

MPO/RPA Quarterly Meeting Agenda

Date: Wednesday, March 23, 2016 Time: 10:00am—3:30pm Location: <i>Materials East Conference Room, Ames Complex</i>		Direct questions or ideas to: Andrea White Office of Systems Planning, (515) 239-1210
Item	Presenter	Objective
10:00 Introductions		
10:05—11:00 Legislative Updates	Dan Franklin Office of Policy & Legislative Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FAST Act overview • Other federal and state legislative updates • Legislation and funding 101
11:00—11:30 Office Updates	Craig Markley Office of Systems Planning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FAST Act stakeholder and public input update • Grant program updates • Staff changes
11:30—12:00 State Transportation Plan	Andrea White Office of Systems Planning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update on 2017 State Transportation Plan
12:00—12:45 Lunch – box lunches from Jimmy Johns (orders due by 12:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 22)		
12:45—1:00 Programming Updates	Matt Chambers Shawn Majors Office of Program Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TIP revisions and fiscal constraint
1:00—1:30 Safety Updates	Chris Poole Office of Traffic and Safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local Road Safety Plans
1:30—1:45 Rail Updates	Laura Hutzell Office of Rail Transportation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Linking Iowa’s Freight Transportation System (LIFTS) funding recommendations • Rail Revolving Loan and Grant (RRLG) program notice of funding availability
1:45—2:15 Modal Updates	Milly Ortiz—Bike/Ped Office of Systems Planning Kristin Haar—Public Transit Office of Public Transit Laura Hutzell—Rail Office of Rail Transportation Shane Wright – Aviation Office of Aviation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discuss the status of the Iowa DOT’s modal planning and programming efforts
2:15—2:45 Peer Exchange	MPOs & RPAs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussion based on questions submitted by MPOs/RPAs
2:45—3:30 Planning Updates	Darla Hugaboom FHWA Andrea White Office of Systems Planning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Infrastructure Voluntary Evaluation Sustainability Tool (INVEST) • Carryover funding and policy discussion • Transportation Advisory Groups (TAG) Guidance • Technical Analysis Peer Exchange (TAPE) discussion • Iowa Standardized Model Structure (ISMS) and planning agreements • Updated RPA planning review form • SFY 2017 Draft Transportation Planning Work Programs (TPWPs)