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The Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Office of Environmental Programs developed standard operating procedures (SOPs) to provide additional direction and recommendations to those who are managing the environmental review process.

Even though FTA wrote the SOPs for FTA staff, project sponsors will now be able to access the procedures, which should help increase consistency and transparency of FTA's expectations for the environmental review process.

You may find the SOPs at <https://www.transit.dot.gov/regulations-and-guidance/environmental-programs/environmental-standard-operating-procedures>.

We hope that you'll find them helpful in your daily work and that they will help make environmental reviews of FTA-funded transit projects more efficient and effective.

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Sincerely,

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