

## **AGENDA ITEM #9: OVERVIEW OF MPO CITIZEN COMMITTEES AND THEIR FUNCTION**

### **SUBJECT:**

The HRTPO CTAC has expressed concern over the direction and purpose of its current body. At the November 10, 2010 CTAC meeting, a discussion revolving around the effectiveness and duties of CTAC members ensued, causing staff to investigate other MPO/TPO's Citizen Committees and their function.

### **BACKGROUND:**

The Hampton Roads Transportation Planning Organization Citizen Transportation Advisory Committee (CTAC) serves as an advisory committee to the Hampton Roads Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO). Its purpose is to provide a citizen's viewpoint on regional transportation issues, strategies, funding, priorities, and the decision-making process of the HRTPO.

In order to guide future discussions on the CTAC and its function, HRTPO staff has researched other CTACs and the role they play for their respective agencies.

Ms. Kendall Miller, Public Involvement & Community Outreach Administrator, will brief the CTAC on this research.

### **RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Per discussion.