

Accomplishments as of March 18, 2010

Action Plan (November, 2004)	Since Adoption	Since Meeting	Last	Possibilities for Next Meeting*
East-West Access				
East-West Corridors For a few existing important east-west corridors, package practical, low-impact improvements such as signage and coordination of lights, and get the package funded (priority item)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Forum Atlas (2005, 2007) > Circulation Elements Paper > Inventory of East-West Corridors > CR 571 package and next steps > CR 518 package and next steps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Participated in short-term transit on CR 571 meeting and helped with follow-up > Projects from the Forum-endorsed CR 571 package have advanced, especially of note are the CR 571 improvements, now DBNUM D0701 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > *Steering Committee sets agenda > Ideas on how to advance projects in tight financial times > Next east-west existing corridor and/or participation with CR 571 BRT planning
Highway II Projects Stay involved with Highway II projects (Millstone Bypass and SR 92) as they are implemented by others without allowing controversy over them to impede progress on other transportation projects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Penns Neck project updates > Discussions of how to stay productively involved within Steering Committee 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Coordinated with NJDOT on next steps from Route 1 Regional Growth Strategy (Rt1RGS) > Contacted NJDOT about Millstone Bypass/Penns Neck Improvements > Participated in Rt 1 Forrestral Road-Aaron Road project 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Update from group of six mayors and NJDOT regarding Penns Neck capital projects
Next Generation of Projects Develop ideas for the next generation of projects for when there is money again through a more productive, integrated process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Coordinated with R1RGS Smart Growth transp./land use strategy > Coordinated with NJOEG Planning Through Partnerships 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Attended final Rt1RGS public workshop > Coordinated with NJDOT, NJ Transit, NJ Future, and others on future of planning and projects in Route 1 corridor 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Final results from Rt1RGS > Update on Turnpike widening project and dealing with impacts
Transit and Alternative Modes				
Route 1 Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) Study Participate in the study, then get the conclusions implemented (priority item)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Endorsed final report, letter > Recommended in DVRPC Small Starts Feasibility Report 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Prepared summary of NJ BRT projects for Forum and www.dvrpc.org/LongRangePlan/CentralJerseyForum/brt.htm 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Update on BRT Phase 1 > How Forum & municipalities can advance BRT
Other Regional Transit Projects Monitor and support implementation of projects, shuttles, Transit Oriented Design (TOD), and other related projects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Intermunicipal coordination on transit for CR 571 > Updates on TOD studies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Helped apply for DVRPC FY '10 Transit Support Programs funding for CR 571 Park & Ride Site Identification Study > Helped coordinate related transit projects, including Mercer County Long-Range Strategic Bus Plan 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Update on TOD projects in the Forum area
Trip Reduction Ordinance (TRO) Investigate and potentially develop and promote a model for the region	<i>Legislative Committee discussed dropping this item from the Action Plan</i>			
Land Use				
Land Use Changes to Support Multi-modal Planning - Get the land use changes needed to make the BRT and other multi-modal approaches successful, including by coordination with the NJDOT Rt1RGS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Presentations e.g. NJDOT Mobility & Community Form Element > Land Use updates & analysis in Planned Projects Status Reports 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Coordinated with Rt1RGS > Updated information about land use development projects in Route 1 corridor for Planned Projects Status Report 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Assistance for revising master plans circulation elements using Smart Transportation Solutions Guidebook and other resources
Transfer of Development Rights (TDR) Cooperate on where to do this for greatest regional benefit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Included in Forum survey to gage relative level of interest 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Tracked related projects for relevance to Route 1, including Salem County-wide TDR planning 		
System Wide Planning & Coordination				
Information Sharing Continue to provide pertinent information and facilitate discussion among Forum members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Meetings of the Forum; Steering, Legislative, and BRT committees > Planned Project Status Reports 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Provided Forum with follow-up information on how to access Plan4Safety crash analysis program > Updated Forum web pages 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > NJDOT access code update and using access management
Consider Innovative Regional Solutions Address transportation problems in ways such as a Central Jersey traffic report with integrated, multimodal travel marketing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Letters to Governor and others on property tax reform, Trust Fund; press release > Presentation by Assemblyman Wisniewski, draft TED bill 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Held Forum Steering Committee meeting and follow-up conference call on how to proceed with planning in the Route 1 corridor and the future of the Forum. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Discuss next steps for the Forum and how Rt1RGS implementation proceeds