2018 RTP | REGIONAL FREIGHT STRATEGY WORK PLAN

Getting there by moving freight

PROJECT START UP	REGIONAL FREIGHT TRENDS AND CHALLENGES	REGIONAL FREIGHT VISION, POLICIES AND NEEDS	SHARED REGIONAL FREIGHT INVESTMENT STRATEGY	ADOPTION
MAY TO DEC. 2015	**JAN. TO APRIL 2016**	**MAY 2016 TO FEB. 2017**	**MARCH 2017 TO DEC. 2018**	**2018**
Describe the project purpose, schedule, and resources Establish project goals and desired outcomes Identify state, regional, and local government partners, and key freight stakeholders to engage in the project Develop project work plan	Document key trends and challenges and update existing data Document relevant research and existing system conditions for freight and goods movement	Update freight vision and supporting policies and tools for determining freight needs Update regional freight needs Update evaluation framework as part of RTP performance targets update	Inform the project solicitation process of the 2018 RTP Evaluate performance as part of 2018 RTP investment strategy analysis Update freight investment strategy and action plan Include results of other regional freight studies and investment action plans in the Regional Freight Strategy	Release draft strategy for public review Adopt Regional Freight Strategy as part of the 2018 RTP Adopt regional freight network vision, policies and investment priorities as part of the 2018 RTP
DELIVERABLES				
Draft Project Work Plan **Review of work plan by state, regional and local partners; and key freight stakeholders**	**Key trends, commodity movement, and freight economic impact**	**Regional Freight Vision and Policies** **Regional Freight Needs Assessment**	**Draft update of regional freight network vision policies for the 2018 RTP** **Freight and multimodal project scenarios for testing freight performance** **Draft Regional Freight Strategy**	**Final update of regional freight network vision policies for the 2018 RTP** **Final Regional Freight Strategy** (includes Regional Freight Vision, Freight Investment Priorities, and revised Freight Action Plan)

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