

**AGENDA ITEM #7: 2045 LRTP AND FY 2021-2024 TIP REGIONAL CONFORMITY
ASSESSMENT: DRAFT REPORT
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The Regional Conformity Assessment (RCA) for the 2045 LRTP and FY 2021-2024 TIP has been completed in draft form, following applicable federal guidance as well as local consultation procedures. A finding of conformity for the 2045 LRTP and FY 2021-2024 TIP is proposed, as all applicable EPA and local conformity criteria have been met. The draft RCA is available for public review from March 31, 2021 to April 14, 2021.

Draft Hampton Roads Regional Conformity Assessment: 2045 Long-Range Transportation Plan and Fiscal Year 2021-2024 Transportation Improvement Program:

https://www.hrtpo.org/uploads/docs/HR_RCA_2045LRTP_FY21-24TIP.pdf

Upon HRTPO Board approval, VDOT will transmit the final RCA to the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) to initiate the 45-day federal review and approval process by FHWA in coordination with the Federal Transit Administration and consultation with EPA.

Mr. Christopher Voigt, VDOT Senior Environmental Engineer, will brief the TTAC on the item.

RECOMMENDED ACTIONS:

Recommend HRTPO Board approval of the draft Regional Conformity Assessment and proposed finding of conformity for the 2045 LRTP and FY 2021-2024 TIP, subject to no adverse comments received during the public review period.