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Transportation Planning and Programming Committee Meeting MPO Conference Room, Suite 2150, 10 Park Plaza, Boston, MA Thursday, April 22, 2010, 10:00 AM

Please note: This meeting will be immediately followed by an MPO meeting. There will be a Clean Air and Mobility Subcommittee meeting following the MPO meeting.

MEETING AGENDA – Revised 4/21/10

- 1. Introductions, 5 minutes
- 2. Public Comments, 5 minutes
- 3. Chair's Report, 10 minutes
- 4. Subcommittee Chairs' Reports, 5 minutes
- 5. Regional Transportation Advisory Council Report, 5 minutes
- **6. Director's Report,** 5 minutes
- 7. Action Items:
 - **a. Draft TIP Amendment Four,** Joe Cosgrove, MBTA, and Hayes Morrison, TIP Manager, MPO Staff, *vote to recommend approval of this proposed amendment, 10 minutes (distributed 4/1)*
 - **b.** Visions and Policies, Pam Wolfe, MPO Staff, discussion of revised (from 4-15) ideas for visions and policies and vote to approve, 60 minutes (revised list of visions and policies ideas to be distributed prior to the meeting)
 - c. Unified Planning Work Program Administrative Modification, discussion of proposed consolidation of two UPWP projects and vote to approve, 10 minutes (memorandum to be distributed prior to the meeting)
 - **d.** Functional Classification Designation, discussion of the proposed designation for the East-West (Weymouth-Rockland) Parkway and the reclassification of Reservoir Park Drive and Shea Drive/Shea Memorial Drive, 15 minutes (roadway description attached)
 - **e. Minutes March 18 and April 1, 2010 meetings**, Pam Wolfe, MPO Staff, approval of these meeting minutes, 5 minutes (to be distributed prior to the meeting)
- **8. Work Scopes,** Karl Quackenbush, Deputy Technical Director, MPO Staff, *presentation and discussion of the following work scopes, 30 minutes:*
 - a. HOV Lane and I-93 Access Improvements in the South Bay/Savin Hill Area (enclosed)
 - **b.** Wellesley Transit Study (to be distributed prior to the meeting)
- 9. Memorandum: Safety Analysis of Transportation Improvement Program Projects, Karl Quackenbush and Seth Asante, Project Manager, MPO Staff, discussion of the results of this study, 20 minutes (enclosed)
- **10. Members' Items,** reports and notices by Transportation Planning and Programming Committee members, including regional concerns and local community issues, 5 minutes
- 11. Adjourn for MPO Meeting

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