

EPA Update

NACAA Mobile Sources and Fuels Call

3/6/2018

Topics:

- Upcoming Trainings
- Revised SIP and Conformity Guidance for Diesel Retrofits and Replacements
- Results from the 2017-2018 Travel Efficiency Assessment Method Case Studies

Upcoming Training

- Three MOVES2014a Hands-on Training sessions:

1. April 24-25: Atlanta, GA
2. May 15-16: Research Triangle Park, NC
3. June 19-20: Ann Arbor, MI

MOVES training and registration information at: www.epa.gov/moves/moves-training-sessions#training

- PM Hot-spot Guidance Training: June 26-28

- Updated training information will be posted to: www.epa.gov/state-and-local-transportation/project-level-training-quantitative-pm-hot-spot-analyses

- National Transit Institute's Introduction to Transportation Conformity course

- April 16-18, 2018 – Philadelphia, PA
- April 25-27, 2018 – Phoenix, AZ
- May 30- June 1, 2018 – Seattle, WA

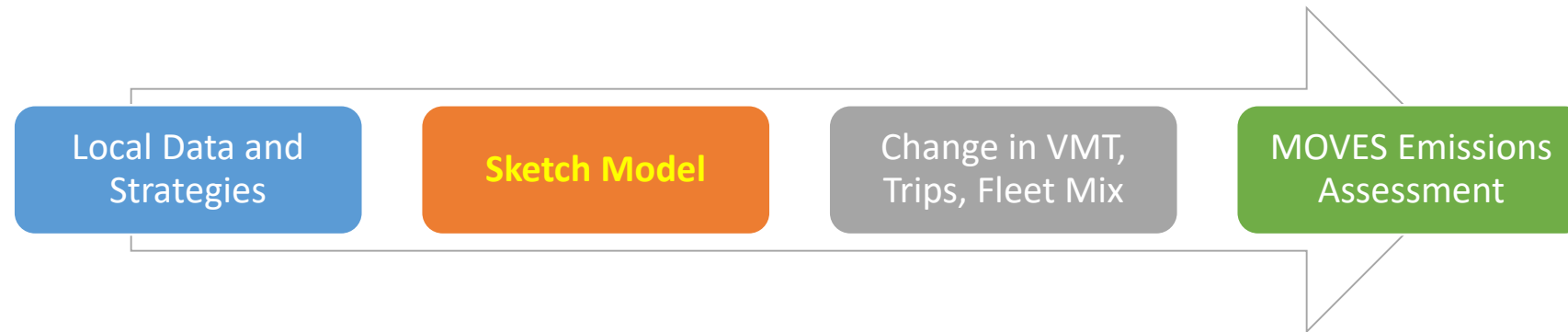
See NTI's webpage for more information: www.ntionline.com/introduction-to-transportation-conformity/

Revised SIP and Conformity Guidance for Diesel Retrofit and Replacement

- Purpose: provide guidance on quantifying and using emission reductions from on-road and nonroad diesel vehicles, engines, and equipment that have been retrofitted with emission reduction technology
- Describes how to quantify and use reductions of NO_x, VOCs, PM_{2.5}, PM₁₀, and carbon monoxide (CO) in ozone, PM_{2.5}, PM₁₀, nitrogen dioxide (NO₂), and CO nonattainment and maintenance areas
- Current version was released in 2014
- Revised version for MOVES2014a to be released in March 2018
 - Once available, revised guidance will be posted at www.epa.gov/state-and-local-transportation/policy-and-technical-guidance-state-and-local-transportation#quantifying

The Travel Efficiency Assessment Method (TEAM)

- A method to rapidly assess multi-pollutant emission reductions from hypothetical travel efficiency scenarios at the local, state and national level
- TEAM substitutes a sketch planning tool for the traditional 4-step model



- For additional information about TEAM, see: www.epa.gov/state-and-local-transportation/transportation-related-documents-state-and-local-transportation#control

Current Case Studies:



New Areas!

- Lake Charles, LA
- Seattle, WA
- Champaign, IL
- Connecticut

Previous Studies:

National scale assessment (All 541 MSAs)

1st series of case studies:

- Tucson
- Kansas City
- Boston

2nd series of case studies:

- St. Louis
- Atlanta
- Orlando

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Selected Strategies	Light-Duty VMT	PM _{2.5}	NO _x	VOCs	GHGs
Scenario 1: TDM Employer Programs	-0.07%	-0.07%	-0.07%	-0.07%	-0.07%
Scenario 2: Scenario 1 + Transit Improvements	-0.10%	-0.10%	-0.10%	-0.10%	-0.10%
Scenario 3: Scenario 2 + Parking Pricing	-0.24%	-0.24%	-0.23%	-0.22%	-0.24%
Scenario 4: Scenario 3 + Smart Growth Land Use	-1.05%	-1.04%	-1.01%	-0.97%	-1.04%

Values provide the percentage reduction in 2040 as compared with the “Business-As-Usual” case.

Selected Strategies	Light-Duty VMT	PM _{2.5}	NO _x	VOCs	GHGs
Scenario 1: Local transit hubs and bus improvements + bicycle and pedestrian improvements	-2.31%	-2.37%	-2.42%	-2.50%	-2.33%
Scenario 2: Scenario 1 + Parking Pricing at the University	-2.58%	-2.64%	-2.71%	-2.80%	-2.60%
Scenario 3: Scenario 2 + Smart growth land use	-7.43%	-7.07%	-6.75%	-6.27%	-7.32%
Scenario 4: Scenario 3 + High Speed Rail	-7.66%	-7.25%	-6.89%	-6.34%	-7.53%

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Selected Strategies	Light-Duty VMT	PM _{2.5}	NO _x	VOCs	GHGs
Scenario 1: Expand Commute Trip Reduction (CTR) Program	-0.09%	-0.10%	-0.10%	-0.10%	-0.10%
Scenario 2: Scenario 1 + Expand access transit access to EJ/low-income populations	-1.87%	-1.89%	-1.91%	-2.00%	-1.89%
Scenario 3: Scenario 2 + VMT Pricing	-5.11%	-5.16%	-5.21%	-5.44%	-5.16%
Scenario 4: Scenario 3 + Smart growth land use	-11.91%	-11.82%	-11.71%	-11.28%	-11.82%

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Selected Strategies	Light-Duty VMT	PM _{2.5}	NO _x	VOCs	GHGs
Scenario 1: Commuter train improvements	-0.40%	-0.40%	-0.41%	-0.42%	-0.40%
Scenario 2: Scenario 1 + Local bus improvements	-0.95%	-0.95%	-0.98%	-1.00%	-0.95%
Scenario 3: Scenario 2 + Smart growth land use	-1.18%	-1.17%	-1.16%	-1.14%	-1.18%
Scenario 4: Scenario 3 + VMT pricing	-5.42%	-5.45%	-5.54%	-5.64%	-5.44%

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Questions?