

PUBLIC NOTICE

Montgomery Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) Transportation Special Called Meeting Announcement

The Montgomery Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) announces that a special called working meeting will be held to consider proposed amendments to the **Fiscal Years (FY) 2008-2011 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and discuss and consider the Draft Fiscal Year 2010 Rebalance of the Fiscal Years 2008-2011 Transportation Improvement Program as a final document. An MPO meeting is scheduled on January 5, 2009 at 11:00 am.**

Metropolitan Planning Organization—The Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) is the policy board of local elected and appointed officials responsible for approving transportation projects and setting transportation policy in the study area portion of the tri-county area, and for adoption of the required transportation documents for the Montgomery Study Area. **The MPO will meet on January 5th, 2009 at 11:00 a.m. at the Downtown Intermodal Transportation Facility, located at 495 Molton Street, Montgomery, AL 36104, in the Conference Room.**

The MPO must de-program \$10,236,508 in federal dollars currently programmed for fiscal year 2010 and \$7,998,268 in federal dollars currently programmed in fiscal year 2011 for municipal and county transportation projects. This action has been caused by a rescission of federal funds being sent back to the federal government. The 2008-2011 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) must be financially constrained at all times. This action will put the TIP back into financial constraint. All actions taken by the MPO on this day will be considered as amendments to the TIP due to a decrease in federal funding usually made available by the Alabama Department of Transportation. This action is required due to a decrease in transportation revenue from the federal government.

The MPO will also consider the Draft Fiscal Year 2010 Annual Rebalance of the Fiscal Years (FY) 2008-2011 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) document. The TIP document has approximately \$305,805,773 total dollars currently in planned and programmed transportation projects for years remaining years of 2010 and 2011 that must be reduced in order to be in financial constrained.

For more information about the proposed transportation projects or TIP document call Mr. Robert E. Smith Jr., Senior Transportation Planner, Division Head, Department of Planning and Development, Transportation Planning Division, City of Montgomery at (334) 241-2249 or email him at rsmith@montgomeryal.gov or check the MPO website at <http://www.montgomerympo.org> on the MPO Meetings link and click on the January 2010 MPO, TCC and CAC Meeting box to see this meeting public notice and other information related to the meeting. If you have special disabilities that requires special assistance, please contact the MPO Staff at least 72 hours before the meeting at the number listed above so that accommodations can be made. **This meeting is open to the public.**