Transportation Planning Capacity Building

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Background

- 2009 MAG Certification Review
- Transportation Research Board, Committee on Metropolitan Planning, Policy and Processes (ADA20)
- USDOT/Volpe National Transportation Systems Center
- Continuing updates – quarterly conference calls

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Theme

- Why are megaregions important for MPOs and transportation planners?
- Framework for evaluating the role of MPOs in future megaregion planning

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Tentative Agenda
May 9-10, 2012 at MAG Offices

- Regional Context: Sun Corridor Partnerships
- Peer Presentations
- Keynote Speaker
- Partnership and Governance Panel
- Breakout Sessions

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Keynote Speaker

- Dr. Catherine Ross
- Director and Harry West Chair
- Georgia Institute of Technology - Center for Quality Growth & Regional Development
- *Megaregions: Planning for Global Competitiveness* (July 2009)
- White House Office of Urban Affairs

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