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The Boston Region MPO, the federally designated entity responsible for transportation decision-making for the 101 cities and towns in the MPO region, is composed of:

MassDOT Office of Planning and Programming
City of Boston
City of Newton
City of Somerville
Town of Bedford
Town of Braintree
Town of Framingham
Town of Hopkinton
Metropolitan Area Planning Council
Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority Advisory Board
Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority
MassDOT Highway Division
Massachusetts Port Authority
Regional Transportation Advisory Council (nonvoting)
Federal Highway Administration (nonvoting)
Federal Transit Administration (nonvoting)

Transportation Planning and Programming Committee Meeting Conference Rooms 2 and 3, 10 Park Plaza, Boston, MA Thursday, January 20, 2011, 10:00 AM

MEETING AGENDA

1. **Introductions**, 5 minutes
2. **Public Comments**, 5 minutes
3. **Chair's Report**, 10 minutes
4. **Subcommittee Chairs' Reports**, 5 minutes
5. **Regional Transportation Advisory Council Report**, 5 minutes
6. **Director's Report**, 5 minutes
7. **Action Items:**
 - **I-495 Land Use Work Scope**, Eric Bourassa, Transportation Manager, MAPC, and Karl Quackenbush, Acting CTPS Director, MPO Staff, *approval of this work scope, 10 minutes (posted 12/30)*
 - **Meeting Minutes: January 6, 2011, meeting**, Pam Wolfe, Manager, Certification Activities, MPO Staff, *approval of these meeting minutes, 5 minutes (posted)*
8. **Recommendation on Local Member Election Process**, Eric Bourassa, MAPC and Paul Regan, MBTA Advisory Board, *recommendation to revise the process for the election of MPO elected municipal members, 15 minutes (posted)*
9. **Demographics**, Tim Reardon, Senior Regional Planner, MAPC, *presentation and discussion of demographic projections for the MPO region, 30 minutes*
10. **Plan Update**, Anne McGahan, Plan Manager, MPO Staff, *report on progress with Corridor Needs Assessments, 15 minutes (draft corridors posted as available)*
11. **Work Scopes**, Karl Quackenbush, MPO Staff, *discussion of these proposed studies, 30 minutes (posted)*
 - a. **MBTA Charlie Card Trip-Paths Pilot Study**
 - b. **Intercity Bus Study**
12. **Route 126 Corridor: Transportation Improvement Study, Bellingham to Framingham**, Karl Quackenbush and Seth Asante, Project Manager, MPO Staff, *presentation of this study and discussion, 30 minutes (posted)*
13. **State Implementation Plan Update**, Kate Fichter, Office of Transportation Planning, MassDOT, *monthly report on progress, 5 minutes (to be posted as soon as available)*
14. **Members' Items**, *reports and notices by Transportation Planning and Programming Committee members, including regional concerns and local community issues, 5 minutes*

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