

TRANSPORTATION PUBLIC MEETING

MARCH 11 · NOON · 616 SIX FLAGS DR. ARLINGTON, TX 76011

PRESENTATIONS

Broadband as a Transportation Service

On December 4, 2023, NCTCOG hosted the Municipal Stakeholder Broadband Roundtable to discuss the current state of public investment of internet service technology and internet training programs in their communities. Several members of the 16-county region attended and, along with NCTCOG staff, developed suggested steps to increase municipal broadband activities in the region. Details about these steps will be presented.

Recent Grant Awards for Hydrogen and Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Projects

NCTCOG was recently awarded several grants from both the Federal Highway Administration and the Joint Office of Energy and Transportation to support the transition to zero-emission vehicles in the region and beyond. The funding will be used to repair and replace electric vehicle (EV) chargers, build hydrogen refueling stations throughout the Texas Triangle and to develop a resilient EV charging plan for the Dallas-Fort Worth area focused on power failure. Staff will present details about each of the grants as well as plans for implementation.

Dallas-Fort Worth Air Quality Improvement Plan (DFW AQIP)

Local governments in the region are collaborating with NCTCOG to develop the Dallas-Fort Worth Air Quality Improvement Plan (DFW AQIP), a regional plan to improve air quality, protect public health and address extreme weather events. The development of this plan is supported through a grant from the Environmental Protection Agency's Climate Pollution Reduction Grants. Staff will provide an update on plan development and request feedback.

Bike to School Day

Bike to School Day is May 8, 2024! NCTCOG will hold raffles for fun, safety-themed giveaways and new bicycles to generate interest and excitement for students at participating schools. Staff will provide an overview of Bike to School Day and how schools can participate in this promotion.

Changing Mobility: Data, Insights, and Delivering Innovative Projects During COVID Recovery

Due to a significant decline in transit ridership during the COVID-19 pandemic, NCTCOG staff has continued to collaborate with regional transit agencies to prioritize rider safety and restore user numbers. Staff will present an update on this partnership as well as current ridership numbers.

ONLINE REVIEW & COMMENT

Modifications to the FY2024 and FY2025 Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP): nctcog.org/upwp

Start of 2024 Ozone Season: publicinput.com/nctcogMarch24

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RESOURCES & INFORMATION

Interactive Public Input: Map Your Experience:
nctcog.org/mapyourexperience

DOE Multimodal Delivery Project
publicinput.com/nctcogMarch24

Try Parking It:
tryparkingit.com

Regional Smoking Vehicle Program (RSVP):
smokingvehicle.net

Vehicle Incentive & Funding Opportunities:
nctcog.org/aqfunding