

**AGENDA ITEM #8: CTAC ORIENTATION AND OVERVIEW**

**SUBJECT:**

HRTPO staff will provide an overview of HRTPO and the structure of its CTAC Committee and purpose.

**BACKGROUND:**

Created in 2010, the HRTPO Citizen Transportation Advisory Committee (CTAC) serves as an advisory committee to the Hampton Roads Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO). The mission of the Hampton Roads Citizen Transportation Advisory Committee (CTAC) is to provide the HRTPO with a citizen's viewpoint on regional transportation issues, strategies, funding, priorities, and the decision-making process of the HRTPO. The CTAC serves as a strong advocate on behalf of citizens by listening to their viewpoints and helping to have their voices heard by the HRTPO leadership and decision makers.

At a meeting requested by two CTAC members, Mr. Greg Edwards (VB) and Mr. Wayne Coleman (NO), the topic of a CTAC orientation was discussed. In an effort to educate CTAC members and provide them with the best opportunity to contribute to the HRTPO transportation planning process, HRTPO staff will provide CTAC members with an overview of the HRTPO and its committee structure, and lead a discussion on how to best maximize CTAC membership.

Ms. Kendall Miller, HRTPO Principal Public Involvement and Title VI Administrator, will brief the CTAC on this item.

Handout 8

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

For discussion purposes only