

MINUTES

Peoria-Pekin Urbanized Area Transportation Study (PPUATS)

Technical Committee

Wednesday, August 21, 2019 at 9:00 am
456 Fulton St., Suite 420
Peoria, IL 61602

1. Call to Order

Chairman Andrews called the meeting to order at 9:05 am

2. Roll Call

Member	Present	Absent	Member	Present	Absent
Amy Benecke-McLaren, Peoria County	x		Dustin Sutton* Peoria Heights		x
Jeff Gilles, Peoria County	x		Ed Andrews, City of Washington	x	
Keith Munter, Peoria County*		x	Jon Oliphant, City of Washington*	x	
Craig Fink, Tazewell County	x		Patrick Meyer, Village of Bartonville	x	
Dan Parr, Tazewell County	x		Terrisa Worsfold, IDOT	x	
Conrad Moore, Woodford County	x		Karen Dvorsky* IDOT	x	
Bill Lewis, City of Peoria	x		James Dillon., City of West Peoria		x
Nick Stoffer, City of Peoria	x		Henry Strube, Jr., City of West Peoria*		x
Stephen Letsky, City of Peoria	x		Craig Loudermilk, Village of Morton	x	
Jane Gerdes* City of Peoria		x	Frank Sturm, Village of Morton*		x
Andrea Klopfenstein* City of Peoria		x	Kenneth Coulter, City of Chillicothe	x	
Emily Ambroso* City of Peoria		x	Courtney Allyn, Village of Creve Coeur	x	
Michael Guerra, City of Pekin	x		Nick Standefer, CityLink		x
Josie Esker,* City of Pekin		x	Joe Alexander*, CityLink	x	
Rick Semonski, City of East Peoria	x		Gene Olson, MAAP		x
Ty Livingston, City of East Peoria	x		Eric Miller, TCRPC	x	
Mike Casey, Peoria Heights	x		Rich Brecklin, Village of Germantown Hills	x	

Staff: Michael Bruner, Reema Abi-Akar, Ryan Harms, Andrew Hendon, Britney West, Ray Lees, and Nikita Kapil. Also, present: Curtis Jones-IDOT, Simon Alwan-IDOT, Ken Park-IDOT and Lucinda Loos-Hanson

3. Public Comment-none
4. Approval of Minutes, July 17, 2019 Joint Meeting
Moore moved to approve the July 17, 2019 Joint Meeting minutes and Casey seconded. Moore said the last 4 bullet points in #6 should be moved to #7. Moore approved the amended minutes correction. Motion carried as amended.
5. Recommend to Policy Committee July Financial Report and Performance Report – *Memo*
Fink moved to approve Policy Committee July Financial Report and Performance Report and Brecklin seconded. Motion carried.
Harms updated the total budget for FY20 is \$825,104 and as of the end of July 2019, PPUATS has expended approximately 9% of its budget.
6. Recommend to Policy Committee TIP Amendment Camp St/River Rd Intersection – *Attachment*
Semonski moved to recommend to Policy Committee TIP Amendment Camp St/River Rd Intersection and Meyer seconded. Motion carried.
Harms proposed the modification of Camp St. and River Road to revise project cost as a result of changing the selected alternate for intersection improvements.
 - Livingston said it is the same intersection and that they have met with IDOT with the changes.
 - Semonski asked what happens with the money?
 - Simon Alwan- IDOT said the money will be used elsewhere. You will not lose it.
 - Andrews asked what the timeline will be? Alwan said until June 2020.
 - Livingston said he wanted to bring to Technical, so the committee has enough notice of the change.
 - Andrews said he would like to defer for decision until the Capitol Bill is announced.
 - Livingston said they are not interested in delaying.
7. Recommend to Policy Committee Peoria TIP Amendments – *Attachment*
 - a. PEO-19-04 Willow Knolls Pedestrian Improvements
Harms said this TIP Amendment is withdrawn.
 - b. PEO-20-06 Section 130 Rail Upgrade – Alta Ln
McLaren moved to recommend to Policy Committee and Casey seconded. Motion carried.
Harms said the CO requests this be added to PPUAT's TIP
8. Recommend to Policy Committee Special Transportation Planning Studies – *Handout*
No recommendation chose to defer
9. Presentation of FY2020-23 Transportation Improvement Program – *Handout*
Harms said this the presentation of the Policy Committee Special Transportation Planning Studies. Note: Project Listings.
10. Updates
 - a. Long-Range Transportation Plan
Harms updated the staff is meeting weekly to create the LRTP

Miller added to give time within our own area to have projects funded.

b. IDOT Local Roads

Simon Alwan-IDOT anxiously waiting for Capitol Program

11. Other

a. Next meeting scheduled for September 18, 2019-ok

McLaren announced APWA- Snow Rodeo September 13, and APWA Conference updates.

Meyers thanked Tri County staff on great job done on guardrail inventory.

12. Adjournment

Casey moved to adjourn and Brecklin seconded. Motion carried.

Submitted by:

Eric Miller

Executive Director

Recorded and transcribed by Debbie Ulrich

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