



TO: Interested Citizens

FROM: Isidro Martinez, Director

SUBJECT: Application for a Rotating Bicycle Organization position on the MPO's Bicycle Mobility Advisory Committee (BMAC)

The San Antonio-Bexar County Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) is responsible for an urban transportation planning process required by federal law. This process enables the metropolitan area to receive over \$200 million annually in federal, state and local funding for pedestrian, bicycle, roadway, rideshare and transit improvements. The MPO Transportation Policy Board (TPB) is comprised of 19 elected and appointed officials and five ex officio (nonvoting) members. Public involvement is an important element of our transportation planning process so citizens are asked to participate on various committees as appropriate.

The purpose of the BMAC is to advise the Transportation Policy Board on matters pertaining to bicycling. Our mission is to create a safe and effective bicycle system to promote cycling as a viable transportation and recreational option throughout the metropolitan area. The BMAC currently meets from 8:00 to 10:00 a.m. on the second Wednesday of the month. Meeting locations may vary. The person filling this position will serve as the alternate for the first two years. The alternate is encouraged to attend all meetings and would be a voting member if the primary is absent. The person filling this position will move into the primary position in January 2012 and serve as the primary for two years. Bicycle organizations interested in the position are asked to commit to four years on the committee.

Please submit the enclosed application and any additional supporting materials **no later than February 8, 2010**. Applications will be reviewed by a BMAC Nominating Committee to provide recommendation to the full committee. The Nominating Committee may conduct personal interviews as part of this process. Please feel free to call Lydia Kelly or me at 230-6911 if you have any questions.

Enclosures:

1. Application Form



Application for Appointment

Please print:

Name: _____
(Title) (Last) (First) (Middle)

Home Address: _____
(Street) (City/Zip) (Home Phone)

Mailing Address: _____
(Street) (City/Zip) (Business Phone)

If appropriate: _____
(E-mail Address) (Cell Phone Number)

Employer: _____
(Name and Address)

Occupation: _____

Are you a resident of the MPO study area? (If outside Bexar County, contact the MPO at 210-227-8651 for details of the MPO boundaries.)

_____ Yes _____ No _____ How long?

Are you registered to vote within the MPO study area?

_____ Yes _____ No

Rules of law and ethics prohibit members from participating in and voting on matters in which they may have a direct or indirect financial interest. Are you aware of any potential conflicts of interest which may develop from your occupation or financial holdings in relation to your responsibilities as a member of the committee requested?

_____ Yes _____ No _____ Attach explanation

Background

List any education, training, experience, special interest or expertise relevant to this appointment.

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Volunteer Activities/Community Service/Elected Offices (current or past). Use additional sheets or attach resumé as appropriate.

Please provide a brief narrative as to why you are seeking this appointment.

Are you committed to attending the regularly scheduled meetings of the committee?

_____ Yes

_____ No

The foregoing and any attached statements are true, accurate and complete; and I agree that any misrepresentation or omission of facts may result in my disqualification for appointment.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please return this form and supplemental sheets to:

San Antonio-Bexar County MPO
Attention: Director
825 S. St. Mary's Street
San Antonio, Texas 78205