

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

2007-2030 REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION PLAN (RTP) MODIFICATION

Notice is hereby given that the Dixie Metropolitan Planning Organization (DMPO) is seeking public review and comment on a proposed modification to the regional long range transportation plan. The RTP is a thirty year horizon of estimated needs of highway, transit, and other transportation solutions for the urbanized and metropolitan transportation planning boundary of Washington County.

A draft of the proposed plan modification may be obtained by contacting the Transportation Planning Office of the Five County Association of Governments. A review and comment period on the proposed modification begins on August 21st, 2009 and extends through September 19th, 2009.

The proposed modification adds four projects into Phase 1 of the Plan:
Washington Fields Road extension to access the new Airport;
Washington Dam Road extension to access the Southern Parkway;
Capacity improvement to 200 East in Ivins from Old Highway 91 to Center Street;
4th So. Trail & Underpass in St. George, from Dixie State College to the Health Science Building, (near the Dixie Regional Medical Center).

The Dixie RTP fulfills requirements for the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) & Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) planning regulations including the public involvement process. This is the only notice that will be given and unless comments are received within the 30-day timeframe, the RTP document will be modified as proposed.

A copy of the proposed Dixie RTP modification is available at the addresses noted below.

Requests for information or comments may be directed to Lowell Elmer, Director, Dixie Metropolitan Planning Organization, Five County Association of Governments, 1070 W. 1600 S., Bldg. "B", P. O. Box 1550, St. George, UT 84771, telephone at (435) 673-3548 ex122, fax (435-673-3540, or via e-mail to: lelmer@fcaog.state.ut.us

One may also access the proposed RTP modification at the following web site:
<http://www.dixiempo.org/tip.html>