



Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO)
Transportation Planning Region (TPR)



Urban Transportation Planning Division
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Meeting minutes of the
TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMISSION
February 13, 2020
8:30 a.m.

Community Room of the Pueblo Municipal Justice Center, 200 South Main Street
Agenda items marked with * indicate additional materials are included in the packet.

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AGENDA

1. Call Meeting to Order

Chairman: John Adams

Time of Call: 8:34 a.m.

MPO Members Present: John Adams, Hannah Haurert, Eva Cosyleon

TAC Members Present: Wendy Pettit, Ben Valdez, Greg Pedroza, Don Bruestle, Aaron Willis, Dan Centa

CAC Members Present: Heather Norton

Others Present: Lachelle Davis, Melanie Turner, Paige Cipperly, Emma Belmont

2. Introductions and Public Comments (non-agenda items only)

Introductions were made for Emma Belmont (FTA), Melanie Turner (Public Works), Eva Cosyleon (Transportation Planner), and Dan Centa (Interim Traffic Engineer).

3. Approval of Minutes*

January 9, 2020

Motion to Approve: Greg Pedroza

Second: Ben Valdez

Unanimous:

4. CDOT Region 2 Updates (Informational)

The Draft TPR plans are being reviewed by CDOT/TPR and will have a finalized plan. CDOT will be finalizing the projects for the 2020-2023 STIP. This will be effective July 1st.

Ben Valdez had a concern about funding for the new Transit Facility. Emma Belmont suggested on phasing for the next few years.

Aaron Willis said that an interactive GIS Map has been developed for the 10-year Pipeline so other Agencies can identify areas of concerns. The agencies can comment their concerns.

5. Resolution to Amend the FY2020-2021 UPWP to partially fund the Public Agency Transportation Safety Plan (PTASP)*

Motion to Approve: Don Bruestle

Second: Greg Pedroza

Unanimous:

John Adams said that we were requested to participate in funding (\$40,000) for the study. He said it comes out of our Consolidation Work Funds. This study is for how the Transit Agency operates with policies compliant, process of employees to report safety hazards, and identify the responses from management. There is more information in the packet on the Scope of Work.

6. Resolution to Amend the FY2020-2021 UPWP for an Additional \$125,000 for Metropolitan Transportation Plan Update (MTP)*

Motion to Approve: Greg Pedroza

Second: Ben Valdez

Unanimous:

The 2025 LRTP funds were negotiated (\$250,000) and a transfer will need to be made to move forward with the project. This will reserve funds for the MTP.

7. Statewide Travel Demand Survey Participation with Multimodal Funds in FY 2021

Motion to Approve: Ben Valdez

Second: Greg Pedroza

Unanimous:

Senate Bill 1801 has about \$2.1m and is a 50/50 match. The MMO Funds will include Prairie Ave (Lake Minnequa), City Center Dr Area, and Union/Main Corridor. Travel Survey request to participate, remove \$100k from consolidation planning grant fund and a match from the MMO to contribute \$200k.

8. 1-A/PACOG Southwest Chief Amtrak Pueblo Station Location Update (Informational/Discussion)

The Project Manager wanted 5 locations for the Southwest Chief Amtrak Station Locations but at the meeting only 3 were located down by Union Station. John Adams said that they will probably go to the public for the other 2 locations.

9. 1-A Union Ave. Pedestrian Plan Update (Informational/Discussion)

The City is leading this project and has selected a design consultant. This plan will include the streetscape, and safety for Pedestrians in the downtown area (mostly Union/Main corridor).

10. CDOT Region 2 requests for PACOG MPO/TPR TIP Formal Amendment FY 2020-23 TIP*

Action Requested: Approve/Disapprove/Modify

Project Name: **Bridge Construction of structure K-18-U I-25 MP111.9**

STIP Number: SR26710.022

Project Location and Description: **Bridge reconstruction and maintenance**

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Fund Source(s): FY 2020 Bridge Enterprise funding	
Federal Program Funds:	\$
State Matching Funds:	\$2,971,300
Local Matching Funds:	\$
Other Match:	\$
TOTAL PROJECT FUND AMENDMENT:	\$2,971,300

Adding Construction Funds:

The Administrative TIP Amendment request above is to program funds for the balance needed for the construction of the bridge project located on I-25 at MP 111.9. This project has been designed in the last year and had minor repairs done in 2015. *This is between the rests stops north of town going Southbound on I-25.*

**11. MMOF Project Interest Deadline Reminder – February 29, 2020
(Informational/Discussion)**

This is a reminder for call of projects by February 29, 2020. This does not need to be a detailed project but just an amount and location.

12. Next TAC Meeting and Location (Discussion)

The next TAC meeting will be on March 10, 2020. This will start the schedule for the 2nd Tuesdays of the month at 9:00 a.m. CDOT offered their building, Greg offered the Airport building, and Don Bruestle suggested the Library.

We will have March 10th meeting at CDOT while we look for other rooms.

The new PACOG website was launched yesterday so a few links might be broken.

13. Items from TAC Members or scheduling of future Agenda Items (Roundtable Discussion)

RTA – A House Bill 20-2115 has been introduced.

14. Adjournment

Chairman John Adams adjourned the meeting at 9:44 a.m.