



Bicycle and Pedestrian Task Force Agenda

1:00 p.m., Wednesday, March 19, 2014

DuPage County Conference Room
233 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 800, Sears Tower
Chicago, Illinois

- 1.0 **Call to Order and Introductions** 1:00 p.m.
Tom Rickert, Chairman
- 2.0 **Approval of Meeting Notes from September 18, 2013**
Meeting notes are posted at <http://www.cmap.illinois.gov/bikeped/minutes.aspx>
SUGGESTED ACTION: *Approval of meeting notes*
- 3.0 **Local and Regional Planning**
- 3.1 **City of Chicago – Divvy Bike Sharing System (15-20 min.)**
Sean Wiedel, Assistant Commissioner at Chicago Department of Transportation, will present on the City’s Divvy bike share program, giving an overview of the program, its development, implementation, use, and plans for the future.
SUGGESTED ACTION: *Information and discussion*
- 3.2 **Public Health, Land Use and Transportation Planning Workshop Update (8-12 min.)**
With the help of CMAP’s Human and Community Development Working Committee, CMAP held its first [Making the Connection: Community Health, Land Use, and Transportation Planning Workshop](#) on Monday, December 9, 2013. Staff will give an overview of the workshop, which focused on discussing coordination between public health, land use and transportation as well as understanding how CMAP can work with Counties and the City of Chicago to integrate these three areas into Local Technical Assistance (LTA) work. Staff will also gather feedback about the strategy to further this coordination.
SUGGESTED ACTION: *Information and discussion*
- 4.0 **Pedestrian and Bicycle Project Programming**
- 4.1 **ICC Crossing Safety Improvement Program (15-20 min.)**
Brian Vercruyssen, of the Illinois Commerce Commission, will present to the Task Force on his agency and their work as it relates to railroad safety and the safe crossings of rail lines, including crossings for bicyclists and pedestrians. He will provide information on when and how the ICC becomes

involved in pedestrian and bicycle crossings and opportunities for assistance through the ICC's Grade Crossing Protection Fund.

SUGGESTED ACTION: *Information and discussion*

4.2 Project Ranking Approach - Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement Program (15-20 min.)

CMAP intends to develop a point-based project ranking system for the FY 2016-2020 CMAQ program. Staff is seeking technical input from the Bicycle and Pedestrian Task Force on this approach.

SUGGESTED ACTION: *Information and discussion*

4.3 Project Updates

Implementing agencies will be invited to provide a brief update regarding the status of programmed projects. Staff is requesting information on recently let projects, completed projects, and project delays which need attention by CMAP staff.

SUGGESTED ACTION: *Information, discussion, and referral to staff*

5.0 Public Comment and Announcements

This is an opportunity for comments from members of the audience. The amount of time available to speak will be at the chair's discretion. It should be noted that the exact time for the public comment period will immediately follow the last item on the agenda.

SUGGESTED ACTION: *Information, Discussion*

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SUGGESTED ACTION: *Information, Discussion*

7.0 Proposed 2014 Meeting Dates

Staff proposed the following meeting dates for the remainder of 2014

- Wednesday, June 18, 2014 at 1:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, September 17, 2014 at 1:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, December 17, 2014 at 1:00 p.m.

ACTION REQUESTED: *Approval of meeting dates*

8.0 Adjournment

3:15 p.m.

Bicycle and Pedestrian Task Force Members:

___ Ed Barsotti
___ Richard Bascomb
___ Ron Burke
___ Valbona Kokoshi
___ Chalen Daigle
___ Andrea Hoyt
___ Gin Kilgore
___ David Longo
___ Sam Mead

___ Allan Mellis
___ Barbara Moore
___ Joe Moriarty (Alt.)
___ Lowell Nelson (Alt.)
___ Randy Neufeld
___ Greg Piland
___ Keith Privett
___ Tom Rickert, Chairman

___ Karen Shiners
___ Pamela Sielski
___ Kevin Staniel
___ Greg Newmark
___ Dan Thomas
___ Brian Hacker
___ Robert Vance
___ Craig Williams