

The Metropolitan Planning Organization for the Baltimore Region

## **BALTIMORE REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION BOARD**

March 27, 2018 9:00 - 11:00 A.M.

Baltimore Metropolitan Council 1500 Whetstone Way, Suite 300, Baltimore, MD 21230

#### **AGENDA**

#### 1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

http://www.baltometro.org/BRTB/BRTB171228min.pdf and http://www.baltometro.org/BRTB/BRTB180126min.pdf

- 2. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION OPPORTUNITY (15 MINUTES)
- 3. REPORT ON PUBLIC COMMENTS
- 4. REPORT FROM THE PUBLIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE
- 5. REPORT FROM THE TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

## **ACTION ITEMS**

### 6. APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION #18-10

The BRTB will be asked to approve Resolution #18-10 to add a project to the 2015 Regional Transportation Plan, known as *Maximize2040*, and to the FY 2018-2021 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP), as well as the associated air quality conformity determination. This project, sponsored by the Maryland Transportation Authority, proposes to extend a single express toll lane northbound on Section 200 of I-95. www.baltometro.org/BRTB/BRTBRes18-10.pdf

# 7. APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION #18-11

The BRTB will be asked to approve Resolution #18-11 to add a project to the 2015 Regional Transportation Plan, known as *Maximize2040*, and to the FY 2018-2021 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP), as well as the associated air quality conformity determination. This project, sponsored by the Maryland State Highway Administration, proposes to implement an Active Traffic Management project on I-695 from I-70 to MD 43, involving use of the inside shoulders for the a.m. and p.m. peak periods.

www.baltometro.org/BRTB/BRTBRes18-11.pdf



#### 8. APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION #18-12

The BRTB will be asked to approve Resolution #18-12 that adjusts funding for two projects currently in the FY 2018-2021 TIP. This involves: 1) adding federal funds for construction and state funding for preliminary engineering for the I-83 bridge replacement over Padonia Road; and 2) switching federal funding sources and updating preliminary engineering, right of way, and construction funds for U.S. 40 bridge replacements over Little and Big Gunpowder Falls.

www.baltometro.org/BRTB/BRTBRes18-12.pdf

#### **INFORMATIONAL ITEMS**

# 9. CONCEPT OF OPERATIONS FOR THE BALTIMORE WASHINTON INTEGRATED CORRIDOR MANAGEMENT PROJECT

This is a US DOT sponsored project designed to "Expand Real Time Travel Information" to improve travel time reliability in major corridors. The report focuses on the I-95 corridor between I-695 and I-495. It outlines the characteristics and conditions in the corridor, exams the corridor's transportation operational needs, and identifies an integrated management concept for addressing those needs. It concludes with consideration of a series of operational scenarios.

# 10. PRESENTATION ON A NEW REPORT OUTLINING THE REGIONAL ECONOMIC BENEFIT OF BALTIMORE/WASHINGTON INTERNATIONAL THURGOOD MARSHALL AIRPORT

Mr. Tony Storck, Director Air Service Development and Strategic Analysis - Maryland Aviation Administration, will discuss BWI Airport in its role as a key transportation and economic development resource. The report highlights the continuing growth in passenger and cargo as well as an expanding international presence.

#### 11. OTHER BUSINESS

Next Meeting - Tuesday, April 24, 2018

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