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2024 NCAMPO Conference Agenda

2024 NCAMPO CONFERENCE NEW BERN, NC • APRIL 17-19, 2024

Wednesday, April 17, 2024

11:00am	Trolley Tour Pre-Registration required	Convention Center
1:30pm	Welcome	Ballroom A
1:45pm	Opening Plenary	Ballroom A
3:15pm - 3:30pm	Break Foyer of ballroom with vendors	

3:30pm - 5:00pm - Breakout Session 1

Words Matter – Choose Wisely (A1)	Ballroom B
Moderator: Sam Boswell, Cape Fear RPO	
WORDS Matter – Choose Them Wisely Timothy Tresohlavy, AICP, GISP, Stantec	
Low Cost / High Impact - Increasing Role of Visualization in Plannin Ryan Albracht, McAdams • Will Letchworth, McAdams	g, Design, and Project Promotion
Resiliency Through Planning and Innovation (A2)	Ballroom C
Moderator: Kelvin Raiford, Fayetteville MPO	
NCDOT Statewide Resilience Improvement Plan (RIP) Maria Pena, Gannett Fleming	

Enhancing Transportation Resilience: NCDOT's Strategic Initiatives and Innovations Kurt Golembesky, NCDOT • Dominique Boyd, NCDOT

Risk and Vulnerability Assessment Using VAST for North Carolina's US70 Transportation Corridor Hope Morgan, AECOM • Alpesh Patel, Cambridge Systematics

Moderator: Vanessa Lacer, Wilmington MPO **Bus Stop Balancing - How Many Stops is Too Many?** Mary Kate Morookian, Kimley-Horn • Paul Black, GoTriangle **Bus Stop Improvement Prioritization** Paul Black, GoTriangle **Reimagining School Bus Stops as Community Mobility Hubs** Kai Monast, Institute for Transportation Research and Education • Mathew Palmer, Durham Public Schools **Planning Tools (A4) Berne Room Moderator: Bill Marley, FHWA DIY Population & Employment Forecasting** Amanda Klepper, Pritchett Steinbeck Group • Jeremy Goldstein, Pritchett Steinbeck Group **Travel Trends and Implications for Travel Forecasting and Transportation Planning** Leta Huntsinger, ITRE Advancing NC's Mobility Plan: Update on NCDOT TPD's Strategic Plan and Process Improvement **Initiatives** Alena Cook, NCDOT Transp. Planning Division **Opening Reception at Tryon Palace North Lawn** 6:00pm - 8:00pm Trolley shuttles available from the convention center Thursday, April 18, 2024 7:30am - 8:30am **Breakfast – Ballroom A** 9:00am **Convention Center Cycle Tour Pre-**Registration required 8:30am - 10:00am - Breakout Sessions 2

Tryon Rooms A&B

Ballroom B

Importance of Public Engagement (B1)

The Significance of Transit Stops (A3)

Moderator: Becca Eversole, Down East RPO

Building Better Together: U.S. 70 in James City - A Roadmap for Innovation and Community Collaboration Sarah Parkins, WSP USA • Wendi Johnson, Gannett Fleming

Engaging the Road Ahead: CAMPO's US 401 Corridor Study Update Sarah Parkins, WSP • Kenneth Withrow, CAMPO

Moderator: Greer Shivers, Wilmington MPO Considering Turbo Roundabouts Joseph Hummer, NCDOT The Move to Digital Project Delivery being undertaken by many Departments of Transportation (DOTs). Terry Cline, Infotech **Asset Management Meets Construction Inspection** Terry Cline, Infotech • Ryan Dugger, Duncan-Parnell People and Place in Planning for Traffic Safety (B3) Tryon Rooms A&B **Moderator: Joe Geigle, FHWA Safety Planning: Start to Finish** Lauren Blackburn, VHB • Brian Mayhew, NCDOT Managing Speeds and Improving Pedestrian Safety in the Urban Core Brian Mayhew, NCDOT • Lauren Blackburn, VHB Behavioral Traffic Safety – Collaboration between MPOs and State Highway Safety Offices Rich Denbow, Cambridge Systematics Berne Room **Corridor Studies: Process, Funding, and Impact (B4)** Moderator: Jamie Viera, NCDOT – Traffic Survey Group Implementing Corridor Recommendations through Statewide Prioritization: Ash Street in Goldsboro Zachary Bugg, Kittelson & Associates, Inc. • Kenneth Talton, Goldsboro MPO The Boulevards of Concord: Transforming Suburban Tourism for the Future Andrew Babb, Bolton & Menk • Kaylee Caton, City of Concord • Donna Carpenter, Cabarrus County Convention & Visitors Bureau • Dylan McKnight, Bolton & Menk 10:00am - 10:30am Break Foyer of Ballroom with vendors 10:30am - 12:00pm - Breakout Sessions 3 Partnerships and Colloboration – Keys for a Successful Project (C1) **Ballroom B** Moderator: Carolyn Caggia, Wilmington MPO Partnerships - Better RFPs, Better Process, Better Project Timothy Tresohlavy, AIGP, GISP, Stantec • Paul Black, AICP, GISP, GoTriangle The Solution is NOT in the Data... Try Talking Timothy Tresohlavy, AICP, GISP, Stantec Safety Analysis and Recommendations (C2) **Ballroom C** Moderator: Janet Robertson, Lumber River RPO **NCDOT Vulnerable Road User Safety Assessment** Jordan Powell, VHB NC 55 Corridor - Multimodal Safety Analysis and Recommendations Ian Pike. VHB

Ballroom C

Ohio Claps Back at Increasing Pedestrian Fatalities – Case Study Tom Flask, LJB Inc.

Innovation Spurs Opportunity (B2)

Show Me the Money (C3)

Moderator: Suzette Morales, FHWA

Dollars and Sense: Strategies for Project Funding Allison Anolik, McAdams • Emily Scott Cruz, McAdams

Unraveling the Strings of TAP Funded Projects

Chisara Brown, NCDOT IMD • Marta Matthews, NCDOT Local Programs Management Office • Liz Byrom, Kittelson

Planning Requires Partnerships (C4)

Moderator: Stephanie Harmon, Peanut Belt RPO

How to Expand Your MPO Boundary: A Case Study in Collaboration Zachary Bugg, Kittelson & Associates, Inc. • Hank Graham, Fayetteville Area MPO

Regional CTPs – Case Studies John A. (Andy) Bailey, NCDOT - TPD • Karyl Fuller, Central Pines RPO

A More Effective CMP Kristina Whitfield, Kimley-Horn and Associates

Keynote Luncheon 12:00pm - 1:30pm

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1:30pm **US 70 James City Improvements Project Tour**

1:30pm - 3:00pm - Breakout Session 4

Planning for All Users (D1)

Moderator: Pam Cook, NCDOT - TPD

Experimental Walk/Bike/Transit Audits: Overcoming Windsheild Bias in Planning Andrew Ooms, Kittelson & Associates

BikeWalkNC's Friendly Driver Program

Laila Horton, BikeWalkNC • Oliver Sendall, BikeWalkNC

What is the Next Generation of Complete Streets? Design Toolkit - Measuring Tradeoffs Mike Rutkowski, Stantec

New Technology Driving Decisions (D2)

Moderator:Kerry Morrow, NCDOT - TPD

Automated Identification of Missing Links in the Pedestrian Network in Charlotte, North Carolina Matthew Bhagat-Conway and Audrey Compiano, UNC Chapel Hill • Irene Ivie, Mecklenburg County Public Health

Prioritizing Proposed Roadway Improvements: A Data Driven Approach Tim Shortley, Capital Area MPO • Gerald Daniel, Capital Area MPO

VMT or LOS: What's the Difference, and Why you Should Care Tim Padgett, Kimley-Horn and Associates, Inc.

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Moderator: Loretta Barren, FHWA	
Defining Burden: Evaluating Practices for Identifying Environmental Justice Commun MPOs Laurina Bird, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	ities Among NC
On the Same Road: Achieving Tax Equity in Orange County's Transportation Landsca Serena Singh, UNC-Chapel Hill	ре
Lessons from Advancing Equitable TOD in Austin, TX Stan Wall, HR&A Advisors • Austin Amandolia, HR&A Advisors	
Transportation and Community Resiliency (D4)	Berne Room
Moderator: Amanda Killian, NCDOT - TPD	
Regional Resiliency – Enhancing Transportation and Community Resilience	
Sarah Windmiller, Cambridge Systematics	

3:00pm - 3:30pm

Break

Foyer of Ballroom with Vendors

3:30pm - 5:00pm Breakout Session 5

SS4A – Comprehensive Safety Plan (E1)

Moderator: Karyl Fuller, Central Pines RPO

Eliminate Crashes Through Proactive Systemic Safety Analysis Cindy Yerkey, LJB Engineering • Veena Madineni, LJB Engineering

Demystifying SS4A: Revealing How Agencies Are Already Paving the Way for Safe Streets and Roads for All

Cindy Yerkey, LJB Engineering • Tom Flask, LJB Engineering • Hamideh Moayyed, LJB Engineering

Safe Streets for All Action Plan - WinFred MPO, Virginia Alexandra Castrechini, McCormick Taylor • Sean Doig, McCormick Taylor

Improving How to Get From Here to There (E2)

Moderator: Abby Lorenzo, Wilmington MPO

Using Big Data and Machine Learning for Estimating Transit Ridership Shivang Shelat, WSP USA

Funding Mechanisms for Pilot Innovative Practices/Technologies for Public Transportation Joseph Yawn, ICF • Jeffrey Ang-Olson, ICF • Kerri Synder, ICF

Microtransit: The Good, The Bad and the Ugly Randall Farwell, Benesch

Equity: Environmental Justice, Vehicle Tax and TOD (D3)

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Future of Automated	Vehicles and	Infrastructure (E3)

Moderator:Sangwoo "Marty" Sung, NCDOT - TPD

Growing North Carolina's Zero-Emission Vehicle Market: Infrastructure Needs Assessment Paula Hemmer, NCDOT

Next Generation Trails: Understanding the e-powered mobility movement

Steve Bzomowski, Alta Planning + Design

Ferry Division - Vessel Electrification Catherine Peele, NCDOT Ferry Division

Multimodal Assessment and Accessibility (E4)

Moderator: Sam Singleton, Mid-East RPO

Access in Appalachia: Assessment of Multimodal Accessibility in North Carolina Ian Hamilton, VHB • Michael Stafford, NCDOT - Integrated Mobility Division

Freeway, Arterial, Street, and Tactical (FAST) 2.0 Study Greg Saur, WSP, USA • Rachel Gaylord-Miles, WSP, USA • Nick Morrison, NCDOT

Creating Seamless Connections to Improve Regional Mobility Reaghan Murphy, Centalina Regional Council • Brian Horton, Charlotte Area Transit System (CATS) • Robert Cook, CRTPO

5:00pm - 6:00pm	Vendor Reception Foyer of ballroom with vendors
6:00nm	New Bern Night Out/ Beermude

6:00pm	New Bern Night Out/ Beermuda Triangle Bar Crawl	
	Shuttle service available to experience downtown New Bern visiting local eateries.	
	Dinner on your own.	

Friday, April 19, 2024

7:30am - 8:30am	Breakfast – Ballroom A	
8:30am – 8:35 am	Welcome & Speaker Introduction Neil Burke – Vice President	Ballroom C
8:30am – 9:05 am	NCDOT Rail Updates Jason Orthner, NCDOT – Rail Division	
9:05 am - 9:35 am	Passenger Rail Expansion Corridor ID Program Jason Myers, NCDOT – Rail Division	
9:35 am – 10:05 am	Community Readiness for Passsenger Rail = 5-Line Brennan Fuqua, NCDOT – Integrated Mobility Division	
10:05 am – 10:15 am	IMD Update Brennan Fuqua, NCDOT – Integrated Mobility Division	
10:15 am – 10:30am	Break	

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10:30 am – 11:00am	AMPO Update Caitlin Cook, AMPO
11:00 am – 11:15 am	FHWA Update Yolanda Jordan, FHWA – NC Division
11:15 am - 11:25am	NC Metro Mayors Beau Mills, Metro Mayors
11:25am – 11:35 am	NCARPO Updates Rose Baugness, Southwestern Commission
11:35 am – 11:50 am	Sponsor Recognition Deanna Trebil, NBAMPO
11:50 am – Noon	Thanks & Closing Mike Kozlosky - Treasurer