

MID-HUDSON SOUTH
TRANSPORTATION
COORDINATING COMMITTEE
MARCH 18, 2011

MAF Public Meeting

Presentation Overview

- NYMTC
- Major Products
 - Long Range Plan
 - Unified Planning Work Program
 - Transportation Improvement Program
- Funding Opportunities
- Public Participation

New York Metropolitan Transportation Council

- NYMTC is the Metropolitan Planning Organization for the New York metropolitan urbanized area.
- Comprised of 3 Transportation Coordinating Committees

Map of the NYMTC Region



Federally Required MPO Products

- ❑ Long Range Transportation Plan
- ❑ Unified Planning Work Program
- ❑ Transportation Improvement Program

Regional Transportation Plan

- Analysis of future transportation issues, funding, and goals
- Sets the stage for the TIP and UPWP
- 20 year horizon
- Current plan 2010-2035

Regional Transportation Plan

- **Guiding Principles:**
 - Sustaining the transportation system
 - Meeting the needs of our customers
 - Harmonizing the system with its surroundings
 - Creating a state-of-the-art transportation system
 - Meeting the challenges of growth

Unified Planning Work Program

- ❑ Outlines and identifies MPO planning activities
- ❑ Ties to the long range transportation plan
- ❑ One year horizon
- ❑ State fiscal year – April 1st - March 31st

Transportation Improvement Program

- Multi-year, multi-modal capital program outlining:
 - Transit
 - Highway
 - Bicycle/pedestrian
 - Other miscellaneous projects

- Five year document
- Federal fiscal year – October 1- September 30th
- Updated every 2 Years

Transportation Improvement Program

- ▣ Update existing projects
- ▣ Solicit for new projects
- ▣ Develop fiscally constrained document

Transportation Improvement Program

- ❑ Public review – March 21 to April 19, 2011
- ❑ Address public comments
- ❑ Endorse project listings – May 6, 2011
- ❑ Develop the NYMTC TIP
- ❑ Conduct the regional air quality analysis
- ❑ Public review
- ❑ Adoption by NYMTC
- ❑ STIP approval

Funding Opportunities

Current

- 5310 Program

Anticipated

- Job Access Reverse Commute
- New Freedom

5310 Program

- ❑ Elderly and disabled
- ❑ Vehicle purchases – capital only
- ❑ Applications due May 4th
- ❑ Approximately \$8.25M available
- ❑ Applicants - Non profits or public bodies
- ❑ www.NYS DOT.gov/public-transportation

Job Access Reverse Commute

- ❑ Welfare recipients and low income individuals
- ❑ Travel to job opportunities, job training, and other employment-related services, and to address reverse commuting needs.
- ❑ Capital projects – 80/20 split
- ❑ Operating projects – 50/50 split

New Freedom

- Individuals with disabilities
- To help fund new public transportation services and public transportation alternatives beyond those required by the Americans with Disabilities Act.
- Transportation to and from jobs and employment support services.

Job Access Reverse Commute/New Freedom

- Anticipated solicitation Summer 2011
- FFY 2010 and 11 funding
- Estimated \$15-19M combined
- Workshops will be held before and during application process

Public Participation

- Long Range Plan
- Unified Planning Work Program
- Transportation Improvement Program
- Website – www.NYMTC.org
- NYMTC Notes
- Program, Finance, and Administration Committee
- NYMTC Council
- MAF

Questions?

