

**AGENDA ITEM #9: HOUSE BILL 2 UPDATE**  
***Dawn Odom, VDOT, & Mike Kimbrel, HRTPO***

House Bill 2 (HB2) is about investing limited tax dollars in the right projects that meet the most critical transportation needs in Virginia. In accordance with the ***HB2 Implementation and Policy Guide***, the Office of Intermodal Planning and Investment, the Virginia Department of Transportation, and the Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation have completed evaluation of the first cohort of HB2 applications. As scheduled, the HB2 project scores were released to the public and presented to the Commonwealth Transportation Board (CTB) on January 19, 2016.

In a presentation to the CTB, Deputy Secretary of Transportation Nick Donohue briefly discussed the process to-date and presented an HB2 Recommended Base Funding Scenario for consideration by the CTB. The Recommended Scenario lists projects recommended for funding in each VDOT construction district based on Benefit Score/HB2 Cost ranks. The CTB will consider the Recommended Scenario over the next few months and may make changes to the projects that will ultimately be funded.

Secretary Donohue's presentation to the CTB may be accessed on the CTB website at: <http://www.ctb.virginia.gov/resources/2016/jan/pres/HouseBill2.pdf>.

For more information on HB2, including detailed scoring information for each of the 287 projects evaluated this year, visit the HB2 website at: <http://www.virginiahb2.org/>.

**Ms. Dawn Odom, VDOT Hampton Roads District Planning and Investment Manager; and Mr. Mike Kimbrel, Principal Transportation Engineer, will brief the TTAC on this item.**

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

For discussion and informational purposes.