



2024 AGENDA

Monday, May 6, 2024

- 12:00 – 1:00 PM Lunch & Opening Remarks
Bill Keyrouze, Executive Director, *Association of Metropolitan Planning Organizations*
- 1:00 – 2:00 PM MPO 101 - MPO Core Products
Moderator: Caitlin Cook, *Association of Metropolitan Planning Organizations*
- Bill Frawley, *Frawley Planning Group*
- Trending Topic - Artificial Intelligence
Moderator: Ellen Zavisca, *Association of Metropolitan Planning Organizations*
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- 2:15 – 2:45 PM GM Future Roads - Vendor Roadshow Presentation
- Caorlyn Volan, Government Solutions Lead, *GM Future Roads*
 - Kari Slater, Marketing Lead, *GM Future Roads*
- 2:50 – 3:20 PM Viva City Labs - Vendor Roadshow Presentation
- Ashley Morjaria, International Marketing Manager, *Viva*
 - Minco de Boer, Head of International Sales, *Viva*
- 3:30 – 4:30 PM MPO 101 - MTP's Pushing The Norm
"Transportation Systems and Economic Development"
Moderator: Peter Koepfel, Farmington MPO
- Peter Mohr, *Wichita Area Metropolitan Planning Organization*
 - Chad Parasa, *Wichita Area Metropolitan Planning Organization*
- Trending Topic - Safety
"Development of a Regional Crash Data Consortium"

Moderator: Melissa Taylor, *Chattanooga-Hamilton County/North Georgia TPO*

- Erik Braaten, *Denver Regional Council of Governments*
- Jenny Wallace, *Denver Regional Council of Governments*

"Prioritizing and Implementing Safety Solutions on the Most Critical Intersections in the Twin Cities"

Moderator: Melissa Taylor, *Chattanooga-Hamilton County/North Georgia TPO*

- Steve Peterson, *Met Council*

5:00 - 6:00 PM

Mobile Tour: "Storytelling through Public Art - Fredrico Vigil from Santa Fe"
We will meet in lobby of Hotel Albuquerque at 4:30PM, take a shuttle to the Convention Center, and conclude tour at the Hotel Albuquerque. Please bring/wear your registration badge for proof of admission.

Compliments of our local hosts MRCOG & MRMPO

6:00 - 8:00 PM

AMPO Welcome Reception

Onsite at Casa Escencia, Hotel Albuquerque at Old Town

Tuesday, May 7, 2024

9:00 – 10:00 AM

MPO 101 – CMP

"Twin Cities Congestion Analysis Handbook: Connecting People, Policy, and Funding through the CMP"

Moderator: Chad Parasa, *Wichita Area Metropolitan Planning Organization*

- Tim Burkhardt, *Alliant*
- Dave Burns, *MetCouncil*

Trending Topic - Data Driven Decision Making

"Developing Interactive Comprehensive Performance Dashboard for a Large Size MPO - Atlanta Region Case"

Moderator: Taylor Laurent, *MetroPlan Orlando*

- Nasim Rezvanpour, *Atlanta Regional Commission*

"Planning tools for tracking and performance that even the public will use"

Moderator: Taylor Laurent, *MetroPlan Orlando*

- Michelle Glickert, *Tahoe Regional Planning Agency*

10:15 – 10:45 AM

EcoInteractive - Vendor Roadshow Presentation

- Matt Dixon, Vice President, Growth, *EcoInteractive*

10:50 – 11:20 AM

High Street - Vendor Roadshow Presentation

- Mark Egge, Data Scientist, *High Street*

11:30 – 12:15 PM

MPO 101 - Discretionary Grants

"Transportation Grants: When to Hold 'Em, When to Fold 'Em"

Moderator: Tim Canan, *National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board*

- Paul Calvaresi, *Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization*
- Andrew Riddle, *Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization*

Trending Topic - Modeling I

"How VisionEval and ActivitySim Complement Each Other to Answer a Variety of Planning Questions"

Moderator: Lyn Erickson, *Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments*

- Guy Rousseau, *Atlanta Regional Commission*
- Jon Slason, *Resource Systems Group*

1:00 – 2:00 PM

MPO 101 - Federal Funding Part 1

Moderator: Caitlin Cook, *Association of Metropolitan Planning Organizations*

- Sarah Siwek, *Sarah J. Siwek & Associates, Inc.*

Trending Topic - Modeling II

"Integrated Dynamic Modeling for Project Prioritization and Scenario Planning"

Moderator: Sulabh Aryal, *Planrva*

- Harun Rashid, *Northern VA Transportation Authority*
- Xuesong Zhou, *Arizona State University*

2:15 – 3:15 PM

MPO 101 - Federal Funding Part 2

Moderator: Caitlin Cook, *Association of Metropolitan Planning Organizations*

- Sarah Siwek, *Sarah J. Siwek & Associates, Inc.*

Trending Topic - ITS

"Setting Deployers Up for Success: Using Technical Assistance Resources to Make a Better Business Case for Deployment, Improve Project Execution, and Accelerate ITS Deployment"

Moderator: Rea Donna Jones, *Texarkana Metropolitan Planning Organization*

- J.D. Schneeberger, *Department of Transportation, ITS JPO*
- Elina Zlotchenko, *Department of Transportation, ITS JPO*

3:30 – 4:30 PM

MPO 101 - Project Selection

"MRMPO's Project Selection Process Web Portal"

Moderator: Saleem Salameh, *KY-OH-WVA Interstate Planning Commission, KYOVA IPC*

- Sagert Sheets, *Mid-Region Council of Governments*
- Kendra Montanari, *Mid-Region Council of Governments*

"Miami-Dade TPO's List of Priority Projects Submittal Tool"

Moderator: Saleem Salameh, *KY-OH-WVA Interstate Planning Commission, KYOVA IPC*

- Chris Rosenberg, *Miami-Dade TPO*

Trending Topic - Big Data

"MPO uses of and needs for big data"

Moderator: Francis R. Pickering, *Western Connecticut Council of Governments*

- Brian Lee, *Puget Sound Regional Council* Ekin Ugurel, *University of Washington*
- Ryan Wang, *Northeastern University*

5:00 - 6:00 PM

Mobile Tour: "Mezcla de Culturas" Walking Tour

We will meet in lobby of Hotel Albuquerque at 4:45PM and conclude tour at Sawmill Market. Please wear/bring your registration badge for proof of admission and bring your Sawmarket Hall Pass to join us for dinner at Sawmill Market.

Compliments of our local hosts MRCOG & MRMPO

6:00 PM

Dinner on your own at Sawmill Market

1909 Bellamah Ave NW, Albuquerque, NM 87104

AMPO invites you to use your complimentary \$25 Hall Pass at any of the 27 local merchants at Sawmill Market. This development was designed to revive the Sawmill neighborhood while showcasing the beauty of New Mexico through food, diversity, and art. We look forward to seeing you there!

Sawmill Market Gift Cards compliments of AMPO

Wednesday, May 8, 2024

9:00 – 10:00 AM

MPO 101 - Public Engagement

"CAMPO in the Community, Best Practices in Engagement for Small MPOs"

Moderator: Paul Calvaresi, *Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization*

- Amy Cummings, *Parametrix*
- Kelly Norman, *Carson Area Metropolitan Planning Organization*

"The MPOs Playbook for Increasing Engagement through Community Based Organizations"

Moderator: Paul Calvaresi, *Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization*

- Taylor Benjamin, *North Central Texas Council of Governments*
- Graham Stone, *Public Input*

Trending Topic - Non-Motorized Data Generation

"How to Build Your Own Data Bike"

Moderator: Regina Aris, *Baltimore Metropolitan Council*

- Zhi Chen, *Des Moines Area Metropolitan Planning Organization*
- Carl Saxon, *Des Moines Area Metropolitan Planning Organization*

"Efficient Sidewalk Data Collection and Assessments for ADA & PROWAG Compliance"

Moderator: Regina Aris, *Baltimore Metropolitan Council*

- Jim Stack, *Genesee Transportation Council*

10:15 – 10:45 AM

PTV - Vendor Roadshow Presentation

- Adam Groves, Director, *PTV America Holding, Inc.*

10:50 – 11:20 AM

StreetLight - Vendor Roadshow Presentation

- Megan McNamara, Sales Director, South Central, *StreetLight*
- Nathan Shay, Solutions Engineer, *StreetLight*

11:30 – 12:15 PM

MPO 101 – Travel Survey

"How to Plan, Design, and Implement MPO Surveys"

Moderator: Tim Canan, *National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board*

- Kenneth Joh, *National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board*

Trending Topic - Non-Motorized Data Lessons Learned

"Lessons Learned from Seven Years of Permanent Non-motorized Counts"

Moderator: Craig Lyon, *Municipality of Anchorage*

- Chelsea Favero, *Forward Pinellas*
- Kyle Simpson, *Forward Pinellas*

1:00 – 2:00 PM

MPO 101

"Functional Classifications and LRS"

Moderator: Clifton Hall, *Alamo Area Metropolitan Planning Organization*

- Joseph Hausman, *U.S. Department of Transportation Federal Highway Administration*

Trending Topic - Air Quality

"FHWA's Database for Air Quality and Noise Analysis (DANA) Tool"

Moderator: David Wessel, *MetroPlan of Greater Flagstaff*

- David Kall, *U.S. Department of Transportation Federal Highway Administration*

2:15 – 3:15 PM

MPO 101 - Road Networks and LRS

"Building a standards-based geospatial road network data model for Travel Modelling at Atlanta Regional"

Moderator: Jim Stack, *Genesee Transportation Council*

- Guy Rousseau, *Atlanta Regional Commission*
- Joseph Hausman, *U.S. Department of Transportation Federal Highway Administration*

"MRCOG's Journey to a Multi-Modal Linear Referencing System"

Moderator: Jim Stack, *Genesee Transportation Council*

- Sagert Sheets, *Mid-Region Council of Governments*
- Tim Sheldon, *Timmons*

Trending Topic – Resilience

"Leveraging Targeted Engagement and Interactive Tools to Contribute to Regional Climate Action and Resilience-Building"

Moderator:

- Judy Day, Boston Region Metropolitan Planning Organization

"Broward MPO - Transportation Resiliency Framework Study & Application"

Moderator:

- Levi Stewart-Figueroa, *Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization*

3:30 – 5:00 PM

General Session: Mock Board Meeting

- Ellen Zavisca, *Association of Metropolitan Planning Organizations*
- Caitlin Cook, *Association of Metropolitan Planning Organizations*

5:30 - 7:30 PM

Mobile Tour: "Downtown Rail Trail and Local Spirits Tour"

We will meet in lobby of Hotel Albuquerque at 5:15PM and conclude tour at the Hotel Albuquerque. Please wear/bring your registration badge for proof of admission.

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Thursday, May 9, 2024

11:45 – 2:08 PM

Mobile Tour: NM Rail Runner from Albuquerque to Santa Fe

We will meet in lobby of Hotel Albuquerque at 11:00AM. Rio Metro Shuttles depart Hotel Albuquerque at 11:15 am. Attendees will arrive at the Alvarado Transportation Center around 11:30 am and be given a short presentation on the history and future of the New Mexico Rail Runner.

A few steps away, the Rail Runner #514 departs Downtown ABQ at 12:24 pm and arrives at Santa Fe Depot at 2:08 pm. Please bring your NM Rail Runner passes and your registration badge for proof of admission.

- Rio Metro & Herzog Presentation

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2:30 - 4:30 PM

Mobile Tour: "The City Different" E-Bike Tour – Santa Fe

The #514 Rail Runner Train arrives in Santa Fe at 2:08 pm, and the tour will commence from the Santa Fe Depot at 2:15 pm. Note: Attendees will be unable to bring bikes to the Railyard so they will be asked to walk from the Depot to the Lorretto Inn – a 10-15 min walk.

Compliments of our local host Santa Fe MPO