

5th Mid-Atlantic Regional Planning Roundtable



Multi-State, Multi-Regional SOLUTIONS: TRANSPORTATION, LAND USE and the ENVIRONMENT

SOLUTIONS

Friday, November 7, 2008

TO REGISTER:

(NO REGISTRATION FEE)

R.S.V.P by November 3, 2008:

(Space is limited)

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APA Chapters: Delaware, Maryland, National Capital Area,
Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia

HOSTED BY:

Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission (DVRPC)
Wilmington Area Planning Council (WILMAPCO)

THIS EVENT IS FOR:

Planners, Elected and Appointed Officials,
Private Sector Representatives, and Citizens

AICP Certification Maintenance Credits applied for. (Last year's Roundtable received five credits.)

Note: Hotel accommodations in Center City Philadelphia are limited.

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8:00 A.M.

REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
(DVRPC CONFERENCE CENTER)

8:45 A.M.

WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS

Moderator: LEE SCHOENECKER, AICP

Past Chair, Regional and Intergovernmental Planning Division
American Planning Association

BARRY SEYMOUR

Executive Director, DVRPC

TIGIST ZEGEYE

Executive Director, WILMAPCO

9:00 A.M.

A MID-ATLANTIC OVERVIEW – THE ROUNDTABLE PROCESS

TOM CHRISTOFFEL, AICP

Editor, Regional Community Development News

9:15 A.M.

PANEL 1: LINKING LAND USE AND TRANSPORTATION

Moderator: LEE SCHOENECKER

Speakers:

Maryland Sustainable Communities Initiative

RICHARD E. HALL, AICP

Secretary of Planning, Maryland Department of Planning

Greater Washington 2050: A New Regional Initiative

DAVID ROBERTSON

Executive Director,

Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (WashCOG)

SPC's Regional Long-Range Plan

JIM HASSINGER, AICP

President and CEO,

Southwestern Pennsylvania Commission (SPC)

10:30 A.M.

BREAK



10:45 A.M.

PANEL 2: MULTI-STATE REGIONAL APPROACHES IN THE MID-ATLANTIC

Moderator: LEE SCHOENECKER, AICP

Speakers:

The Mid-Atlantic in the Northeast Mega-Region

PETRA TODOROVICH

Director, America 2050 (A Regional Plan Association Project)

Transportation in the I-95 Corridor – The Mid-Atlantic Segment

GEORGE SCHOENER

Executive Director, I-95 Corridor Coalition

Inter-Regional Report 2008 and Planning at the Edge

TIGIST ZEGEYE

Executive Director, WILMAPCO

12:00 NOON

LUNCHEON (AMERICAN COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS BOARD RECEPTION ROOM)

A Strategic Discussion: The New Surface Transportation Act: Authorization Issues, Needs and Goals

Moderator: BARRY SEYMOUR

Speakers:

ANNE P. CANBY

President, The Surface Transportation Policy Partnership (STPP)

THE HONORABLE ALLEN D. BIEHLER, P.E.

Pennsylvania Secretary of Transportation and Incoming President, American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO)

Q & A Networking Discussion to Follow

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1:30 P.M.

PANEL 3: IS THE MID-ATLANTIC WATER-RICH? REGIONAL WATERSHED PLANNING (DVRPC CONFERENCE CENTER)

Moderator: KEVIN BYRNES, AICP

Director of Regional Planning and Regional Demographer, George Washington Regional Commission

Speakers:

The Delaware and Susquehanna River Basins

CAROL R. COLLIER, P.P., AICP

Executive Director, Delaware River Basin Commission

The Potomac and Chesapeake River Basins

JOSEPH HOFFMAN

Executive Director, Interstate Commission for the Potomac River Basin

2:30 P.M.

PANEL 4: REGIONAL RESPONSES TO AIR QUALITY AND CLIMATE CHANGE

Moderator: KEVIN BYRNES, AICP

Speakers:

The Northeast Association of State Transportation Officials, Perspective

MICHAEL W. BAKER

Chief, Air Quality / Federal Initiatives
Pennsylvania Department of Transportation

Regional Green House Gas Emissions Inventory

ROBERT GRAFF

Manager, Economic Analysis & Coordination, DVRPC

Update on the Virginia Commission for Climate Change (SPEAKER INVITED)

3:45 P.M.

REGIONAL AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL PLANNING DISCUSSION / NEXT YEAR'S CONFERENCE

TOM CHISTOFFEL

4:00 P.M.

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