



TPB FREIGHT SUBCOMMITTEE

Thursday, July 9, 2026
1:00 - 3:00 P.M.
VIRTUAL MEETING

Chair: Laura MacNeil, District Department of Transportation

AGENDA

1:00 P.M. 1. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS
Laura MacNeil, DDOT Curbside Management Division Associate Director
Samuel Brooks, DDOT Freight Program Manager
Laurina Bird, DDOT Transportation Planner

1:05 P.M. 2. FREIGHT HIGH INJURY NETWORK
Casey Auch, Planner, Kittelson & Associates
Samuel Brooks, DDOT Freight Program Manager
Laurina Bird, DDOT Transportation Planner

The project team will brief the subcommittee on the methodology for developing the freight high injury network for the District of Columbia Department of Transportation. The DDOT Freight Team will provide a brief overview of how it will be used in the Freight Program and next steps.

Recommended Action: Receive briefing.

1:50 P.M. 3. TRUCK SAFETY PARKING
Allen Campbell, State Program Director Virginia Safety Rest Areas, VDOT

The VDOT team will brief the subcommittee on an overview of its Safety Rest Area program, truck parking accommodations, and safety and security outcomes.

Recommended Action: Receive briefing.

2:15 P.M. 4. MARYLAND STATE FREIGHT PLAN UPDATE
L'Kiesha Markley, Assistant Division Chief, MDOT

The MDOT team will provide an update on its State Freight Plan, with a focus on safety and security considerations. This overview will highlight key freight safety and security priorities reflected in the plan update.

Recommended Action: Receive briefing.

2:40 P.M. 5. UNION PACIFIC- NORFOLK SOUTHERN RAIL MERGER
Vinn White, Senior Advisor for Policy and Innovation, MDOT

Update and discussion on MDOT's outreach and coordination efforts regarding the proposed Union Pacific- Norfolk Southern merger and its potential impacts on the region.

Recommended Action: Receive briefing.

2:50 P.M. 6. ROUNDTABLE UPDATES

- Overview of Port of Baltimore Tour held on May 13.
- Upcoming site visit: Truck Rest Area and Weigh Station along I-95 September 23, 11 AM.
- Jurisdictions to provide freight-related updates.

3:00 P.M. 7. ADJOURN

The next meeting is scheduled for November 12, 2026, in-person.