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NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

Lower Connecticut River Valley Metropolitan Planning Organization

Thursday, January 30, 2014

9:00 a.m.

River COG Offices, 145 Dennison Road, Essex, CT

MPO Agenda:

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of October 23rd, 2013 Meeting Minutes, December 4th 2013 Meeting Minutes, December 18th Special Meeting Minutes
3. Approval of 2014 Meeting Dates
4. Amendment to the Unified Planning Work Program (Freight Planning) – continued from December meeting:
 - I. RiverCOG Bicycle- Pedestrian Plan
 - II. VRR Rail Freight Cost Benefit Analysis and Planning Study
 - III. Tri-Region Freight Planning Study with SECOG TMA and SCRCOG TMA
5. Local Transportation Capital Improvement Program/Suburban (Test Projects and Selection Guidelines)
6. Title VI Policy – Approval
7. 2013 Obligation List – Posting for Public Notice
8. Draft Public Participation Guidelines – handout at meeting – Notice of Public Comment Period
9. Staff Update on Projects
10. Adjournment

The next LCRVCOG-MPO meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, February 26th at 9:00 a.m.

Special Needs

Estuary MPO and Midstate MPO meetings occur regularly on the fourth Wednesday of each month at 9:00 a.m. Closed audio loops and/or a sign language interpreter will be made available upon request; the former upon two week notice and the latter, secured via the Connecticut Commission on the Deaf and Hearing Impaired, with a minimum of three week notice. Foreign language translation is provided upon request with two week notice for translation of minutes or meeting attendance.

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