

Mid-Missouri Regional Planning Commission
Transportation Advisory Committee
Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, November 29, 2017

Attendees:

Larry Benz
Doug Reese
Howard McMillan
Don Baragary
Mike Schupp
Mike Henderson
Gary Jungermann
Lyn Woolford
Rick Hess
Roger Fischer
Dan Haid
Katrina Williams
Ed Siegmund
David Bock
Debra Griffin
Sarah Nussbaum

Representing:

Cole County
City of St. Martins
Howard County
Cooper County
Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT)
MoDOT
Callaway County
City of Ashland
City of Holts Summit
Callaway County
Boone County
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Agenda Item I. Call to Order

Gary Jungermann called the meeting to order at 1:30 pm. Introductions were made around the room by those in attendance.

Larry Benz motioned to approve the agenda. Howard McMillian seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

There was a review of the September 27th, TAC meeting minutes for any additions or corrections. Larry Benz motioned to approve the minutes. Don Baragary seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Agenda Item II. Mid-MO RPC Transportation Priorities and Statewide Planning Exercise

Ed Siegmund discussed that on December 8, Mid-MO RPC staff will participate in a planning exercise with MoDOT's Central District and other planning partners. MPOs and RPCs across the state were asked to provide a list of transportation projects as part of a statewide planning exercise. The exercise is aimed at demonstrating to the state legislature what could be accomplished with additional funding over the next 10 years. MoDOT has requested that each planning partner submit a list that contains three to five road and bridge projects that could be delivered from an additional \$250 million (statewide) a year and three to five multi-modal projects that could be delivered from an additional \$50 million (statewide) per year.

David Bock and Ed Siegmund discussed the five Mid-MO RPC region projects for road/bridge, multi-modal and for further consideration that Mid-MO RPC staff rated as top priority. There was some discussion regarding those projects.

The top regional road and bridge projects included:

- I-70 improvements (including I-70/US 63 interchange and Rocheport bridge)
- US 50 expansion to four lanes from California to Tipton
- Improve safety of at grade crossings along highways
- Lengthen US 54/63 eastbound outer lane at the Missouri River Bridge from Route W exit ramp to US 63 exit ramp
- Add ramps to US 54 interchange at S. Summit Drive near Holts Summit

The top regional multi-modal projects included:

- Columbia Regional Airport improvements
- Cole/Callaway County Port construction
- Howard/Cooper County Port upgrades
- Jefferson City Memorial Airport improvements
- Fixed funding contribution to improve public transit

Agenda Item III. TEAP

David Bock gave a brief review of the TAC scoring of the five Traffic Engineering Assistance Program (TEAP) applications for the MoDOT Central District region. Three of the five applications; the Cities of Ashland, Sunrise Beach, and St. James have been selected for funding.

Agenda Item IV. MoDOT Report

Project Activity – Mike Schupp reported on the following construction projects:

- Interstate-70 pavement repairs are complete. Striping will be done on the ramps tonight.
- Bridge rehabilitation in the westbound lanes on Route 54 over Richland Creek, west of County Road 210, is nearing completion.
- Roadway resurfacing on Route D, and Route O, in Moniteau County, is nearing completion.

Agenda Item V. Local Reports

Lyn Woolford reported the City of Ashland will contract out a traffic study for the Henry Clay/Broadway intersection in the middle of town. The majority of this project will be funded by a 2018 TEAP grant.

Roger Fischer reported the Missouri River Port Feasibility Study is still underway.

Rick Hess reported Pro Foods expansion in Holts Summit is scheduled for completion in mid-summer 2018. Out of a total of 250 easements for the Holts Summit wastewater project there are only a few remaining easements remaining unsettled.

Doug Reese reported 1.7 miles of Business Highway 50 now located in the St. Martin's city limits was formerly a state highway and is need of safety enhancements and overlay.

Agenda Item VI. Announcements

Larry Benz was awarded a certificate of appreciation from Mid-MO RPC for his contribution and commitment in promoting transportation projects for the region.

The next TAC meeting will be held on February 28, 2018.

Agenda Item VII. Adjournment

TAC attendees adjourned at 3:50 p.m.