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**Metropolitan Transportation Plan Advisory Committee  
Meeting 3  
Monday, December 18, 9:00AM  
CCMPO Offices**

**AGENDA**

**1. Review Meeting Notes from September 18, 2006**

Attached

**2. MTP Goal Revisions**

The CCMPO's Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) suggested some revisions to the MTP goal statements at their October meeting. This came after the MTP Advisory Committee's review where no suggested changes were noted. See attached TAC recommendations for your consideration.

**3. Consultation with Resource Agencies**

SAFETEA-LU calls for consultations with state and local agencies involved in environmental protection, wildlife and land management, and historic preservation during MTP development. Staff will present some ideas and seek committee comment on how and when these consultations should occur.

**4. Environmental Mitigation**

Another SAFETEA-LU change governing MTPs states that the Plan must now include discussion of environmental mitigation activities. These discussions can take place in the context mentioned in agenda item 2 above. Staff is interested in committee comment on how and where within the MTP, these discussions are described.

**5. Population, Housing, and Employment Forecasts**

The CCRPC recently approved a methodology for these forecasts which will allow the MPO to assign these data to the Transportation Analysis Zone level in our computer transportation demand model. Staff will provide a status report of this work. The attached CCRPC memo describes in detail the forecast methods and how rural towns and the core communities were treated slightly differently.

**6. Status of MTP Update**

Staff will provide an update on drafting new text for the MTP's first four chapters including the financial element.

**7. Next Steps/Next Meeting**

Questions: Contact Peter Keating at 660-4071, x14 or pkeating@ccmpto.org

**Attachments:**

1. September 18th meeting notes
2. TAC proposed revisions to the MTP goals
3. Housing and Employment Forecast memo.