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### **Regional Coordinating Committee**

Annotated Agenda Wednesday, March 11, 2015 8:00 a.m.

Cook County Conference Room 233 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 800 Chicago, Illinois

**1.0** Call to Order 8:00 a.m.

- 2.0 Agenda Changes and Announcements
- 3.0 Approval of Minutes January 14, 2015 ACTION REQUESTED: Approval

# 4.0 Transportation Consent Agenda: Semi-Annual GO TO 2040/TIP Conformity Analysis & TIP Amendment

A conformity analysis of GO TO 2040 and the FFY 2014-2019 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and a proposed TIP amendment were released for public comment on January 16, 2015. The public comment period ended February 16, 2015. No comments on the conformity analysis or TIP amendment were received. Thirteen project changes make up the proposed amendment. One project's scope of work was changed; five projects were brought into the TIP; one project was moved out of the TIP; and six projects changed their completion years, crossing an analysis year. A memo detailing the proposed amendment and the results of the conformity analysis is attached, and a project report is available on the web.

ACTION REQUESTED: Recommend approval to the CMAP Board

#### 5.0 Update on Illinois 53/120 Corridor Land Use Plan

The Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning (CMAP) is working with Lake County and communities on a **corridor land use plan for Illinois Route 53 and Illinois Route 120**, as recommended by a Blue Ribbon Advisory Council of the Illinois Tollway. This corridor planning process is engaging municipalities to plan for the potential market-driven development that can result from such a major transportation infrastructure investment, as well as the potential impact on quality of life and the environment. Staff will provide an update on progress on the project.

**ACTION REQUESTED: Discussion** 

## 6.0 Economic Valuation of the Chicago Wilderness Green Infrastructure Vision

Through its partnership with Chicago Wilderness, CMAP developed a map of regionally important conservation lands known as the Green Infrastructure Vision (GIV). This vision plays an important part in GO TO 2040. CMAP recently produced a **follow-up report estimating the economic benefits** associated with preserving the lands identified in the GIV. Staff will provide an overview of the report's findings.

**ACTION REQUESTED: Discussion** 

### 7.0 State Legislative Update

Staff will provide an overview of legislative activity that CMAP is tracking and seek feedback from the committee.

**ACTION REQUESTED: Discussion** 

#### 8.0 Other Business

#### 9.0 Public Comment

This is an opportunity for comments from members of the audience. The Chair will recognize non-committee members as appropriate. Non-committee members wishing to address the Committee should so signify by raising their hand in order to be recognized by the Chair. The Chair will have discretion to limit discussion.

#### **10.0 Next Meeting-** June 10, 2015

#### 11.0 Adjournment

#### **Committee Members:**

Elliott Hartstein, chair	John Noak	Ed Paesel
Frank Beal	Sheri Cohen	Leanne Redden
Pat Carey	Jack Darin	Peter Silvestri
Allison Clement	Al Larson	Thomas Weisner
Michael Connelly	Andrew Madigan	