



AASHTO's Partnerships with local Governments and NLTAPA

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Presentation topics

- MAP -21 IMPLEMENTATION
- OTHER INITIATIVES:
 - EDC—EVERY DAY COUNTS
 - SHRP 2 IMPLEMENTATION
 - NTPEP—PRODUCT EVALUATIONS
 - AASHTOWARE
 - NEW PUBLICATIONS
- NLTAPA PARTNERSHIP MOU WITH AASHTO

Overview of MAP 21

- Consolidates programs by 2/3rds
- Core programs – Natl Hwy Performance (\$22b); Surface Transportation Program (\$10b) ; CMAQ (\$2.2b); Safety(\$2.2b); Transportation Alternatives Program (\$.8b); Metro Planning (\$.3b)
- Changes to Statewide and Metro Planning
 - Performance Measures, Plans, and Targets
- More Streamlining / Project Delivery
- Research
- Enhanced TIFIA

MAP 21 :SOURCES OF INFORMATION

- Programmatic highlights—see the following:

<http://map21.transportation.org>

<http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/map21/>

MAP21 OPPORTUNITIES FOR LOCALS

- HIGHWAY SAFETY IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM
- Dollars are doubled
- Project eligibility broadened
- Locals must be considered in new shsp's
- HRRR program eliminated but states must show a reduction in rural fatality rate
- Great focus on data: from showing performance overall to setting investment priorities ;e.g. for high risk rural roads

MAP 21 opportunities (cont.d)

- TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM–
\$800 m per yr. for safe routes to school and rec. trails & enhancement projects ;etc. ; 50% is sub-allocated;
competitive project selection
- SURFACE TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM:
Allows bridge expenditures on any public road; 50% of funds are sub-allocated based on pop.; consultation with RPO's required (where they exist);set-aside for off-system bridges included;



Map 21 Opportunities (Cont-d.)

- NATIONAL HIGHWAY PERFORMANCE PROGRAM--
-Expanded mileage—all principal arterials, 220,000 miles
- PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT/MEASUREMENTS
highway fatalities and serious injuries; on-road mobile source emissions; NHS condition of assets
pavement/bridges & performance; traffic congestion; freight movement; rules in 18 months
- R&D—more flexibility to fhwa re: your funding; shrp 2; other priorities

Aashto map21 implementation work teams

- Performance management/measures Paul Degges (TN)
- Safety-Tom Cole (ID) ;includes GHSA & CVSA & NACE
- General Highway issues Carlos Braceras (UT)
- Project Delivery Tim Hill (OH)
- Planning/asset management/performance based planning and programming- Tim Henkel (MN)

MAP 21 IMPLEMENTATION TEAMS (CONT'D)

- Finance. Michael Bridges (LA)
- Transit-Ron Epstein (NY)
- Freight- Bill Gardner (MN)



Safety working team

- BEING NAMED THIS WEEK
- TWO MISSIONS –INTERACT WITH THE USDOT ON GUIDANCE/REGULATORY ISSUES; WORK ON THE NEXT ACT
- PHASE ONE—ENDING NOVEMBER 2012 AT THE AASHTO ANNUAL MEETING; FOCUS IS ON IMPLEMENTING CONCERNS /ISSUES SUCH AS PERFORMANCE METRICS REQUIRED BY FHWA VS. NHTSA; SHSP GUIDANCE; HSIP ELIGIBILITY/FLEXIBILITY; TRANSITION ISSUES;LOCAL ROLE;ETC.

Other initiatives

- Aashto technical services and publications:

NTPEP: National transportation product evaluation program (Greta Smith)

AASHTOWARE products---new branding—(Jan Edwards)

PUBLICATIONS—bike guide; highway safety manual; etc. (Erin Grady)

- Safety ;TZD; highway safety manual; etc.(Kelly Hardy)
- SHRP 2 Implementation(Jim McDonnell)

AASHTO SUPPORTS

LTAPS/TTAPS; things you can do

- MAKE YOUR CASE KNOWN
- SHOW VALUE TO State DOTs AND FHWA
- YOU CAN DEFEND YOUR BUDGET NEEDS
- LTAPS CAN USE THE SPR FOR THE 50% MATCH – WORK WITH YOUR DOTs—help meet their needs as well as those of local governments. For example safety data—baseline on all roads: five year histories of fatalities and serious injuries; physical inventory; risk assessments; road safety audits ; etc.

MOU BETWEEN NLTAPA AND AASHTO (signed 1-10-10)

- ALIVE AND WELL
- I HAVE BEEN ACTIVELY WORKING IT WITH MARIE WALSH AND KEVIN BURKE
- WE HAVE SEVERAL INITIATIVES UNDERWAY AND MORE PLANNED; i.e. aashto publications; key aashto task forces and committees ; safety-the HSM and TZD;EDC and SHRP2, etc.

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YOUR THOUGHTS



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