

Citizens' Advisory Council Metropolitan Area Planning Agency (MAPA)

The Citizens' Advisory Council (CAC) is an important component of transportation planning for the Omaha-Council Bluffs Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO). Working with the Transportation Technical Advisory Committee (TTAC), members of the CAC serve as a liaison between the public and the formal transportation planning process. In addition, CAC members offer input and review the Long Range Transportation Plan; are involved with MAPA's Public Participation Plan; new studies, plans, and at-large planning documents will be reviewed by CAC to make recommendations to the TTAC; the CAC can suggest future studies and plans, and will have the opportunity to review and comment on the draft Transportation Improvement Program (TIP).

The TTAC will select representatives based on several criteria including the willingness to attend meetings and interest in local transportation and related issues.

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____

E-mail: _____

Occupation: _____ Employer: _____

Membership for the CAC is drawn from citizens within the current MAPA MPO boundaries.

Please indicate your interest area(s) (check all that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Air Quality | <input type="checkbox"/> Pedestrian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bicycle Advocate | <input type="checkbox"/> Persons with Disabilities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business development | <input type="checkbox"/> Planning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Congestion Management | <input type="checkbox"/> Rural |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Downtown District | <input type="checkbox"/> Safety |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Employees/ Workers/ Organized Labor | <input type="checkbox"/> School District/ Parent |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Freight/ Rail/ Trucking | <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Citizens |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Land Use | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Low Income | <input type="checkbox"/> Students |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Minority | <input type="checkbox"/> Transit Provider |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Natural Environment | <input type="checkbox"/> Transit Rider |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neighborhoods | <input type="checkbox"/> Veterans |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parks/ Trails | |

Please attach a short biography or resume.

Please attach a 1-page statement including the following information: 1) why you believe you would be a good representative; 2) why you would like to serve; 3) prior appointments or elected offices; 4) present and past community volunteer activities; and 5) how long you have lived in the region.

Check if you are willing to attend monthly meetings. Recommended By: _____

Date: _____ Signature: _____

Complete and return this application to MAPA Citizens' Advisory Council Selection, Metropolitan Area Planning Agency (MAPA), 2222 Cuming Street, Omaha, NE 68102 or by email to mapa@mapacog.org by 5 pm on June 18, 2014.

MAPA does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, gender, or disability in the selection of those chosen to serve on a Board or Committee.