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MPO Public Meeting for Long Range Transportation Plan

New Braunfels, Texas — The Alamo Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) staff will conduct a Traffic Congestion and Safety Workshop at the New Braunfels Civic Center, 375 S. Castell Ave., on June 17th. Residents are encouraged to attend this important public meeting to help update the region's long range transportation plan. The workshop begins at 6:00 p.m.

Attendees will receive an overview and then will be asked to share their traffic congestion concerns during a mapping exercise. Participants will tell the MPO staff where, when and for how long they experience traffic congestion. Next, attendees will do a second mapping exercise sharing their concerns about safety issues related to traveling throughout their neighborhoods, city and the region.

The MPO was created by federal law to provide a comprehensive, cooperative and continuous transportation planning process that brings the region over \$200 million annually in state and federal transportation funding for roadway, transit, rideshare, bicycle and pedestrian projects. For more information, visit www.alamoareampo.org.

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