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# Bicycle and Pedestrian Task Force Agenda

1:00 p.m., Wednesday, September 17, 2014

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

#### 1.0 Call to Order and Introductions

Tom Rickert, Chairman

1:00 p.m.

# 2.0 Approval of Meeting Notes from March 19, 2014

Meeting notes are posted at <a href="http://www.cmap.illinois.gov/bikeped/minutes.aspx">http://www.cmap.illinois.gov/bikeped/minutes.aspx</a> SUGGESTED ACTION: *Approval of meeting notes* 

# 3.0 Local and Regional Planning

## 3.1 GO TO 2040 Update (CMAP staff)

As required under MAP-21, staff has worked on updating GO TO 2040 since the summer of 2013. The draft plan was released for public comment on June 11. Outreach meetings were held throughout the region through the end of the public comment period on August 1. Staff will present a summary of the public comments that were received as well as proposed changes to the plan update. Adoption of the final plan update is anticipated at the October joint meeting of the Board and MPO Policy Committee.

SUGGESTED ACTION: Information and discussion

# 3.2 Cal-Sag Trail

Dave Landeweer, engineer with URS, will present on the Cal-Sag Trail, giving an overview of the planning, programming, design, and construction (to date) of the trail, outlining anticipated future work, and describing segments of the 26-mile trail that remain un-engineered and/or unfunded. The Trail has succeeded in obtaining funding through the TAP, CMAQ, and ITEP programs, and in securing local match funds from municipalities, the Forest Preserve District of Cook County, and other partners.

SUGGESTED ACTION: Information and discussion

## 3.3 The 606 - Bloomingdale Trail

Luis Benitez, Assistant Chief Engineer/Chief Bridge Engineer with CDOT, will present on The 606 (Bloomingdale) Trail, which has been under construction since September 2013 and is expected to continue through 2015. Mr. Benitez will give an overview of the trail's history and development – the

vision, planning, design, and engineering – and what lies ahead in terms of construction, anticipated completion date, and subsequent use of the new park space.

SUGGESTED ACTION: Information and discussion

#### 3.4 Chicago Pedestrian Plan

Suzanne Carlson, Pedestrian Program Coordinator at CDOT, will present on the <u>Chicago Pedestrian Plan</u>. Ms. Carlson will give an overview of the City of Chicago's efforts to plan for pedestrians, covering the background, development, and contents of the plan, actions taken to implement the plan over the last two years, and what lies ahead.

SUGGESTED ACTION: Information and discussion

## 4.0 Pedestrian and Bicycle Project Programming

# 4.1 Update on TAP and CMAQ Programs

CMAP anticipates having a call for projects for both the Transportation Alternatives (TAP) and the Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement (CMAQ) programs in January 2015. Staff will update the task force on the requirements for these programs and will seek feedback on the criteria as well as other aspects of the programs.

SUGGESTED ACTION: Information and discussion

# 5.0 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

#### 6.0 Public Comment, Announcements, and Other Business

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.

SUGGESTED ACTION: Information, Discussion

## 7.0 Meeting Dates

Staff proposed the following meeting date for the remainder of 2014

Wednesday, December 17, 2014 at 1:00 p.m.

For 2015, staff proposes the following dates, which will be approved at the next meeting.

- Wednesday, March 18, 2015 at 1:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, June 17, 2015 at 1:00 p.m.
- · Wednesday, September 16, 2015 at 1:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, December 16, 2015 at 1:00 p.m.

**ACTION REQUESTED: Information** 

## 8.0 Adjournment

3:15 p.m.

Ed Barsotti		
Richard Bascomb		
Ron Burke		
Bruce Christensen		
Janell Jensen	Allan Mellis	
Andrea Hoyt	Barbara Moore	
Gin Kilgore	Joe Moriarty (Alt.)	
David Longo	Lowell Nelson (Alt.)	
Aren Kriks	Randy Neufeld	Tom Rickert, Chairman
	Greg Piland	Pamela Sielski
	Keith Privett	Kevin Stanciel
	Karen Shinners	Greg Newmark
		Dan Thomas
		Brian Hacker
		Robert Vance
		Craig Williams