

## **MTP UPDATE PUBLIC MEETINGS**

January 25, 2010 San Juan College

January 25, 2010 Bloomfield Cultural Center

January 26, 2010 Aztec Library

January 27, 2010 Farmington Library

The following comments were provided to the MPO during four public meetings.

### **Roadway Improvements**

- Improve Hood Mesa Trail for better circulation.
- Make sure that drainage is considered when putting in new infrastructure.
- There needs to be better connectivity throughout Aztec.
- The Pinon Hills Blvd connection to Crouch Mesa needs to be built.
- There needs to be zoning in the County
- We need to good plans for guiding the development of the future road network.
- Build the East Arterial to get trucks out of downtown.
- US 64 needs improvement.
- Build the Northern Route as another connection from Farmington to Aztec.

### **Transit Improvements**

- Build a passenger train connection to Albuquerque and to Santa Fe.
- More transit options are needed to serve the growing population.
- Red Apple Transit needs more lines and frequency of services.
- There is a need for the external bus routes to run more often.

### **Bicycle/Pedestrian Improvements**

- Aztec should look into the 'rails to trails' program. Any opportunity to save the remaining railroad ROW should be acted on for trail development.
- Build an off-road bike/pedestrian trail along the river north of NM 516 in Aztec.
- Need more recreational paths in Bloomfield and a trail connection from Bloomfield to Aztec.