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## MEETING OF THE

# MODELING TASK FORCE

**Wednesday, September 24, 2014  
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

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# AGENDA

*“Any item listed on the agenda (action or information) may be acted upon at the discretion of the Committee”.*

## 1.0 CALL TO ORDER AND INTRODUCTIONS

**Robert Farley,**  
Chairperson

## 2.0 PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

Members of the public desiring to speak on an agenda item or items not on the agenda, but within the purview of this Task Force, must fill out and present a speaker’s card to the Assistant prior to speaking. A speaker’s card must be turned in before the meeting is called to order. Comments will be limited to three minutes. The Chair may limit the total time for comments to twenty (20) minutes.

## 3.0 CONSENT CALENDAR

### 3.1 Approval Items

3.1.1 Minutes of May 28, 2014 Meeting

**Attachment**

## 4.0 ACTION ITEM

## 5.0 INFORMATION ITEMS

### 5.1 Updates on Subregional Modeling Programs

**Group Discussion,**  
10 minutes

Discussion by MTF members – an opportunity for agencies to share the status of their current modeling projects and upcoming modeling priorities.

### 5.2 Update on SCAG Modeling Program

**Guoxiong Huang,**  
SCAG  
20 Minutes

Discussion of SCAG’s modeling program, current modeling priorities and future direction.

**5.3 Regional Bike Count Program**

Overview of SCAG’s Regional Bike Count Program which is a joint effort with Los Angeles County Metro. The Bike Count Data Clearinghouse is a web-based repository for bicycle count data throughout LA County.

**Alan Thompson,**  
SCAG  
30 minutes

**5.4 Warehouse Model**

Description of SCAG’s new Warehouse Model completed by Cambridge Systematics. This new Model is integrated into SCAG’s Heavy-Duty Truck Model.

**Sean McAtee,**  
Cambridge  
Systematics  
30 Minutes

**5.5 Auto Operating Costs**

Description of SCAG’s Auto Operating Costs which will be used in the upcoming 2016 RTP/SCS modeling analysis. Included will be data assumptions and related analysis.

**Yongping Zhang,**  
SCAG  
20 Minutes

**6.0 CHAIR’S REPORT**

**7.0 STAFF REPORT**

**8.0 FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

**9.0 ADJOURNMENT**

The next meeting of the Modeling Task Force is scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on January 28, 2015 at SCAG’s office in downtown Los Angeles. Note – The Meeting on November 26, 2014 is cancelled due to the proximity to the Thanksgiving Holiday.