

Announcements for the Planning Directors Technical Advisory Committee
February 20, 2026

Please note the closing date for the Land-Use Connections announcement

- *Now accepting applications!* Transportation Land-Use Connections & Regional Roadway Safety Programs. TPB member jurisdictions are encouraged to apply. The FY 2027 **application period is open through February 27, 2026**. [Learn more and apply](#)
- 2026 ULI Housing Opportunity Conference, March 16 - 17, 2026, Baltimore, MD. [More information at this link.](#)
- 2026 National Planning Conference, April 25 - 28, 2026, Detroit, MI. [More information at this link.](#)
- The [Mid-Atlantic Planning Collaboration](#) and the [APA Community Engagement interest group](#) are co-hosting training in planning academy best practices in May of 2026. Joe Schilling (Urban Institute) will be the panel moderator. We (Mid-Atlantic Planning, etc.) are interested in finding mid-Atlantic jurisdictions that host planning academies to put on the panel. If any participants know of planning academies being run in our area, could you let Laura Bachle know? She can be reached at lbachle@mwkog.org.