

MPAC Worksheet

Agenda Item Title: 2040 Planning & Development Grants Program Update

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Purpose/Objective

To provide an update on refinements that were made to the 2040 Planning & Development Grants program in 2024, including moving to quarterly awards and expanding program opportunities. We will summarize the past year of grant cycles, discuss challenges and successes, highlight some specific projects that were funded, and review lessons learned and how those lessons will be reflected in future program refinements.

Outcome

MPAC members will gain understanding of the 2040 Grant program outcomes over the past year and have an opportunity to provide feedback as we explore additional program refinements for the coming year.

What has changed since MPAC last considered this issue/item?

2040 program moved to quarterly cycles, shifted funding criteria to focus more on project readiness, and made other changes to be responsive to grant user feedback and implement program efficiencies and enhance effectiveness.

What packet material do you plan to include?

No packet materials, will use slides for presentation