AMPO – Public Involvement Working Group Webinar

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WHAT IS A METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION (MPO)?

- Required in areas 50,000+ population
- Develop a multi-modal, 20-year regional transportation plan
- Set policy and guide the transportation planning process
- Provide a forum for project selection by local officials for federal funds
Six counties encompassing 5,302 square miles

2 million people

12,420 lane miles of roadway

41.8 million miles traveled by vehicles every day

31.2 million transit boardings each year
CAMPO Governance

- 20 member Transportation Policy Board – elected officials and representatives from local governments and agencies
- 24 member Technical Advisory Committee – technical staff from local governments and agencies
- CAMPO staff
CAMPO PLANNING DOCUMENTS

• Regional Transportation Plan – CAMPO 2040 Plan
  o Updated every 5 years
  o Covers at least 20-year horizon
  o Includes roads, transit, bike, and pedestrian

• Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) – 2017-2020 TIP
  o Covers 4 years
  o Must be consistent with long-range plan
  o Funding must be identified by project
REGIONAL AGENCIES

• CAMPO – prepares planning documents for region and allocates project funding
• TxDOT – manages project studies and design; headquarters reviews and approves studies
• CTRMA – manages project studies and design
• Other partners include local governments and transit agencies such as Capital Metro and Capital Area Rural Transportation System
CURRENT AND PRIOR INITIATIVES

Plans and Projects
• Regional Active Transportation Plan
• Project Viewer
• Wirtz Dam Road
• Bastrop County Transportation Plan

Studies
• Williams Drive Study
• Near Northwest Connections Case Study
UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

Plans and Projects
• Regional Incident Management and Operations Plan
• FM 150/Yarrington Road
• TIP Call for Projects
• Call for Studies

Studies
• Regional Arterials Study
• Regional Transit Study
• Luling Relief Route Study
• MoKan Corridor Study
• Georgetown-San Antonio Mobility Study
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