

AMPO GIS and Equity Virtual Peer Exchange

June 22 and 23, 2021

Sponsored by Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Transportation Planning Capacity Building Program (TPCB)

Housekeeping

- ▶ Please keep your mic **muted** when not speaking to cut down on background noise
- ▶ Please right click on your name and **add your agency** (e.g., Patricia Cahill, USDOT Volpe Center)
- ▶ Feel free to enter comments in the **chat**
- ▶ Facilitator may request the use of **“raise hand”** button
- ▶ Please have your **camera on** when you’re speaking and in small group breakouts
- ▶ **Be present** throughout the session - multitasking during the session not only disrupts your learning, but it also deprives others who could benefit from your engagement

Agenda overview

Time (ET)	Session Overview
1:00 - 1:15pm	Welcoming Remarks and Introductions
1:15 - 1:30pm	Tableau Presentation - Who's Who?
1:30 - 1:35pm	Panel 1 Poll
1:35 - 2:20pm	Peer Panel 1: Defining Equity
2:20 - 2:50pm	Panel 1 Breakout
2:50 - 3:00pm	Break
3:00 - 3:05pm	Panel 2 Poll
3:05 - 3:45pm	Peer Panel 2: Data-informed Decisionmaking
3:45 - 4:15pm	Panel 2 Breakout
4:15 - 4:30pm	Wrap-up of Day 1 and Review of Day 2

Welcoming Remarks & Introductions

June 22, 2021, 1:00 - 1:15pm ET

U.S. DOT/Federal Highway Administration

- ▶ **Spencer Stevens**, Team Leader, Transportation Planning Capacity Building Program

Association of Metropolitan Planning Agencies (AMPO)

- ▶ **Caitlin Cook**, Technical Programs Director

Logistics - Patricia Cahill and Michael Green, U.S. DOT Volpe Center

Please reach out via the chat pod for any logistics support or other questions!



Please introduce yourself in the chat pod!

TPCB Program

- ▶ Designed to help decision makers, transportation officials, and staff resolve the increasingly complex issues they face when addressing transportation needs in their communities
- ▶ Targets State, local, regional, and Tribal governments, transit operators, and community leaders

TPCB Program

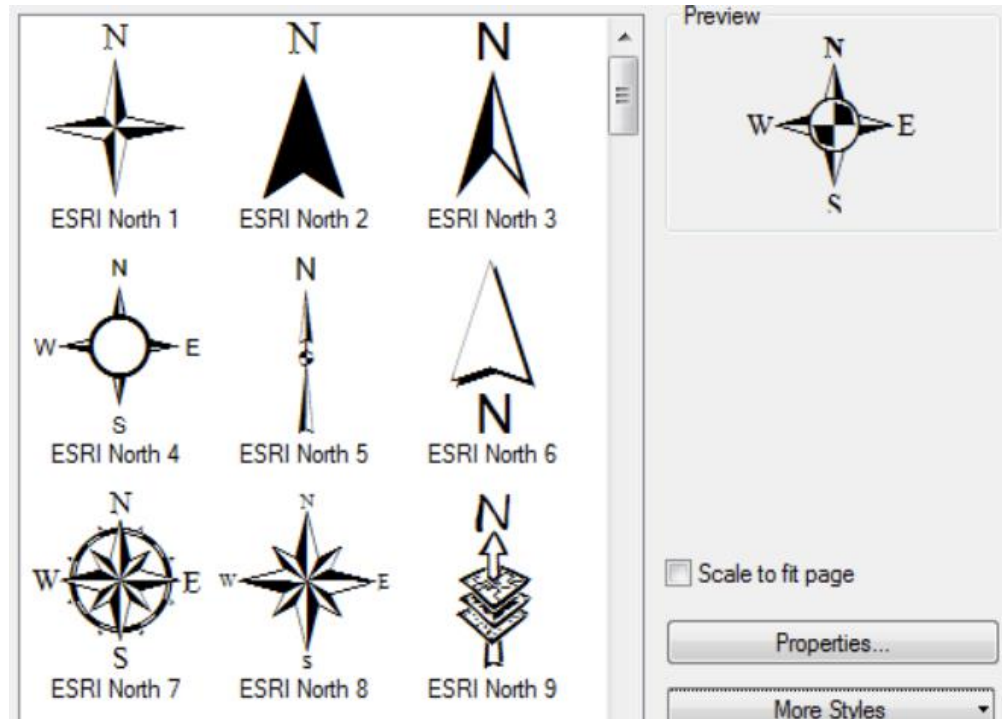
- ▶ Following today's meeting, the TPCB team will develop a high-level summary of the meeting, highlighting themes and topics discussed.
- ▶ A draft summary will be shared with presenters for review prior to being finalized.
- ▶ The final summary will be available on the TPCB website at: www.planning.dot.gov

Purpose of Peer Exchange

- ▶ Bring together peers to discuss activities at MPOs and partner agencies
- ▶ Engage in discussions with peers on topics pertaining to GIS, equity, data storytelling, and data sources and data-sharing
- ▶ Identify gaps in current thinking and opportunities for future research and resources
- ▶ Advance MPO capacity building and organizational readiness efforts

Opening Poll/Ice Breaker

- ▶ Please refer to the below graphic for Question 2



Tableau

Cecilio Martinez, AAMPO

Panel 1: Defining Equity

Peer Panel 1: Defining Equity

June 22, 2021, 1:35pm - 2:20pm ET

Moderator:

- ▶ Mara Kaminowitz, GIS Coordinator, Baltimore Metropolitan Council

Panelists:

- ▶ Craig Casper, Corpus Cristi Metropolitan Planning Organization
- ▶ Grégory Gabriel, Palm Beach Transportation Planning Agency
- ▶ Betsy Harvey, Boston Region Metropolitan Planning Organization
- ▶ Bill Swiatek, Wilmington Area Planning Council
- ▶ Kate Zielke, North Central Texas Council of Governments

Panel 1 Breakout

Come Back at 3:00pm ET



Image courtesy of Caitlin Cook (AMPO)

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Panel 2: Data-Informed Decisionmaking

Peer Panel 2: Data-Informed Decisionmaking

June 22, 2021, 3:05pm - 3:45pm ET

Moderator:

- ▶ Jenny Wallace, Senior GIS Specialist, Denver Regional Council of Governments

Panelists:

- ▶ Jared Austin, Forward Pinellas
- ▶ Angela Ryan, Forward Pinellas
- ▶ Caroline Daigle, Chattanooga-Hamilton County Regional Planning Agency
- ▶ Andrea Napoli, Bend Metropolitan Planning Organization

Panel 2 Breakout

Wrap-up of Day One and Review of Day Two

Mark Sarmiento, FHWA Office of Planning

Caitlin Cook, AMPO

See you tomorrow!

Any questions? Please contact Patricia Cahill (patricia.cahill@dot.gov)
and Caitlin Cook (ccook@ampo.org)

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Recap of Day One and Review of Day Two

Cheng Yan, FHWA Office of Planning

Panel 3: Telling the Story

Peer Panel 3: Telling the Story

June 23, 2021, 1:20pm - 2:20pm ET

Moderator:

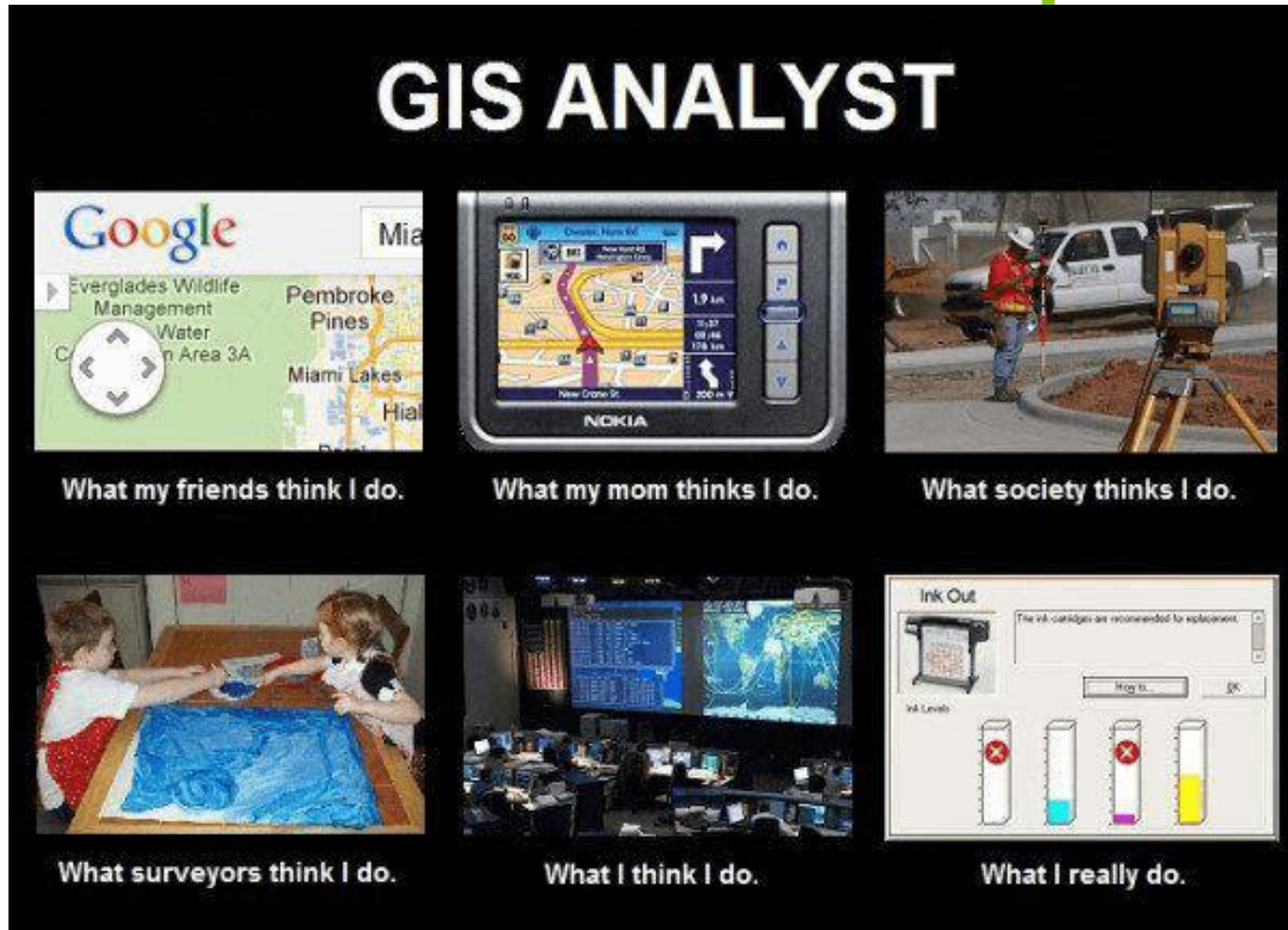
- ▶ Ann Burns, Geospatial Technology Manager, Southeast Michigan Council of Governments

Panelists:

- ▶ Carson Cooper, Greater Nashville Regional Council
- ▶ Kimberly Korejko, Delaware Valley Regional Planning Council
- ▶ Sungmin Lee, Principal Data Analyst, Houston-Galveston Area Council

Panel 3 Breakout

Come Back at 3:00pm ET



FHWA Resources

Fleming El-Amin, FHWA Office of Human Environment

Open Discussion

Jenny Wallace, Denver Regional Council of Governments

MentiMeter Poll

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Closing Remarks

Dwayne Weekes, FTA

Caitlin Cook, AMPO

Contacts and Resources

- ▶ FHWA/FTA TPCB Website: www.planning.dot.gov
- ▶ AMPO GIS Working Group website: <https://ampo.org/working-groups/gis-data-visualization-working-group/>
- ▶ FHWA GIS website: www.gis.fhwa.dot.gov

Thank you!