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H.B. No. 3593

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 3593:

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the online access to open board meetings of
3 metropolitan planning organizations.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 472, Transportation Code,
6 is amended by adding Section 472.036 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 472.036. ONLINE ACCESS TO POLICY BOARD MEETINGS. (a)

8 A policy board shall broadcast each open meeting of the policy board
9 on the policy board's Internet website in the manner prescribed by
10 Section 551.128, Government Code. The policy board shall make
11 available through the policy board's Internet website archived
12 video and audio for each open meeting broadcast under this section.

13 (b) The policy board shall post the minutes of each open
14 meeting on the policy board's Internet website not later than 10
15 days after the date the policy board approves the minutes.

16 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect January 1, 2016.