



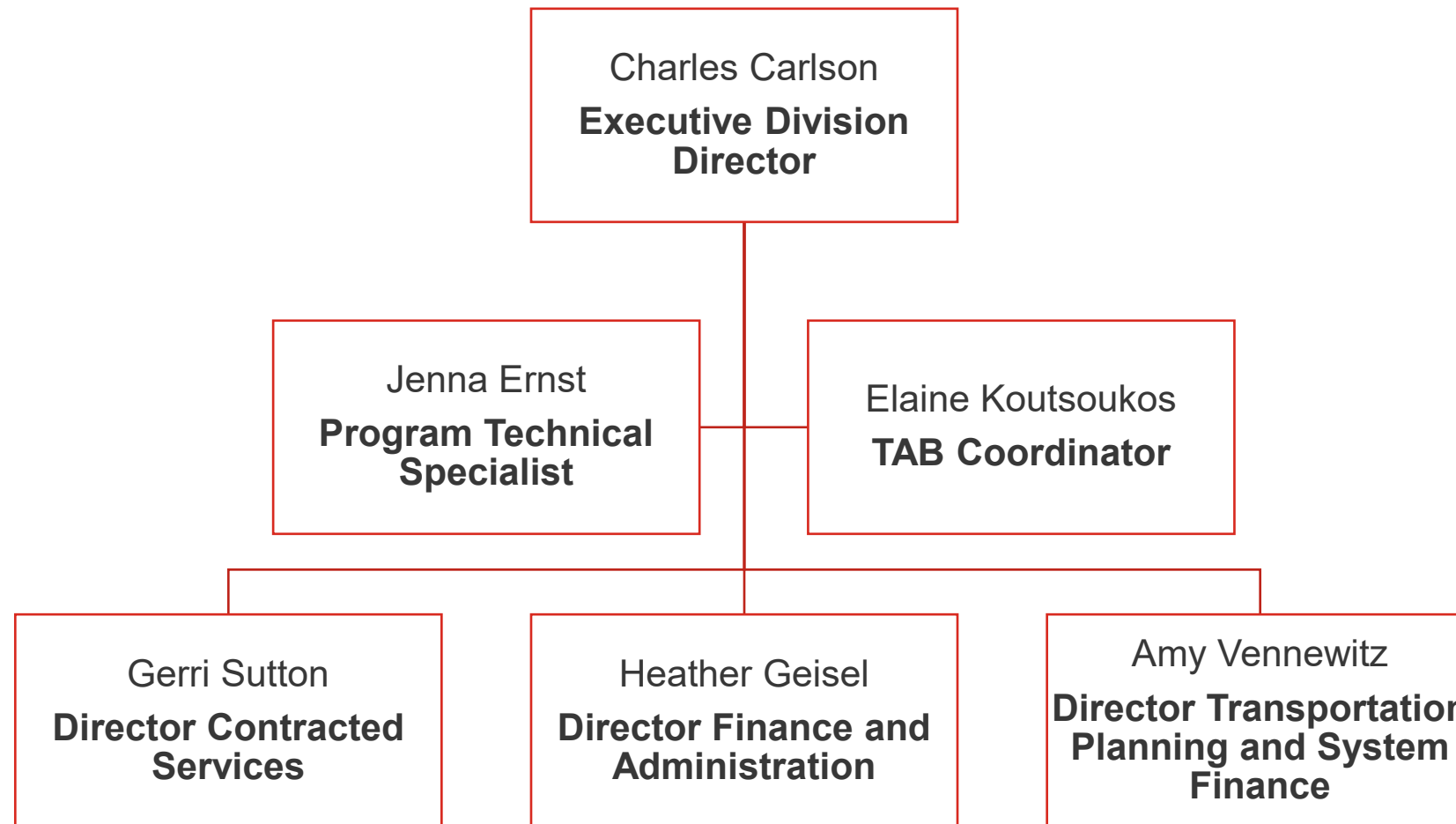
# Metropolitan Transportation Services: Transportation Planning Staff



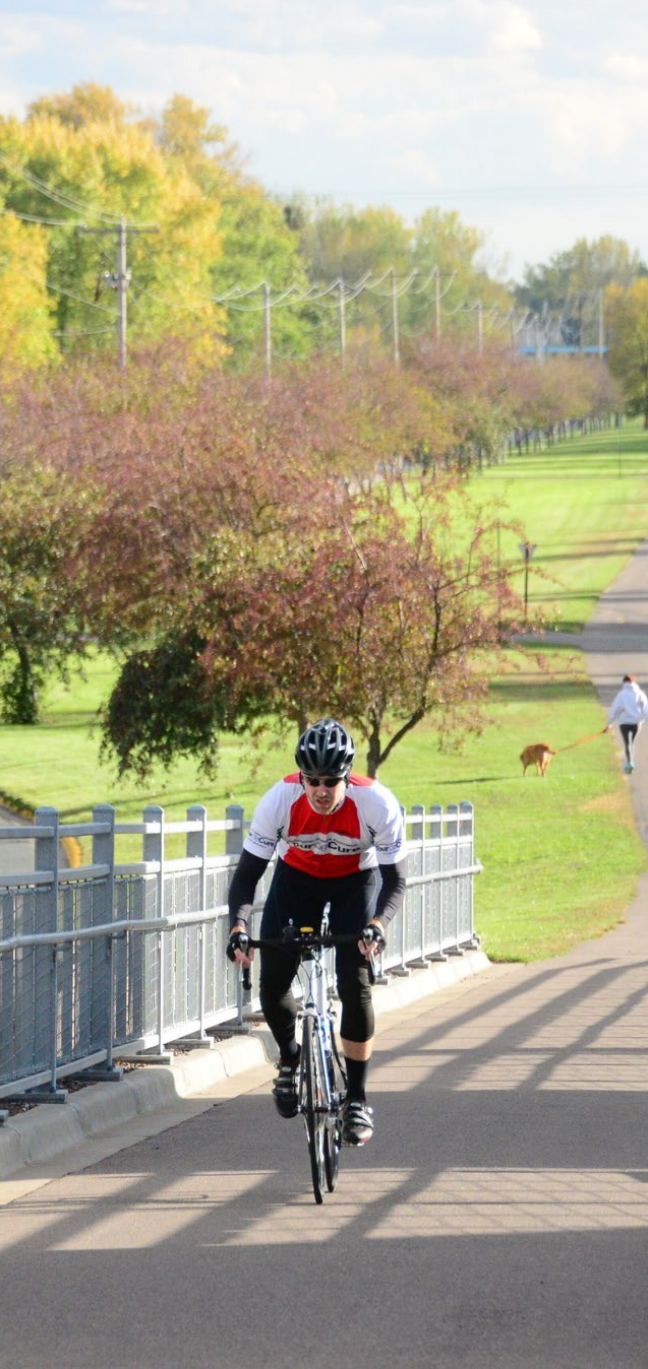


# Metropolitan Transportation Services Overview

## Metropolitan Transportation Services



# Transportation Planning Role



## Council's Transportation Planning team is here to support the Council and TAB's MPO work

### Federal Planning Activities

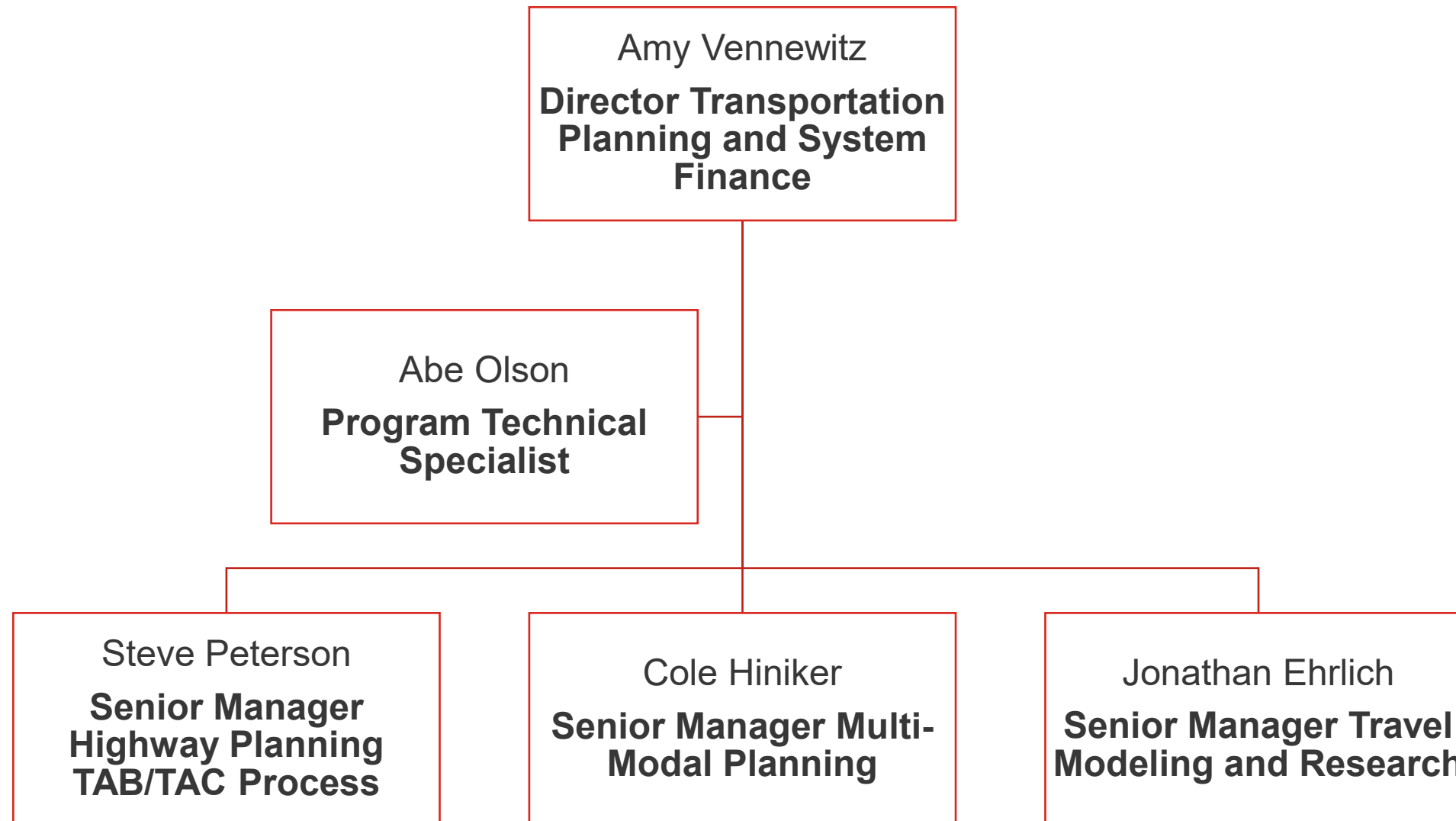
- Serve as staff to the Council and TAB and coordinate the region's federally required transportation planning process activities (3C process and public engagement)
- Perform long-range transportation system planning for all surface transportation modes (TPP, UPWP, planning studies)
- Program federal transportation funds allocated to the region (Regional Solicitation and Transportation Improvement Program)

### State Planning Activities

- Develop a long-range transportation system plan including for aviation
- Coordinate the region's transportation system development with regional growth and land use
- Provide local governments with system statements/information on the regional system for use in their local planning work (technical assistance)

# Transportation Planning and Finance Overview

## MTS Transportation Planning Functions



# Highway Planning & TAB / TAC Process Overview Team

Steve Peterson  
**Senior Manager**

## Team's Responsibility

- TAB and TAC and their subcommittees/work groups coordination and policy development
- Implementation of TAB's policies (e.g., program year, scope change)
- Regional Solicitation design and implementation
- Active Transportation funding and grants
- Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)
- Regional federal funds program management
- Highway system planning studies and policy development
- Congestion Management Process (CMP)
- GHG/VMT reduction and Electric Vehicle Infrastructure

### Planning Analyst

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### Planner

Robbie King

# Multimodal Planning Team Overview

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Senior Manager

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Heidi Schallberg

**Senior Planners**  
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## Team's Responsibility

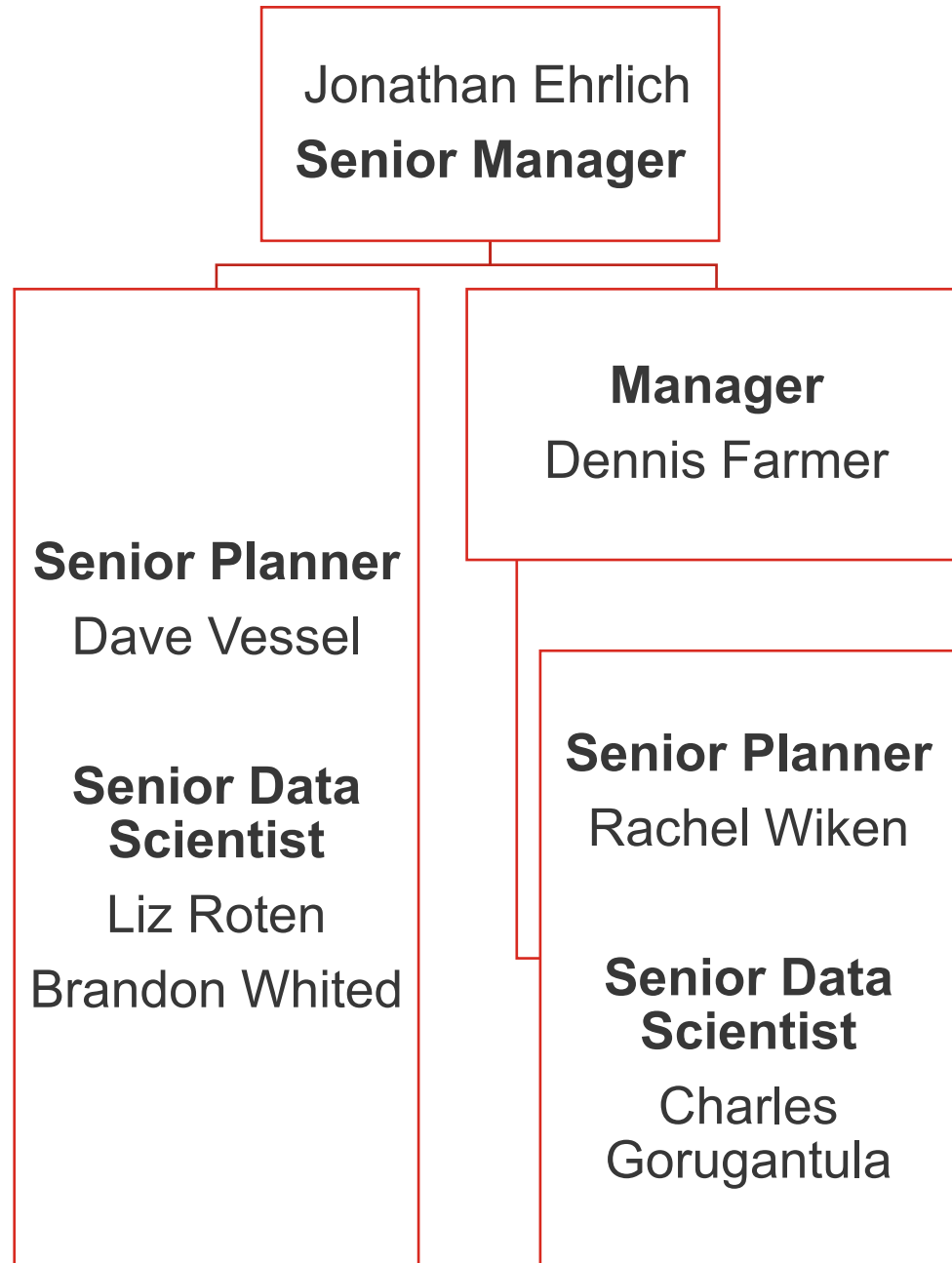
### Systems Planning

- Transportation Policy Plan development
- System planning
  - Transit planning
  - Bicycle planning
  - Pedestrian planning
  - Aviation planning
  - Freight planning
- Transportation and land use planning coordination/  
comprehensive plan reviews

### Topical Planning

- Safety planning
- Equity planning
- Travel demand management program

# Travel Modeling and Research Overview



## Team's Responsibility

### Travel Survey Research

- *Travel Behavior Inventory (household travel survey, transit on-board survey, other surveys)*
- *Big data acquisition (passive data, sensor data)*

### Data Science

- *Research, analytics, data visualization, application development, performance analysis*

### Data Management

### GIS Coordination and Mapping

### Travel Demand Modeling and Forecasting

- *Model development*
- *Travel forecasting*
- *Regional forecasting process- coordination, technical assistance, quality control*





**Questions?**

**Thank you!**

