

December 17, 2020 TAC Meeting Minutes

Attendance

Jeremiah Johnmeyer

Dan Haid

Mac Finley

Don Baragary

Eric Landweir

Gary Jungermann

Steve Crosswhite

Joanie Prenger

Lee Bowden

Katrina Williams

Leland Rehard

Hanna Thomas

Mike Henderson

Kirsten Munck

Steve Schultz

Doug Reese

John Ferking

Josh Hartstock

Todd Kempker

David Bock

Jennifer Bowden

Call to order – 2:05pm

Motion made and seconded to approve the December agenda and the minutes from last meeting.

Motion passes unanimously.

Presentation on the updated needs list. Counties were asked to take a look at their needs lists this year and submit any changes along with their top 3 projects. Last year's top 5 project list was presented along with the top 3 projects from each county. The main change this year is the omission of the Missouri River bridge lane extension from Callaway's top 3. Discussion in reference to leaving MO River Bridge lanes on the regional needs top priorities since they were the cheapest most feasible regional need on the current top needs list.

Motion made to adopt the needs list as submitted. Motion seconded. Motion passed unanimously. The 2020 Regional Transportation Needs top projects list is as follows:

I-70	Rebuild and expand I-70
US 50 corridor from California to Sedalia	Expansion of the existing corridor to a four-lane highway from California to Sedalia.
US 63/ I-70 Interchange	Improvement of 63/70 interchange to reduce traffic on the connector
I-70/54	Improvements to I-70/54 interchange (possible Diverging Diamond)
MO River Bridge	Extend 3 lanes from MO river bridge to Hwy 63 Interchange
US 50/63 (Rex Whitton)	Reduction or elimination of stop lights in Jefferson City and addition of 3rd lane between Monroe and Broadway

Regional Transportation Plan Goals Overview – We currently have 13 goals listed in our Regional Transportation Plan that is currently undergoing its 5-year overhaul. We are meeting several of our goals in our transportation project meetings. Discussion about electric cars and MoDOT. Interest in bringing in someone to talk about the electric/hybrid car registration fee changes proposed by MoDOT. No changes to goals at this time. Any concerns or questions about goals can be sent to Mid-MO staff.

MoDOT Central District Report – TAP is open until January 29th. Funds allocated for one-year cycle. 2021 BRO allocation. No one can go into the negative on BRO so there isn't enough money left for anyone to move forward with another bridge right now. MoDOT Cost-share applications are due April 16th. Talk to Kirsten and Joanie if interested in submitting.

Local Reports – St. Martin's is wrapping TAP project that they were awarded. 99% done. Covid was a challenge but it's looking great. Cooper county thanks MoDOT for all the work they did in their county this year. Bridges and 135 widening and resurfacing was done. BRO bridge starting soon. Port has moved some grain this fall. Cole has 2 BRO getting done. Lots of management changes but they are getting through it all. 2 MoDOT bridges done in Moniteau. BRO done too. Jeremiah will be replacing Howard as the representative for Howard County. Eric will be replacing Larry for Cole county.

Announcements – TAP scoring will be done at the February meeting. Will send out copies of applications as soon as we receive them from MoDOT.

Adjournment – 3:00pm