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Date: Oct. 18, 2012
To: ATP Stakeholder Advisory Committee (SAC)
From: Lake McTighe, Metro
Subject: ATP SAC meeting on network principles, evaluation criteria and concepts

The objective of the October 18 ATP Stakeholder Advisory Meeting is for the SAC to reach agreement on a set of principles for the regional active transportation network and a set of criteria for evaluating alternative active transportation networks, and to provide guidance on the proposed approaches for developing a set of alternative bicycle and pedestrian active transportation network concepts.

The following are attached to this memo:

1. Meeting agenda
2. Draft proposed principles and criteria
3. Regional bicycle network concepts memo
4. Regional pedestrian network concepts memo
5. Meeting notes from Sept. 27 Workgroup on principles and criteria

The draft **network concepts** will explore both a variety of network structures and approaches. The **principles** will apply to all of the network concepts. These are elements that any network concept should have, e.g. safety. In addition to this set of principles, each individual concept will provide a unique approach to the active transportation network. The **criteria** will be used to evaluate the different network concepts in order to compare them and better understand the benefits and tradeoffs of each concept.

Next steps

- Oct. 25- Active Transportation Workshop at Intertwine Summit (2 p.m., Oregon Zoo) – participants will provide feedback on principles and criteria (outcomes) as part of the workshop
- Early November, SAC Workgroup(s) to develop bicycle and pedestrian network concepts
- November or early December –Open house on network concepts
- December-January – evaluate concepts using criteria
- January – Feb –results of evaluation