

# National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board

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## TPB TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

### AGENDA

Date: Friday, April 6, 2007  
Time: 9:00 a.m.  
Place: COG Training Center  
777 N. Capitol Street, N.E.

- 9:00 1. **Welcome and Approval of Minutes from the March 2 Technical Committee Meeting**  
.....Chairman Harrington

### ITEMS FOR BOARD AGENDA

- 9:05 2. **Review of Project Submissions for the Air Quality Conformity Assessment for the 2007 Constrained Long Range Plan (CLRP) and FY 2008-2013 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)**  
Staff will brief the Committee on the major projects released for public comment for the air quality conformity assessment for the 2007 CLRP and FY 2008-2013 TIP. (*Attachment*)  
..... Ronald Kirby, DTP

- 9:35 3. **Review of Comments Received to Date on the Draft Scope of Work for Conducting the Air Quality Conformity Assessment of the 2007 CLRP and FY2008- 2013 TIP**  
Staff will review the comments received to date on the work tasks and schedule for conducting the air quality conformity assessment of the 2007 CLRP and FY2008-2013 TIP. (*Attachment*)  
.....Mike Clifford, DTP

- 9:45 4. **Briefing on the Draft Freight Railroad Realignment Feasibility Study**  
The Committee will be briefed on draft results of this consultant study sponsored by DDOT and the National Capital Planning Commission (NCPC), funded under an Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) grant. The study addresses the problems posed by the location and configuration of the mainline freight railroad through the Monumental Core, including security concerns, impacts to neighborhoods, and issues for freight and passenger rail operations.  
.....David Zaidain, NCPC

- 10:15 5. **Briefing on the Regional "Street Smart" Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety Education Campaign**  
The Committee will be briefed on the on-going Spring 2007 Street Smart campaign and on a proposal for funding the FY 2008 campaign, which would include two phases, one in the Fall 2007 and one in the Spring 2008.  
..... Michael Farrell, DTP

## ITEMS FOR INFORMATION AND DISCUSSION

- 10:30    **6.    Update on Comments Received to Date on the Visualization of the CLRP and Land Use and Transportation Scenarios**  
Staff will review the comments received to date on the proposed visualization of the projects and land use forecasts in the 2006 CLRP. This visualization is also proposed for the land use and transportation scenarios developed under the Regional Accessibility and Mobility Study.  
..... Michael Eichler, DTP
- 10:45    **7.    Briefing on Version 2.2 Travel Demand Model**  
Staff will brief the Committee on the version 2.2 travel demand model currently under review.  
..... Jim Hogan, DTP
- 11:00    **8.    Status Report on Regional Travel Trends Report**  
Staff will brief the committee on the outline of the policy report summarizing changing travel trends and commuting patterns in the Washington region.  
..... Robert Griffiths, DTP
- 11:15    **9.    Briefing on Study for Enhancing Consideration of Freight in Regional Transportation Planning**  
The Committee will be briefed on draft results of the consultant freight study, one of a number of steps being taken for the regional process to address federal certification recommendations and to ensure compliance with SAFETEA-LU. An ad hoc freight study group has been working with staff and the consultant during the course of the study.  
..... Andrew Meese, DTP
- 11:35    **10.    Briefing on How the TPB Planning Process Is Addressing the Final Metropolitan Transportation Planning Regulations**  
Staff will review how key provisions of the final transportation planning regulations, which were issued February 14, 2007, are being addressed in the TPB planning process. (*Attachment*)  
..... Gerald Miller, DTP
- 11:50    **11.    Other Business**
- 11:55    **12.    Adjourn**

The next Technical Committee meeting will be Friday, May 4 2007 in the Training Center.

Enclosures not referenced in the above agenda:

- February Progress Report
- Report of the Citizens Advisory Committee