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Metropolitan Planning Organization Meeting Conference Rooms 2&3, 10 Park Plaza, Boston, MA

Thursday, April 19, 2012, 10:00 AM (Estimated duration: 4 hours, expected ending 2:00 PM)

Please note: The monthly State Implementation Plan Update is discussed at MPO meetings for public information purposes.

MEETING AGENDA

- **1.** Introductions, 5 minutes
- 2. Public Comments, 10 minutes
- 3. Chair's Report, 5 minutes
- 4. Committee Chairs' Reports, 5 minutes
- 5. Regional Transportation Advisory Council Report, 5 minutes
- 6. Executive Director's Report, 5 minutes
- 7. State Implementation Plan Update, Kate Fichter, Office of Transportation Planning, MassDOT, *monthly report for public information on progress, 5 minutes (posted)*

8. Action Items:

- **a.** Meeting Minutes of April 5, 2012, meeting, Maureen Kelly, MPO Staff, approval of these meeting minutes, 5 minutes (posted)
- **b.** Arterial Traffic Signal Improvements and Coordination, Karl Quackenbush, Executive Director, and Efi Pagitsas, Manager, Traffic Analysis and Design, MPO Staff, *presentation and discussion of the results of this MPO study, 15 minutes (posted)*
- c. Unified Planning Work Program, Steve Woelfel, Chair, UPWP Committee, and Mary Ellen Sullivan, MPO Staff, *further discussion of the UPWP Committee Recommendation for the FFY* 2013 UPWP and vote to release a Draft UPWP for public review, 20 minutes (posted)
- **d.** Transportation Improvement Program, Sean Pfalzer and Anne McGahan, MPO Staff, further discussion of the Staff Recommendation for the FFYs 2013-16 TIP, consideration of any proposed changes presented, discussion of Long Range Transportation Plan implications, and vote to release a Draft TIP for public review, 150 minutes (posted)
- **9.** Members' Items, reports and notices by MPO Members, including regional concerns and local community issues, 5 minutes

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