

EASTERN SHORE MPO



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PUBLIC NOTICE

Eastern Shore Metropolitan Planning Organization

REQUEST FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING THE PROPOSED DRAFT 2026 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PLAN (PPP)

The Eastern Shore Metropolitan Planning Organization (ESMPO) has prepared the Draft 2026 PPP for review by the MPO Policy Board and Advisory Committees in April 2026.

The PPP is a cooperative effort between the U.S. Department of transportation (USDOT), Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), Alabama Department of Transportation (ALDOT), ESMPO member governments and citizens living within the ESMPO planning area. A primary purpose of the ESMPO is to encourage community involvement during the transportation planning process. The PPP outlines the manner in which the public is reached, encouraging the maximum amount of participation possible. The PPP outlines the processes for involving the public in transportation planning under federal and state regulations and guidelines for preparing the primary planning documents; Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP), Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP), Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP), Public Participation Plan (PPP), and the Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan. The PPP sets measurable goals and performance evaluations.

The Draft PPP will be available for review at the locations listed below from March 6th through April 20th. The MPO welcomes comments during the public comment period and at any MPO meeting. The document may also be viewed on the ESMPO website, www.easternshorempo.org.

The MPO would like input from the public and welcomes written comments during this time. Comment forms will be available at each of the following locations:

Daphne

City Hall, Clerk's Office

Public Library

Fairhope

Baldwin County Fairhope Satellite Courthouse,

Eastern Shore Chamber of Commerce
City Hall, Clerk's Office
Public Library

Loxley
City Hall, Clerk's Office
Public Library

Spanish Fort
City Hall, Clerk's Office and Public Library

Robertsdale
BRATS Hub and Headquarters
Baldwin County Central Annex II, Highway Department
Central Baldwin Chamber of Commerce
Baldwin County Central Annex, Commission Office
Robertsdale Public Library

Silverhill
Town Hall

Mobile
Alabama DOT, Region Engineer's Office

Written comments may be submitted as follows:

U.S. Mail or Hand Delivery:
Eastern Shore Metropolitan Planning Organization
Baldwin County Central Annex II
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Silverhill, Alabama 36576

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Additional information regarding the document may be obtained by contacting the MPO Director, Sarah Hart Sislak, at (251) 990-4643 or shart@baldwincountyal.gov or by visiting our website at www.easternshorempo.org.

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