

To: FBRMPO TAC and TCC Members, Alternates, Citizens, Media, and Resource Agency Staff

This is an invitation to participate in a homework assignment to assist MPO staff in preparing a preliminary list of projects for the Long Range Transportation Plan for discussion and a work session at next month's TCC and TAC meetings. We will be soliciting lists of priority projects via a survey from TAC and TCC members, resource agencies, and the general public. The results of the surveys will be utilized during the April 2010 TCC and TAC meetings to help determine which projects should be prioritized in the FBRMPO's 2035 Long Range Transportation Plan.

There are three surveys: one for MPO members, one for resource agencies, and one for the general public. The survey for TAC and TCC members is password-protected to enable members to come back and edit their answers before submitting a final response. TAC and TCC members will be asked to rank their top 25 overall transportation projects for the highway, public transportation, and bicycle and pedestrian modes, prioritizing the projects mode-neutrally based on merit and the [9 Planning Factors](#) outlined in SAFETEA-LU. Resource agencies and the public will be asked to pick one top project in each mode of highway, public transit, and bicycle and pedestrian, select their top 5 overall most needed projects from any mode, and answer a few supplemental questions. This exercise is a preparation for the work sessions to be held at the April MPO meetings and all results will be available to MPO members and the public at the TCC meeting on April 16th and the TAC meeting on April 22nd.

All three surveys, as well as supplemental information including project lists from existing FBRMPO plans and transit plans from the region, are available at the following web site: <http://tinyurl.com/fbrmpo-survey>.

You may also access your survey through the following direct links:

[Public](#)
[TAC/TCC Members](#)
[Resource Agencies](#).

Each primary voting member of the TAC or TCC will be receiving a separate email with a password to access their survey. The other surveys do not require a password, but if you are completing the resource agency survey you must provide your name, title, agency, and an agency email address. Again, all results will be available to the public and discussed at the April 2010 TCC and TAC meetings.

Thank you for participating in the Long Range Transportation Plan process. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (828) 251-6622 or heather@landofsky.org.

Sincerely,

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