



TRI-COUNTY REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

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Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) Technical Committee

Wednesday, October 20, 2021, at 9:00am CDT

456 Fulton St, Suite 420

Peoria, IL 61602

1. Call to Order
Chairman Craig Fink called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

2. Roll Call

Member	Present	Absent	Member	Present	Absent
Amy McLaren, Peoria County	x		Dustin Sutton* Peoria Heights		x
Jeff Gilles, Peoria County	x		Dennis Carr, City of Washington		x
Mark Gilles, * 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
Alyssa McCain, City of Peoria	x		Kinga Krider., City of West Peoria	x	
VACANT, City of Peoria			Henry Strube City of West Peoria*		x
Andrea Klopfenstein City of Peoria	x		Craig Loudermilk, Village of Morton	x	
Sie Maroon* City of Peoria		x	Frank Sturm, Village of Morton*		x
Cindy Loos* City of Peoria	x		Kenneth Coulter, City of Chillicothe	x	
VACANT City of Peoria			Terry Koegel, Village of Creve Coeur	x	
Josie Esker,* City of Pekin		x	Nick Standefer, Citylink	x	
Justin Reese City of Pekin	x		Doug Roelfs*, 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: Debbie Ulrich, Gabriel Guevara, Logan Chapman, and Michael Bruner. **Virtual Staff:** Britney West, and Reema Abi-Akar **Also, in attendance virtually:** Al-Barre-Shebib, IDOT, Mike Huddleson, and Mike Vanderhoof, IDOT, and Betsy Tracey- FHWA

3. Public Comment-none
4. Approval of Minutes, August 18, 2021, Meeting
Terry Koegel moved to approve August 18, 2021, meeting minutes and Rick Semonski seconded.
Motion carried.
5. Recommend to Commission TIP Amendment – Attachment
 - a. Project S-22-12 Bridge Preservation
Jon Oliphant moved to recommend to Commission TIP Amendment- Project S-22-12 Bridge Preservation and Rick Semonski seconded. After discussion, Oliphant moved and Semonski seconded to amend the motion to recommend agenda items a thru d.
Terrisa Worsfold explained this is for Bridge Preservation for Townline Rd over I-155
 - b. Project S-22-17 I-74 Resurfacing
Terrisa Worsfold explained this is for resurfacing for I-74 o.8 Mi. E of Morton Ave. to Woodford Co. Line
 - c. Project S-22-18 US 24 Pavement Preservation
Terrisa Worsfold explained this is for Pavement Preservation on US 24 Bartonville to S of ILL 9 & IL 29 Creve Coeur to Marquette Heights
 - d. Project S-22-19 Bridge Cleaning
Terrisa Worsfold explained this is for Bridge Preservation on various locations over the Illinois River.
Motion to approve the amendment to the motion to recommend agenda items a thru d was voted on and motion carried.
Motion to approve original motion as amended was voted on and motion carried.
 - e. Project PC-21-01 Glen Avenue Reconstruction
Terry Koegel moved to recommend to Commission TIP Amendment- Project PC-21-01 Glen Avenue Reconstruction and Patrick Meyer seconded.
Michael Bruner updated this is for reconstruction of Glen Avenue from two lane rural section to a 3-lane urban section. This is to update funding sources and funding amounts.
Amy McLaren added this will add COVID funds. Motion carried.
 - f. Project WC-23-01 Santa Fe Trail Resurfacing
Patrick Meyer moved to recommend to Commission TIP Amendment- Project WC-23-01 Sante Fe Trail Resurfacing and Terry Koegel seconded.
Michael Bruner updated this is for resurfacing- Mill and Overlay on Sante Fe Trail for IL26 to Lourdes Rd. Motion carried.
 - g. Project CC-23-01 Fischer Road Resurfacing
Terry Koegel moved to recommend to Commission TIP Amendment – Project CC-23-01 Fischer Road Resurfacing and Patrick Meyer seconded.
Michael Bruner updated this is for resurfacing Fisher Road- IL Route 29 to S Creve Coeur Avenue. Motion carried.

6. Recommend to Commission FTA Section 5310 Project Funding Awards – Memo
Conrad Moore moved to recommend to Commission FTA Section 5310 Project Funding Awards and Eric Miller seconded.
 - Reema Abi-Akar updated this is for Tri County's 5310 Call for Projects Applications for an urban funding stream from the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) aimed at increasing mobility options for seniors and individuals with disabilities, and the Tri- County Regional Planning Commission receives an apportionment every year. It is TCRPC responsibilities to either distribute these funds throughout the urbanized area or pass the funds along to IDOT Consolidated Vehicle Procurement (CVP) program. TCRPC has chosen to distribute through a competitive call for projects. We received four applications with one from EP!C request for Vehicles which was not accepted. The available funds are \$316,461.85. Washington Phase 1 is \$100,000; Bike share is \$95,224, and East Peoria is \$32,000 with a remaining balance of \$89 237.05 which can be rolled over to next Section 5310 urban call for projects in Spring 2022.
 - Ty Livingston commended staff for help on the applications.
7. Call for Projects, Special Transportation Planning Studies FY2022 – Attachment
Michael Bruner updated this is the annual program for FY2022 Special Transportation Projects for \$80.000 that needs to be completed by December 31, 2022. Michael asked for volunteers to be on sub committee and Conrad Moore volunteered so far.
8. Updates
 - a. Activity Based Travel Demand Model
Michael Bruner updated on 3 RFQ responses.
 - b. Pavement Management ISI
Eric Miller updated software training as part of contract. Please let Ray know when training is.
 - c. East Peoria Riverfront Trail
Michael Bruner updated on consultant proposed options. There are two public outreach events at East Peoria Open House on Nov.3, from 4 to 6 p.m. and Virtual on Nov 4 11:30 to 12:30. There will be an email going out.
 - d. Congestion Management
Michael updated on the existing plan
 - e. Bike Counters
Michael Bruner mentioned the IDOT Urban Plan for Peoria Park District
 - f. IDOT Local Roads
Al- Barre-Shebib updated on the following:
 - Truck Access Route Program TARP funding applications were due Oct. 15, expect award announcement in middle of November
 - Safe Routes to School SRTS funding applications were due September 30th, these are actively being reviewed.

- Illinois Special Bridge program projects were due earlier in October, award announcements for those applications will be in the spring of 2022 to correspond with the publishing of the IDOT Multi-Year Program
- Programming next Multi-Year Program FY23-26 has begun, we are reaching out to the Counties and to Tri-County MPO with what we currently have for projects.
- Reminder to expend or identify projects to expend the RBI Bond funds as soon as possible. We expect two more disbursements.
- Standard Specification book has been updated and apply to projects starting with January 2022 Letting. Significant changes to the Spec. book last published in 2016, particularly significant HMA updates. Expect a Circular Letter going over guidance for Local Roads projects with the new spec book

Betsy Tracey- FHWA – nothing to add

Mike Vanderhoof updated on the following:

- Published data procession tool
- Kick-off of state freight plans
- Looking to hire Metro Manager

9. Other

a. Hazard Mitigation Plan Update

Reema Abi-Akar updated on the 2019 Plan, pre- application. There is alot more funding and going to bring Peoria County on board. Please submit your pre-applications with previous consultants. Michael Bruner added there is no cost to committee to participate

b. Next meeting scheduled for November 17, 2021

Eric Miller updated the Commission meeting now meets at 9:00 a.m. on 1st Wednesday of month.

10. Adjournment

Conrad Moore moved to adjourn at 9:43 a.m. and Terry Koegel seconded. Motion carried.

Submitted by:

Eric Miller

Executive Director

Transcribed by:

Debbie Ulrich

Office Manager