

Annual Meeting Agenda

Statewide Travel Demand Forecasting Joint Subcommittee of ADA10 and ADB40

Tuesday, 1:30-3:15 PM, 1/15/08, Hilton Adams

1:30 Welcome/Introductions

1:35 Approve Last Years Minutes

1:36 Subcommittee Membership

1:40 Existing Committee Activities

- NCHRP 8-36 Project, Development of a National Travel Model (Rob Schiffer)
- Best Practices in Statewide and Metropolitan Transportation Planning in Meeting SAFETEA-LU Requirements conference (Charlie Howard)
- NCHRP Project 8-61, Update to 365 to Include Rural/Long Distance Travel (Tom Rossi)
- Rejected NCHRP 8-36 Project on “Adding Non-Freight Commercial Vehicles to Statewide and Urban Models” (Greg Giaimo)
- Statewide Models, Session 680, Wednesday 10:15-12:00, Hilton Monroe East (Greg Giaimo)
- Linkages with Other TRB Committees (Greg Giaimo)
- College curricula for SW Models (Alan Horowitz)
- Web Site Status/Parent Committee Web Site (Alan Horowitz, Charlie Howard)

2:20 Existing Research Topic Status

- Rural Trip Making (NCHRP 365 Update)
- National Model (NCHRP 8-36 Project)
- Validation and Performance Guidelines (No current activity)
- Long Distance Travel Data (NCHRP 365 Update)
- Improved Freight Data and Models Including Commodity Flow Data (No current activity)
- Staff Retention, Development and Training (College Curricula Effort)
- Application/Policy Responsiveness of Statewide Models (Potential Project, see below)
- Traffic Assignment Issues including the effects of long trip lengths and spatial aggregation level (No current activity)
- Innovative OD Estimation techniques (No current activity)
- Better Information on Non-Freight Commercial Vehicle Movements (Potential Project, see below)

2:25 Upcoming Years Activities

- Should the rejected 8-36 call: “Adding Non-Freight Commercial Vehicles to Statewide and Urban Models” be pursued as a full blown NCHRP project?
- How should the topic, “Usage of Statewide Models to Address Policy, Resource and Investment Decisions” be followed up on?
- Sessions for 2009 meeting, presentation, poster, workshop?
- Follow up on other research tracks not currently being addressed?
- Parent Committee Conference: Best Practices in Statewide and Metropolitan Transportation Planning in meeting SAFETEA-LU Requirements
- Innovations in Travel Demand Modeling Conference
- Should we begin planning for an independent SW Models Venue of some sort?
- Other Conferences?
- NCHRP Projects?

2:55 Presentations

- Iowa DOT Statewide Model Status (Phil Mescher)
- Oregon DOT Statewide Model Status (Bill Upton)

3:15 Adjourn