

Meeting Highlights TPB Technical Committee – December 5, 2025

The Technical Committee met on Friday, December 5. Meeting materials can be found here:
<https://www.mwcog.org/events/2025/12/5/tpb-technical-committee/>

The following items were reviewed for inclusion on the TPB's December agenda:

APPROVAL OF VISUALIZE 2050, THE FY 2026-2029 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP), THE AIR QUALITY CONFORMITY ANALYSIS DETERMINATION, AND MPO SELF CERTIFICATION

The committee received a briefing on the draft Visualize 2050 and FY 2026-2029 TIP, draft Air Quality Conformity Determination, and Self Certification Statement.

2026 ENHANCED MOBILITY GRANT PROGRAM APPROVAL

The committee received a briefing on the projects recommended for funding under the Federal Transit Administration's Section 5310 Enhanced Mobility for Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities Program for the Washington DC-VA-MD Urbanized Area. The board will be asked to approve the recommended projects for funding and inclusion in the TIP.

PBPP: DRAFT REGIONAL TARGETS FOR HIGHWAY AND TRANSIT SAFETY

The committee received a briefing on the regional targets for transit safety and highway safety performance measures, as required annually by the federal performance-based planning and programming (PBPP) regulations for MPOs. The board will be asked to approve the final regional safety targets at its December meeting.

UPDATE ON DMVMOVES WORK ACTIVITIES

The committee was briefed on work to date and next steps of the joint COG and WMATA initiative, DMVMoves. The TPB supported the initiative and will have an opportunity to provide inputs on planned next steps.

The following items were presented for information and discussion:

TRIP CALL FOR PROJECTS

The committee received a briefing on the Transportation Resilience Improvement Plan (TRIP) Prioritized Project List and announce a request for projects to be submitted to the annual update of the list.

LONG BRIDGE CLOSURES

The committee was briefed on the status of the Long Bridge Project, an overview of Amtrak and VRE service changes in order to construct the Long Bridge Project and maintenance of traffic on regional roadways.

VDOT STATE TRAILS RESOURCE HUB

The committee received a briefing by VDOT State Trails Office as they have launched the Trails Resource Hub. The Resource Hub serves as a centralized clearinghouse for trail-related information, bringing together data and guidance from state and federal agencies, as well as nationally recognized trail organizations.

OTHER BUSINESS

- Subcommittee Report
- COG Office Renovation
- 2026 Meeting Calendar
- Transportation Land Connections Program and Regional Roadway Safety Program project solicitation to run from January 2, 2026 to February 27, 2026
- Transportation Research Board – TPB staff is presenting at the annual TRB meeting
- Final Comprehensive Climate Action Plan (CCAP) In September, the committee was briefed on the CCAP that COG was developing under EPA's Climate Pollution Reduction Grants Program (CPRG). The final CCAP document will be posted on the COG website shortly after it is submitted to EPA by the December 1 deadline.
<https://www.mwcog.org/environment/programs/climate-pollution-reduction-grants-cprg-program/>
- Staff Update