Proposed Agenda

American Community Survey Technical Workshop for the Department of Transportation Dept. of Commerce, April 14, 2004, 1:00-4:30 pm, Room 6059

I. Opening Remarks Total Time = 25 minutes

Fred Eggers, Moderator:

Fred Eggers: Welcoming Remarks; Presentation on experiences working on ACS transition issues for the Dept. of Housing and Urban Development (15 minutes)

Susan Schechter (OMB): Role of OMB in ACS Planning (5 minutes) Jay Waite: Opening Statement thanking DOT for participating in workshop (5 minutes)

II. Opening Presentations **Total Time = 50 minutes**

Fred Eggers, Moderator

Larry McGinn: Operations (10 minutes)

Dave Hubble: Sample Design/Research (10 minutes)

Doug Hillmer: Data Products (10 minutes)
Laura Zayatz: Disclosure Review (10 minutes)

Ed Weiner: Status of ACS Transition Activities at DOT (10 minutes)

III. Question/Answer/Discussion: **Total Time, including Break = 2 hours**

Fred Eggers, Moderator

40 minutes for discussion of following topics

- A. Changes to ACS content: Jay Waite
- B. Workplace geocoding: Phil Salopek, Bob LaMacchia
- C. Averaging over 5 Years for small area tabulation; Weighting; Calculating 3- and 5-year averages; reporting on annual aggregate statistics; Dealing with unexpected 5-year average data for certain data items: Dave Hubble, Lynn Weidman

Break (10 minutes)

30 minutes for discussion of following topics

- D. Disclosure rules for tabulation: Laura Zayatz
- E. How geography will be handled: Larry McGinn, Dave Hubble, Bob LaMacchia
- F. Standard tabulations: Larry McGinn

40 minutes for questions/discussion on additional topics

- IV. Closing Remarks: Fred Eggers (10 minutes)
- V. Meeting Summary; Sharing Information Among Federal Agencies: Nancy Torrieri (**5 minutes**)