

PROPOSED AGENDA

Transportation Coordinating Committee Work Session

John Orr, Chair

Friday, January 22, 2016 – 9:30 AM

ARC Offices, Harry West A/B Conference Room

1. Welcome, acceptance of 01/08/16 TCC Meeting Summary,
Public Comment period¹ *John Orr, Chair*
2. Transportation Funding Act of 2015 (HB 170) Update *David Haynes, ARC*
Governor Deal announced details of the transportation funding act implementation, including an 18-month project list focusing on routine and preventative maintenance and major mobility investments in the next 10 years.
3. Project Prioritization *Kofi Wakhisi, ARC*
As part of the 2016 work program, staff will explore refinement of TIP project selection, prioritization criteria, and evaluation methodology. Major reasons for updating the policy include the Transportation Funding Act of 2015 (HB 170) and federal transportation reauthorization (FAST Act).

The discussion will include:
 - *Which types of projects are best for certain federal funding programs?*
 - *How should policies of the Atlanta Region's Plan influence project selection and prioritization?*
 - *Should we maintain the existing program areas, and should there be corresponding funding levels or target areas for each area?*
 - *Should there be any restrictions on federal eligibility?*
 - *Could there be different local match requirements, based on the program areas?*
 - *Should there continue to be an emphasis on regional significance? How should that be defined?*
4. Announcements *Chair*
 - The Atlanta Region's Plan- TCC adoption scheduled for February 5th- quorum needed.

¹ A 10-minute period for public comments is designated at the beginning of each regular TCC meeting. Each commenter must sign up before 9:30 AM on the meeting date. Each speaker will be limited to two minutes. If the comment period expires before all citizens have an opportunity to address the Committee, citizens will be invited to provide their comments in writing.