



# ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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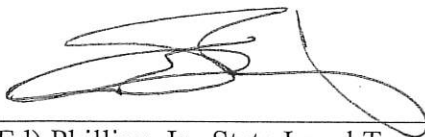
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Transportation Director

February 9, 2018

### MEMORANDUM FY 2018-9

TO: Metropolitan Planning Organizations

COPY: Region / Area Local Transportation Engineers

FROM:   
D.E. (Ed) Phillips, Jr., State Local Transportation Engineer

Reference: Long-Range Transportation Plans

In order to meet the requirements of 23 U.S.C. 134 and 23 C.F.R 450, Alabama Metropolitan Planning Organizations will soon be required to begin coordinating efforts for their 2045 long-range transportation plan. This notification serves as the first request-for-information in this regard. The purpose of this memorandum is to request each MPO to verify their study area boundary for the purpose of collecting external counts from ALDOT. The current study area boundary map is attached to this letter. An ArcGIS file can be accessed via the ALDOT sftp site.

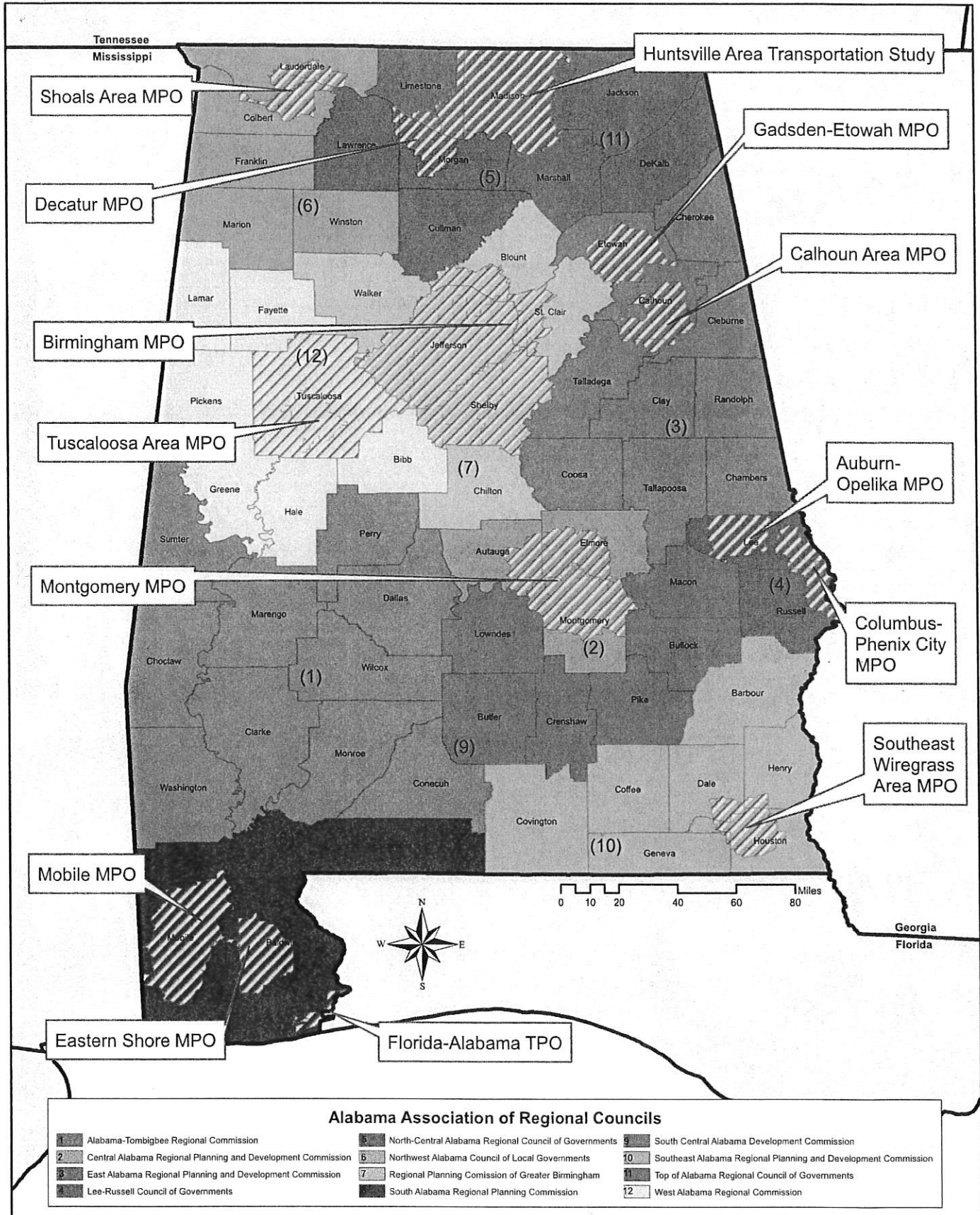
During the development of long-range transportation plans, it will be necessary to transfer several files back and forth between ALDOT and the MPO. ALDOT has obtained approval to migrate to a new server for large file transfers. The site, [sftp.dot.state.al.us](http://sftp.dot.state.al.us), has been tested and is ready to use. A client software in conjunction with valid username and password are essential for accessing the SFTP site. Instructions for accessing this site are also attached.

Please send confirmation of the study area boundary to Bryan Fair at [fairb@dot.state.al.us](mailto:fairb@dot.state.al.us) by March 5, 2018.

DEP:MBH/bf  
Attachment

C: Mr. Brad Lindsey, Deputy State Local Transportation Engineer  
Mr. Michael Hora, Assistant State Local Transportation Engineer  
Mr. Joe Nix, Planning Coordinator  
Mr. Bryan Fair, Planning Coordinator  
Mrs. Karen Carr-Jones, Planning Coordinator

# MPO Study Areas



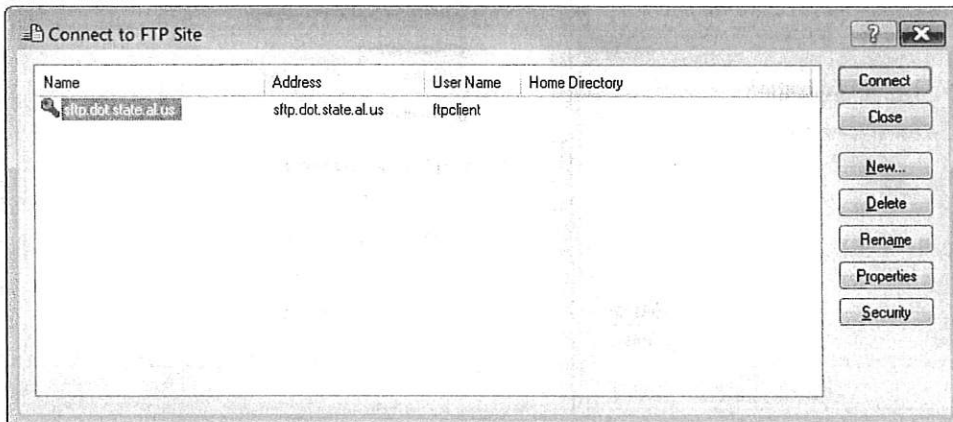
Source: <http://alarc.org/>

Regional Councils represent Rural Planning Organizations by serving as staff to local officials. More information can be found at: <http://alarc.org/the-councils/>

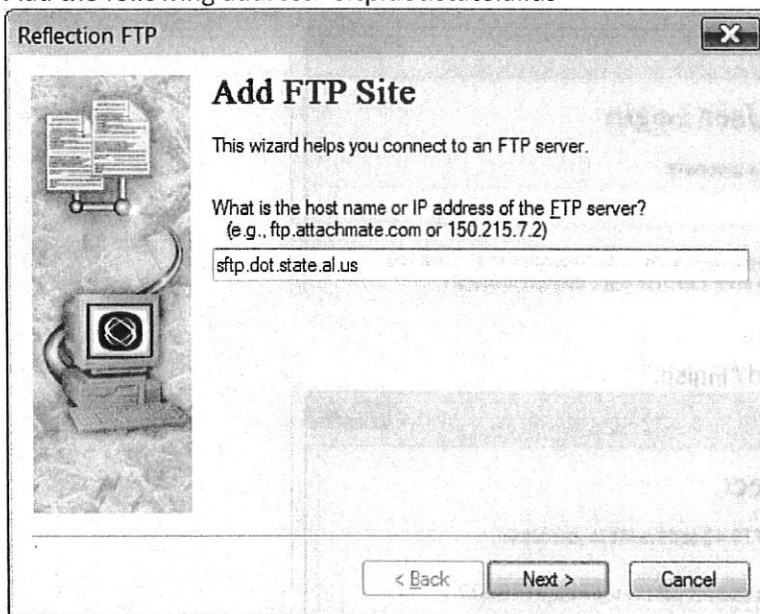
## Configuring Client Software to Access the ALDOT SFTP Site

- These instructions pertain to the Attachmate Reflections client software, but others will be configured in a similar way.
  - In the software configuration, port 22 (SFTP) is the necessary port.

1. Click "new."



2. Add the following address. sftp.dot.state.al.us



We are using FileZilla Client, a free download. You may use any Sshwache.

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FileZilla

File Edit View Transfer Server Bookmarks Help

Host: Username: Password: Port: Quickconnect

**Site Manager**

Select Entry:

- My Sites
- ALDOT Login
- MPO Login

General Advanced Transfer Settings... Charset

Host: sftp.dot.state.al.us Port:

Protocol: SFTP - SSH File Transfer Protocol

Logon Type: Normal

User: mpo

Password: ●●●●●●●●

Comments:

Buttons: New Site, New Bookmark, Delete, New Folder, Rename, Duplicate

Buttons: Connect, OK, Cancel

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Local sites: D:\Documents\Not On Server\Performance Measure

Travel\_Time

Projects

Traffic

On Server

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HP BJU 2800 PCL6 64Bit

HP DL 1055r.m Vista 64 Bit

| Filename | Filesize | Filetype    | Last modified         | Direction | Remote file    | Size | Priority | Status                      |
|----------|----------|-------------|-----------------------|-----------|----------------|------|----------|-----------------------------|
| 2017     |          | File folder | 7/25/2017 10:36:25... | ←         | Not connected. |      |          | Not connected to any server |
| 2016     |          | File folder | 7/19/2017 10:44:23... |           |                |      |          |                             |
| 2015     |          | File folder | 7/20/2017 9:31:56 ... |           |                |      |          |                             |
| 2014     |          | File folder | 8/10/2017 10:30:34... |           |                |      |          |                             |
| 2013     |          | File folder | 8/15/2017 2:41:39 ... |           |                |      |          |                             |

Your Computers

Drag + Drop

Sftp site