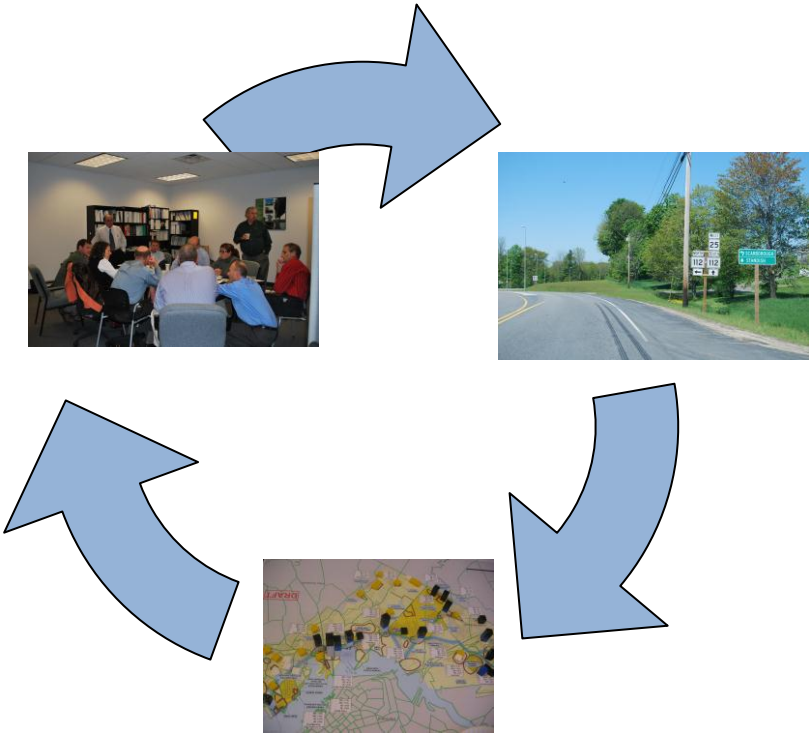


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ACRONYMS/ABBREVIATIONS

AADT – Annual Average Daily Traffic
ADA – Americans with Disabilities Act
AICP – American Institute of Certified Planners
ATR – Automatic Traffic Recorder
BWH – Beginning with Habitat
CDS – Child Development Services
CMR – Code of Maine Rules
CRF – Critical Rate Factor
DEP – Department of Environmental Protection
DHHS – Department of Health and Human Services
DHV – Design Hour Volume
DU – Dwelling Unit
EA – Environmental Assessment
EB - Eastbound
EMS – Emergency Medical Service
EPA – Environmental Protection Agency
FAR – Floor Area Ratio
FTA – Federal Transit Administration
GPCOG – Greater Portland Council of Governments
HCL – High-Crash Location
HCM – Highway Capacity Manual
HUD – Housing and Urban Development
ID – Identification
lb - pound
LLC – Limited Liability Company
LOS – Level of Service
MaineDOT – Maine Department of Transportation
min. – minute
MOA – Memorandum of Agreement
MOE – Measure of Effectiveness
MOU – Memorandum of Understanding
MPO – Metropolitan Planning Organization

MRSA – Maine Revised Statutes Annotated
MTA – Maine Turnpike Authority
NB - Northbound
NECTA – New England City and Town Area
NEPA – National Environmental Policy Act
NNEPRA – Northern New England Passenger Rail Authority
OOB – Old Orchard Beach
PACTS – Portland Area Comprehensive Transportation System
PAR – Pan Am Railways
PROP - People’s Regional Opportunity Program
PWD – Portland Water District
RC&D - New England Association of Resource Conservation & Development
RIS – Roadway Improvement Scenario
Rte. - Route
RTP – Regional Transportation Program
Sat. – Saturday
SB - Southbound
SEDCO - Scarborough Economic Development Corporation
SMRPC – Southern Maine Regional Planning Commission
SOV – Single Occupancy Vehicle
Sun. - Sunday
SPBS – South Portland Bus Service
STPA – Sensible Transportation Policy Act
TAZ – Traffic Analysis Zone
TDM – Transportation Demand Management
TIF – Tax Increment Financing
TIGER - Transportation Investment Generating Economic Recovery
TIP – Transportation Improvement Program
TMC – Turning Movement Count
TOC – Transit-Oriented Corridor
TOD – Transit-Oriented Development
UPWP – Unified Planning Work Program
U.S. – United States
USEPA – United States Environmental Protection Agency

USGS – United States Geological Survey

USM – University of Southern Maine

VHT – Vehicle Hours Traveled

VMS – Variable Message Sign

VMT – Vehicle Miles Traveled

vph – vehicles per hour

WB – Westbound