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PUBLIC NOTICE

Eastern Shore Metropolitan Planning Organization

REQUEST FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING THE PROPOSED DRAFT FISCAL YEAR 2026 UNIFIED PLANNING WORK PROGRAM (UPWP)

The Eastern Shore Metropolitan Planning Organization (ESMPO) has prepared the Draft FY 2026 Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) for review by the MPO Advisory Committees and Policy Board in July 2025.

The UPWP is the planning and administrative budget of the MPO and details the federally funded transportation planning activities to be undertaken in the Eastern Shore Urbanized Area in FY 2026 by the Alabama Department of Transportation (ALDOT) and the Eastern Shore MPO.

The Draft FY 2026 UPWP will be available for review at the locations listed below from June 2, 2025 through July 2, 2025. 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:

<u>Daphne</u> 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

<u>Loxley</u> City Hall, *Clerk's Office* Public Library

<u>Spanish Fort</u> City Hall, Clerk's Office and Public Library **<u>Robertsdale</u> 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**

<u>Silverhill</u> Town Hall

<u>Mobile</u> Alabama DOT, *Region Engineer's Office*

Written comments may be submitted as follows:

U.S. Mail or Hand Delivery:

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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 <u>shart@baldwincountyal.gov</u> or by visiting our website at <u>www.easternshorempo.org</u>.

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