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A draft agenda is currently being developed with the assistance of an internal/external Technical Modeling Workgroup. A more detailed draft agenda will be available by mid-February. This draft agenda will be based upon the broad topic areas listed below:

- I. Appendix W overview;
- II. Model Clearinghouse update
- III. Currently preferred air quality models (AERMOD and CALPUFF) status and updates;
- IV. Review of prognostic meteorological data processing tool for dispersion models, MMIF;
- V. Modeling for compliance demonstration of the PM_{2.5} National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) including discussion of the draft PM_{2.5} (primary and secondary) modeling guidance;
- VI. Modeling for compliance demonstration of the 1-hour NO₂ and SO₂ NAAQS including presentations from the AERMOD Implementation Workgroup NO₂ and SO₂ modeling study;
- VII. Review of new and emerging models/techniques for future consideration under Appendix W to address long-range transport and chemistry;
- VIII. Other presentations by the public.

These broad topic areas are identical to those listed in the Federal Register Notice publication regarding the 10th Modeling Conference. This interim document is being provided for travel authorization and planning purposes of those wishing to attend the Conference.

A final agenda will be available in the week prior to the 10th Modeling Conference once the list of public speakers and commenters has been received and scheduled. The draft and final agendas should only differ substantively with respect to the third day of the Conference which is primarily reserved for public presentations and comments.