



Assessing Virtual Public Involvement at Texas MPOs

COVID-19 Pandemic and Beyond

What We're Doing?

- Assessment of Virtual Public Involvement (VPI) Practices at Texas MPOs during COVID-19 pandemic
 - Stay-at-home orders and beyond
- Document changes as a response to pandemic
 - What worked well?
 - What was challenging?
 - What tools/techniques were used?
- What is planned for the future?

How We Will Do It

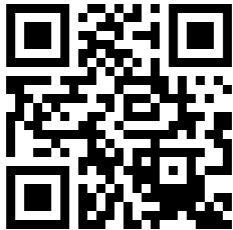
- 1 Desktop Research
- 2 Survey
- 3 Small Group Discussions
- 4 Develop White Paper

Survey Results

- Many new opportunities for VPI
 - New equipment
 - No new funding or staffing
- Many MPOs in the process of updating PPP
- Mix of live commenting
- Making good use of websites, social media
- Little evaluation
- Most plan to continue some form of VPI

What's next?

- ✓ Survey – COMPLETE – Thank you!
- ✓ Small Group Discussion
 - Participate



- Everyone can learn from one another

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**We need
YOU!**





Questions?

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