

# 2020 MPO PROSPECTUS UPDATE

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# WHAT IS A PROSPECTUS

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Merriam Webster says...

*“A statement that  
forecasts the course or  
nature of something.”*



# THE PROSPECTUS IN CONTEXT TO MPOs

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Prospectus serves three important functions in the MPO transportation planning process:

1. Overview of the Federally mandated “3-C”
2. Define roles and responsibilities of agencies and entities involved in the planning process
3. Documents interagency agreements and process used for decision-making







## Why Update Prospectus?

- The Prospectus last adopted nearly ten years ago.
- Prior surface transportation federal funding authorization replaced by the FAST Act in 2016
- Long Range Transportation Plan Updated in 2016 and a 2020 update is in progress
- Francestown and Windham are now members of the planning commission, Raymond has joined Rockingham
- Changes to region's transit providers.
- MOUs to coordinate planning efforts with CNHRPC (for the Manchester UZA) and NRPC (for the Nashua UZA).

**The state has completed four 10-Year Plan planning cycles since the prospectus was last adopted by the commission**

**[ Today ]**  
**2020 Update to  
the Prospectus  
Underway**

**[ Sept. 2020 ]**  
**Release  
Prospectus for  
Public Comment**

**[ Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> 2020 ]**  
**Public Hearing by  
MPO Policy  
Committee**

## **2020 Update Timeline**

The 2020 Prospectus Update includes public comment period and public hearing by the Metropolitan Planning Organization's Policy Committee






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SNHPC staff are currently updating the Prospectus to reflect changes to regulations, the planning area, MPO planning products, and relationships with partnering agencies.



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# THANK YOU

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