FY2018 Environmental Process Subcommittee

YEAR IN REVIEW
What did we accomplish?

Topics of discussion & correspondence

- Public involvement
- Climate Resilience
- Corps 408 Permits
- 6(f)
- Mitigation tracking and compliance
- Planning and Environmental Linkage
- NEPA reform proposals
- National performance measures/ Dashboard / DOT Scorecard

- Monthly conference calls 10-12 state DOTs + AASHTO staff and occasional FHWA staff
- Provided input on national policy actions, EO’s, federal inquiries

Presidential Executive Order on Establishing Discipline and Accountability in the Environmental Review and Permitting Process for Infrastructure

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Workgroups in Environmental Process Subcommittee

**Noise Workgroup**
- Noel Alcala (OH), Chair
- Email group; Bi-Monthly calls
- Research projects in various stages
- Traffic Noise Practitioner's Summit
- Noise Summer Meeting

**NEPA Assignment WG**
- Carlos Swonke (TX), Chair
- Quarterly calls
- March 2018 Peer Exchange
Info Exchange

- Members keep each other informed of webinars, reports, etc.
- Calls provide an opportunity to debrief / update others on what happened at other events
- Share briefing materials between state DOTs
- Assist FHWA and AASHTO in getting information out to practitioners

Environmental Justice

Recent Developments

Listed below are recent developments pertinent to environmental justice from the past six months. If you would like to suggest a recent development on this topic, please submit a short description to AASHTO (including any pertinent links) on the Share Info with AASHTO form.

- FHWA Provides Guide, Case Studies on Community Impact Assessment
- Tool To Share State Public Involvement Resources Developed by FHWA
- EPA Issues Mobile Version of EJSCREEN Mapping Tool
- Describes Disproportionate EJ Impacts in Planning, Project Development
- Peer Exchange Illustrates Importance of Community Engagement
- Recording: Meaningful Community Engagement
- Assess Environmental Justice Impacts of Toll Implementation, Rate Summary of AASHTO Resiliency Peer Exchange on Extreme Weather and Climate Impacts

November 6 - 7, 2017, Washington DC
Next Year:
1. Timely response to federal policy and regulatory requirements
2. Incorporating sustainability
3. Meeting needs of our members