

EMPLOYER OUTREACH COMMITTEE

Tuesday, October 21, 2025 10:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M. Conference Room 1, Lobby Level

Chair: Vacant, City of Alexandria
Vice Chair: Christian Bacon, Prince George's County
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Web Conferencing and Call-in Information:

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AGENDA

10:00 A.M. 1. INTRODUCTIONS COG/TPB Staff

10:05 A.M. 2. CHANGE OF CHAIRPERSON AND SEATING OF NEW VICE CHAIR UPDATE

Douglas Franklin, Senior Marketing Manager, COG/TPB

Announcement of the new Commuter Connections Employer Outreach Chair and Vice Chair.

10:10 A.M. 3. TRANSPORTATION MARKETING STRATEGIES: CONNECTING WITH KEY AUDIENCES (PART OF COMMUTER CONNECTIONS TDM TRAINING)

Julie Bond, MPA, Director, Transportation Options Program, Center for Urban Transportation Research

Virtual Session: Introduction and Pre-Course Engagement

11:10 A.M. 4. GODMV COMMUTER COMPETITION

Douglas Franklin, Senior Marketing Manager, COG/TPB

Discussion of early preparation for the goDMV Commuter Competition for FY2026.

11:15 A.M. 5. CALL FOR NOMINATIONS 2026 EMPLOYER AWARDS

Douglas Franklin, Senior Marketing Manager, COG/TPB

Outline of the nomination process for the annual Employer Awards program for 2026.

Reasonable accommodations are provided upon request, including alternative formats of meeting materials. Visit www.mwcog.org/accommodations or call (202) 962-3300 or (202) 962-3213 (TDD).

11:20 A.M. 6. CLIENT RELATIONSHIP MANAGEMENT (CRM) DATABASE RFP UPDATES

Dan Sheehan, Transportation Operations Program Director, COG/TPB

Update regarding the Commuter Connections Request for Proposals (RFP) to select the best suitable database software and support vendor for the program.

11:30 A.M. 7. ACT! REGIONAL EMPLOYER DATABASE ANALYSIS

Dan Sheehan, Transportation Operations Program Director, COG/TPB

All data within the Act! Regional Employer Database will be exported in January to conduct a triennial analysis on the program's effectiveness. Committee members will be asked to update data in preparation for the analysis.

11:35 A.M. 8. BIKE TO WORK DAY 2026 SPONSORSHIP DRIVE

Lindsay Haake, Marketing & Communications Specialist, COG/TPB

Description of the process of recruiting sponsors for the 2026 event. The funding raised through sponsorships supports procurement of the famous, event T-shirts.

11:40 A.M. 9. EMPLOYER OUTREACH ROUNDTABLE

Committee members are invited to share upcoming activities and challenges and successes they have encountered while conducting recent employer outreach.

11:55 A.M. 10. OTHER BUSINESS

Christian Bacon, Chair

12:00 P.M. 11. ADJOURN

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, January 20, 2026, from 2:30 P.M. to 4:00 P.M.