

## The MUMPO Policy Board

The MUMPO Policy Board consists of elected officials representing Charlotte, Cornelius, Davidson, Huntersville, Matthews, Mecklenburg County, Mint Hill and Pineville in Mecklenburg County, and Indian Trail, Monroe, Stallings, Union County, Waxhaw, Weddington, Wesley Chapel and Wingate in Union County. A member of the North Carolina Board of Transportation is also a voting member. The Board includes non-voting members from the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission, Union County Planning Board, North Carolina Turnpike Authority and the US Department of Transportation.

The Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Department is the Lead Planning Agency for MUMPO; staff support is also provided by the Charlotte Department of Transportation.



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# 2035 Long Range Transportation Plan

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# An Introduction to MUMPO and the 2035 LRTP Update

## What is MUMPO?

The Mecklenburg Union Metropolitan Planning Organization (MUMPO) is responsible for federally mandated transportation planning activities within all of Mecklenburg County and the urban portion of Union County. The primary duties of MUMPO include:

- Preparing long range transportation plans
- Preparing transportation-related air quality planning conformity analyses
- Any other transportation planning duties required by federal Law.

## What is the LRTP?

One of the most important duties of MUMPO is to prepare the Charlotte region's Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP). The LRTP defines policies, programs and projects to be accomplished during at least the next twenty years. Because the plan update is to be finished in 2009, this LRTP will describe which roads, transit, and bicycle and pedestrian facilities will be built up to the year 2035. The LRTP will also help local governments make their transpor-



tation and land use decisions based on their available funds and community objectives. Due to air quality conditions caused in part by traffic within the Charlotte region, Federal law requires MUMPO to reevaluate and update its LRTP every four years. The LRTP update is currently underway!

## We want your input!

MUMPO is undertaking several activities to encourage meaningful citizen participation in our LRTP update. Throughout 2009, MUMPO will provide citizens an opportunity to comment on transportation projects proposed for the 2030 LRTP update.

In addition, MUMPO's website contains useful information on its transportation plans, work

programs and other transportation related activities. The web site also contains information on the opportunities for citizens to provide their input into MUMPO programs, including the LRTP update. The website can be found at

[www.mumpo.org](http://www.mumpo.org)

When the public meeting dates are set, they will be advertised in several media outlets and posted on the MUMPO web site. In addition, special invitations will be sent to those on the MUMPO mailing list. If you would like more information on how you can participate in MUMPO's transportation planning process and/or how to have you or your association, group or organization added to the MUMPO mailing list, please contact Robert Cook with MUMPO at 704-336-8643 or send him an e-mail at [rwcook@ci.charlotte.nc.us](mailto:rwcook@ci.charlotte.nc.us).

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