

Agenda posted before 5:00 PM, August 26, 2021

TIP Project Cost Ad Hoc Committee Meeting

September 2, 2021, 12:00 PM (Estimated duration: 1.5 hours, expected ending at 1:30 PM)

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Meeting Agenda

- 1. Introductions**
- 2. Public Comments**
- 3. Continued Discussion of Draft Programming Policies**, Matt Genova, MPO Staff: Presentation and continued discussion of revised policy recommendations for addressing TIP project cost increases based on feedback received at the August 19, 2021, committee meeting (to be posted)
- 4. Discussion of Next Steps for the TIP Project Cost Ad Hoc Committee**, Eric Bourassa, Chair: Discussion of next steps for advancing draft policy recommendations for consideration by the full MPO board at a later date
- 5. Members' Items:** Reports and notices by MPO members, including regional concerns and local community issues
- 6. Next Meeting:** The committee will confirm the date and time of the next meeting.

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