

## BOSTON REGION METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION

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City of Newton

City of Somerville

Town of Bedford

Town of Braintree

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Metropolitan Area Planning Council

Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority Advisory Board

Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority

MassDOT Highway Division

Massachusetts Port Authority

Regional Transportation Advisory Council (nonvoting)

Federal Highway Administration (nonvoting)

Federal Transit Administration (nonvoting)

Transportation Planning and Programming Committee Meeting Conference Rooms 2 & 3, 10 Park Plaza, Boston, MA Thursday, September 16, 2010, 10:00 AM

## MEETING AGENDA

- 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. JARC and New Freedom Recommendations,** Alicia Wilson, Transportation Equity Manager, MPO Staff, *discussion of the response requests for funding in these two programs and recommendations to MassDOT for funding, 45 minutes (overview distributed 9-2; link to applications at http://www.ctps.org/bostonmpo/3\_programs/8\_chst/Proposals/)*
  - **b.** Meeting Minutes August 19 and September 2, 2010, meetings, Pam Wolfe, Manager, Certification Activities, MPO Staff, approval of these meeting minutes, 10 minutes (8-19 enclosed, 9-2 to be distributed prior to the meeting)
- **8. Work Scope, MBTA Neighborhood Maps and Bus Shelter Maps,** Karl Quackenbush, Deputy Technical Director, MPO Staff, *discussion of this MBTA-funded work, 10 minutes (enclosed)*
- **9. MBTA Greenbush Before and After Study,** Karl Quackenbush, and Rob Guptill, Project Manager, MPO Staff, presentation and discussion of the results of this study, 30 minutes (distributed as an attachment in e-mail packet; available in print on request)
- **10. State Implementation Plan Update,** Kate Fichter, Office of Transportation Planning, MassDOT, *monthly report on progress*, 5 *minutes*
- 11. Members' Items, reports and notices by Transportation Planning and Programming Committee members, including regional concerns and local community issues, 5 minutes

Additional enclosure: CTPS August Progress Reports

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