



The 2023 RRTPO Transportation Forum

Friday, March 17, 2023 - 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

(breakfast/networking to begin at 7:15 a.m.)

Background:

The 2023 RRTPO Transportation Forum is a partnership between PlanRVA and ChamberRVA to build momentum around big transportation ideas. The content of the forum is brought to you by the Richmond Regional Transportation Planning Organization.

The forum will help answer the following questions:

- 1. Why are these ideas important?
- 2. Why is it important to think regionally?
- 3. What can we collectively do to advance these ideas?

Agenda:

Welcome – John Lumpkins, Chair, Richmond Regional Transportation Planning Organization

Setting a foundation

- How a project is conceived and implemented Chet Parsons, PlanRVA
- Big ideas
 - o **Prioritizing safety** Michael Sawyer, City of Richmond
 - o **BRT expansion (N/S, W Broad)** Adrienne Torres, GRTC
 - o **Making parking effective** Bernard Harkless, Lynx Ventures
 - o **The future of freight** Barbara Nelson, Port of Virginia
 - o **Planning for big projects** Terrell Hughes, Henrico County

What we need to work on

- **Defining regionalism and owning it** Martha Shickle, PlanRVA, and Brian Anderson, ChamberRVA
- Inclusion and equity Faith Walker, RVA Rapid Transit

Next steps

• **Setting Priorities and Defining Action** – Kevin Carroll, Chair, Central Virginia Transportation Authority

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