

**PUBLIC INPUT
for the
AUSTIN AREA
METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PROCESS
CERTIFICATION REVIEW**

Federal Certification Review, April 24-27, 2018

Federal regulations require the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) conduct a joint planning certification review at least once every four years for large metropolitan areas.

For the Austin area, the metropolitan transportation planning process is conducted by the Transportation Policy Board of the Capital Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (CAMPO), as the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the Austin area. This process is done in cooperation with the region's transportation providers (e.g., Capital Metropolitan Transportation Authority, Capital Area Rural Transportation System and the Texas Department of Transportation, etc.) as well as other local governments throughout the region.

Representatives from the Federal Highway Administration and the Federal Transit Administration will conduct a **Public Listening Session on April 25, 2018, from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm** at the:

**University of Texas at Austin
Joe C. Thompson Conference Center
2405 Robert Dedman Drive, Room 3.102
Austin, Texas 78712**

***Parking Lot is located on Red River and Dean Keaton Streets**

The purpose of the Public Listening Session is to receive public comment on the metropolitan transportation planning process via the following example questions:

1. Do you have any comments regarding the CAMPO Transportation Policy Board's performance in carrying out the responsibility of the region's Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO)?
2. Is CAMPO doing an overall good job of providing the public with a reasonable opportunity to provide input and participate as part of the metropolitan transportation planning process?
Yes/No – explain.
3. Are there specific areas you feel CAMPO could improve? If so, explain.

You may mail, email or phone your comments to one of the Federal contact persons listed below:

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Please provide your comments to FHWA or FTA no later than **May 24, 2018**.

We welcome your timely input and thank you in advance for your assistance in this effort!
