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## MEETING OF THE

# MODELING TASK FORCE

**Wednesday, May 28, 2014  
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

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**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 March 26, 2014

**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 2011 Travel Survey – Active Transportation Modes**

**Hsi-Hwa Hu,  
SCAG  
30 minutes**

Summary and analysis of active transportation modes in the Year 2011 California Household Travel Survey.

**5.3 SCAG Air Quality Model**

Overview of SCAG's Air Quality Model used for performing regional emission analysis.

**Mana Sangkapichai,  
SCAG  
20 minutes**

**5.4 SPM Model Status and Website**

Status of SCAG's Scenario Planning Model (SPM) and website. The SPM is a comprehensive web-based land use sketch planning tool for scenario development, modeling, and data organization.

**Jung A Uhm,  
SCAG  
20 minutes**

**5.5 Analysis of Parking Costs**

Description of SCAG's process for estimating existing and future year parking costs, which are used in mode choice calculations for both the trip-based and activity-based models.

**Hsi-Hwa Hu,  
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 July 23, 2014 at the SCAG offices in downtown Los Angeles.