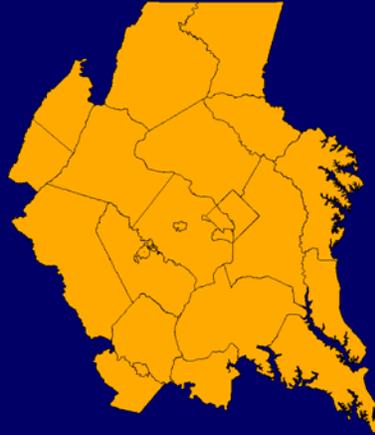
Round 7.2 approval timeline



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Jurisdictions modeled by TPB are grouped geographically for analysis purposes.

- **Central Jurisdictions**
- **Inner Suburbs**
- **Outer Suburbs**
- **Outer Ring**



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Central Jurisdictions	Inner Suburbs	Outer Suburbs	Outer Ring
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • District of Columbia • Arlington • Alexandria 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Montgomery • Prince George's • Fairfax (County) • Fairfax (city) • Falls Church 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Loudoun • Prince William • Manassas • Manassas Park • Calvert • Charles • Frederick County (MD) • Stafford 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anne Arundel • Carroll • Howard • Fredericksburg • King George • Spotsylvania (portion) • Clarke • Fauquier • Jefferson (WV) • St. Mary's



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Between 2005 and 2030, the region will continue to experience long-term growth.

- Jobs will grow faster than population and households.
- All indicators (EMP, POP & HH) will increase in the outer suburbs more than twice the rate of either the central jurisdictions or inner suburbs.
 - Inner suburbs will add the most new jobs
 - Outer suburbs will add the most persons and households
- The outer ring will experience more growth than the central jurisdictions.

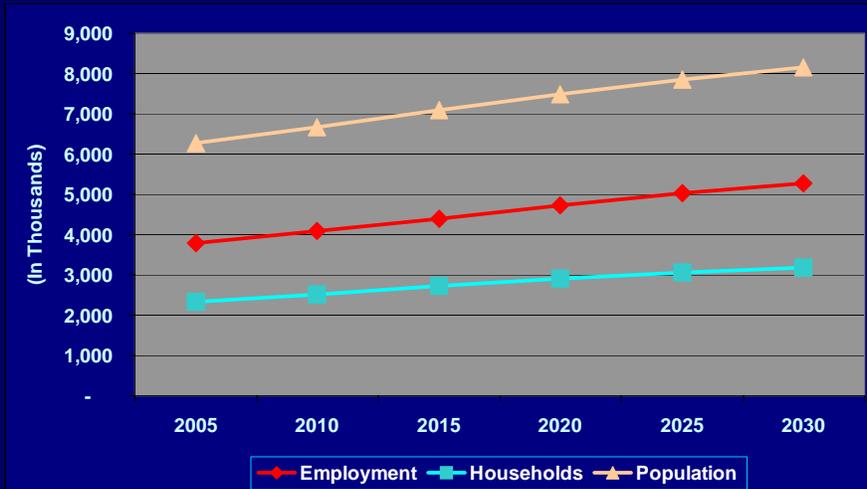
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Key differences between Round 7.1 and Draft Round 7.2 Forecasts

- Lower population and household forecasts throughout entire forecast period
- Lower employment forecasts throughout most of the forecast period, with a slight increase in 2030

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Between 2005 and 2030, jobs will grow the fastest and population will grow the most in the TPB Modeled Area.

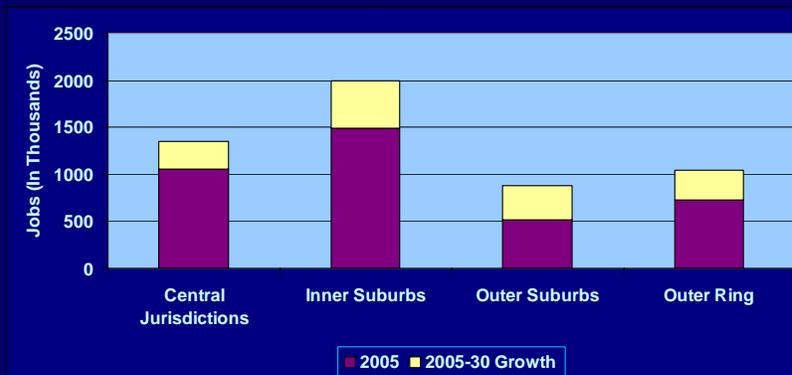


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2005 – 2030 Employment Forecasts by Subarea: Round 7.2 Cooperative Forecasts

TPB Modeled Area

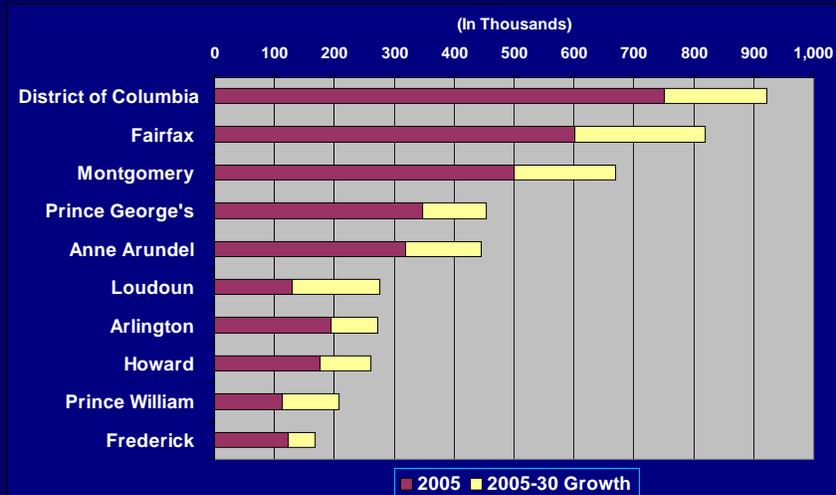
- Central jurisdictions – less job growth than other portions of modeled area.
 - More than half of the job growth will occur in the District of Columbia
- Inner suburbs – *most* growth, expanding their large job base.
- Outer suburbs – *fastest* grow, increasing their job base by two-thirds.



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10-largest jurisdictions in employment in 2030 Round 7.2 Cooperative Forecasts

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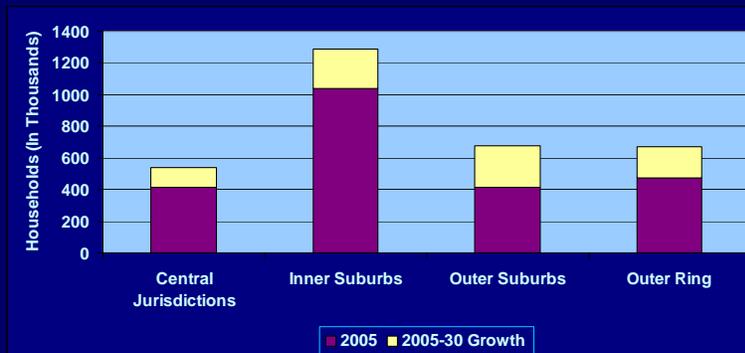


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2005 – 2030 Households Forecasts by Subarea: Round 7.2 Cooperative Forecasts

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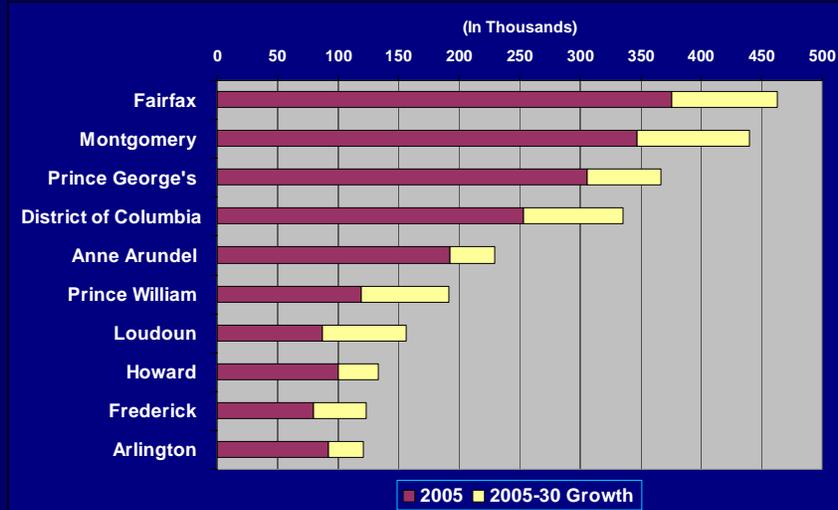
- Central jurisdictions – less household growth than other portions of modeled area.
- Outer suburbs – *most and fastest* growth
- Outer suburbs to have more households than central jurisdictions by 2030



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10-largest jurisdictions in households in 2030 Round 7.2 Cooperative Forecasts

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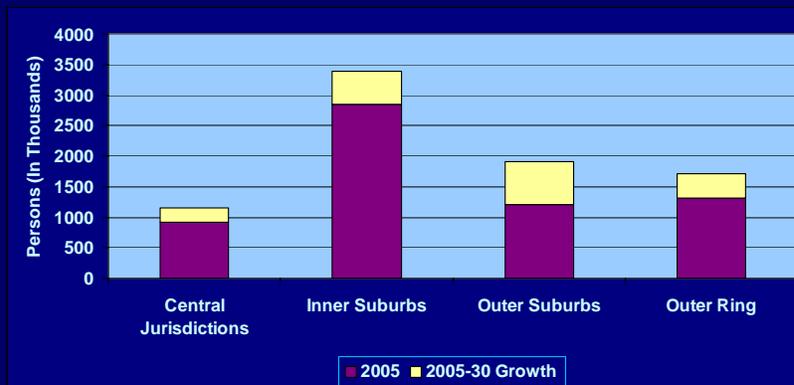


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2005 – 2030 Population Forecasts by Subarea: Round 7.2 Cooperative Forecasts

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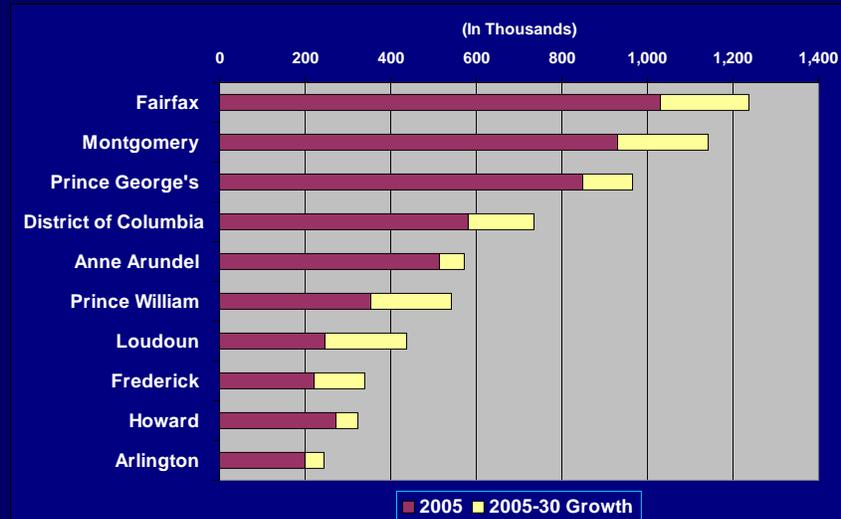
Population will not grow as fast as households, resulting in overall declines in average household size.



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10-largest jurisdictions in population in 2030 Round 7.2 Cooperative Forecasts

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2030 Comparison by Subarea: R7.1 and R7.2

TPB Modeled Area

Subarea	Employment		Households		Population	
	Change (#) (1,000s)	% Change	Change (#) (1,000s)	% Change	Change (#) (1,000s)	% Change
Central Jurisdictions	69.6	5.4%	11.7	2.2%	20.2	1.8
Inner Suburbs	-100.9	-4.8%	-33.0	-2.5%	-131.4	-3.7%
Outer Suburbs	27.5	3.2%	-4.0	-0.6%	-30.4	-1.6%
Outer Ring	10.7	1.0%	7.0	1.1%	13.6	0.8
TPB Modeled Area	6.9	0.1%	-18.3	-0.6%	-128.0	-1.5%

- Central Jurisdictions and Outer Ring increase
- Outer Suburbs increase in jobs and decrease in households and population
- Declines in inner suburbs offset growth elsewhere, resulting in overall decrease in households and population, and a only slight overall increase in jobs.

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Key Drivers: Round 7.1 vs. Round 7.2

Jurisdiction	Key Projects/Assumptions	2030 Change from R7.1
District of Columbia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New development near Baseball stadium • NY Avenue/Arboretum • Saint Elizabeth's redevelopment • Poplar Point • SW Waterfront Mall • Overhaul of school system • Higher energy costs to guide growth toward core 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + 41K jobs + 17.6K persons + 9.4K households
Fairfax County	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recent Army decision to relocate 6.4K BRAC jobs from U.S. Army Garrison Fort Belvoir (Ffx Co) to Mark Center (Alexandria) • Slower employment growth trends due to current economic conditions and higher office vacancies • Change in population forecasting methodology may indicate lower household size in the future. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 27.9K jobs - 96.8K persons - 19.4K households
Montgomery County	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Short term job and residential losses compared to Round 7.1 to be offset by increases in long term 	minor changes

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Key Drivers: Round 7.1 vs. Round 7.2 (cont'd)

Jurisdiction	Key Projects/Assumptions	2030 Change from R7.1
Prince George's County	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slower growth in jobs and multi-family housing • Increased growth in single-family housing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 64.2K jobs - 28.0K persons - 10.7K households
Loudoun County	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recent development and rezonings affecting residential and non-residential pipeline and development capacity • Housing market conditions • Economic conditions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 15.5K jobs - 31.9K persons - 10.0K households
Prince William County	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Housing market conditions resulting in slower residential increases • Evaluation of employment trend data and increasing share of regional employment resulting in faster job growth 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + 21.0K jobs - 12.6K persons - 1.3K households

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Jobs-Households Ratio Comparison

TPB Modeled Area

- Comparable jobs-hh ratios between R7.1 and R7.2 through 2015
- R7.2 jobs-hh ratio rises slightly higher after 2015, matching R7.0 ratio in 2020, and slightly increasing in 2025 and 2030.
- Jobs-hh ratio over the forecast period ranges from 1.62 in 2005 to 1.66 in 2030



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Next Steps . . .

- COG staff completes review of TAZ-level forecasts submitted by local governments
- TAZ-level Round 7.2 data provided to TPB staff for Air Quality Conformity Analysis (April)
- Final COG Board approval of R7.2 made concurrently with TPB approval of Air Quality Conformity Assessment for the 2009 CLRP and FY2010-2015 TIP in July 2009 (June)

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