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# **Environment and Natural Resources Committee**

Agenda Wednesday, June 4, 2014 9:30 a.m.

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

**1.0 Call to Order** 9:30 a.m.

- 2.0 Agenda Changes and Announcements
- **3.0** Approval of Minutes May 7, 2014 ACTION REQUESTED: Approval
- 4.0 Draft GO TO 2040 plan update Andrew Williams-Clark, CMAP Staff
  As required under MAP-21, staff has been in the process of updating the GO TO 2040 plan since the summer of 2013. Staff has prepared a draft plan update consisting of a summary document and a series of appendices that describe each of the key elements of the project in technical detail. As discussed at previous meetings, none of the plan's recommendations have been revised. Staff anticipates release of the draft for public comment on June 13. Outreach meetings have been scheduled across the region through the end of the public comment period on August 1. Staff anticipates adoption of the final plan update at the October meetings of the Board and MPO Policy Committee.

  ACTION REQUESTED: Discussion
- 5.0 LTA Program Evaluation, Part 1: Program Statistics and External Surveys Bob Dean, CMAP Staff

CMAP Staff will be working with the working committees and other partners in an evaluation of the first three years of the LTA program, with the intent of using the results to focus future resources most effectively. This discussion will start this month with a review of the basic program statistics and results of external surveys by project sponsors. *ACTION REQUESTED: Discussion* 

6.0 Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Program – Jesse Elam, CMAP Staff
The Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement (CMAQ) program is a federal
transportation funding source that CMAP programs through a competitive regional
process. Staff are undertaking a review of the evaluation and ranking process used in the
program and are seeking working committee feedback. Staff will give a PowerPoint
presentation and then lead a conversation about the management of the program.

### ACTION REQUESTED: Discussion

## 7.0 Sustainability Plan Toolkit – Kristin Ihnchak, CMAP Staff

At the Committee's March meeting, CMAP staff presented ideas for core sustainability topic areas to be included in the Toolkit and also reviewed a draft document outline. At the June meeting, staff will report the outcome of the GreenTown conference's two Toolkit-related sessions and request the Committee's feedback on core indicators relating to the Transportation and Mobility, Energy, Waste, Water, and Open Space and Ecosystems sections.

ACTION REQUESTED: Discussion

#### 8.0 Other Business

#### 9.0 Public Comment

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.

### 10.0 Next Meeting

The next meeting will be July 2, 2014 at 9:30 am.

# 10.0 Adjournment

## **Environment and Natural Resources Committee Members:**

Jack Darin	Stacy Meyers	Sean Wiedel
Martha Dooley	Joe Schuessler	Patricia Werner
Jon Grosshans	Harlan Spiroff	Nancy Williamson
Pete Harmet	Deborah Stone	
Martin Jaffe	Mike Sullivan	
Anne McKibben	Wallace Van Buren	