

**Meeting of the Charlotte Area TAC Chairs (?)  
Summary**

**October 8, 1999**

**Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission Uptown Conference Room**

**Attendees:**

Robert Cook, Gaston MPO  
Tim Gibbs, Mecklenburg-Union MPO  
Sarah Labelle, Cabarrus-South Rowan MPO  
Russ Hawes, York County  
Jack Kiser, Gastonia Planning Department  
John Cock, Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission

Meeting: 2pm 10/26, 8<sup>th</sup> floor conference room, CMPC

Charlotte Region Alliance of MPOs (CRAMPO)  
“ For Transportation (CRAFT)

**Mission Statement:**

To facilitate the transportation planning process through communication and cooperation among the region's Metropolitan Planning Organizations.

4 meetings/year

**Short Term Goals**

- Communication
- Articulate important issues to work on
- Coordination re: transit corridor planning
- Monitor efforts on regional modeling
- Develop regional awareness of local and regional transportation issues
- Coordinate on air quality issues
- Mechanism to communicate on land use issues that affect transportation
- Coordinate activities to increase resources to MPOs
- Formal recognition/participation by states/Federal Gov't
- Determine administrative support for alliance

**Long Term Goals**

- Develop regional model
- Investigate opportunities to implement comprehensive/coordinated ITS strategy
- Increase awareness of land use/transportation integration
- Joint action to address identified issues
- Develop strategies to deal with air quality issues