

**MIAMI VALLEY REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION  
TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
JULY 19, 2018  
MINUTES**

**Members/Alternates**

Ed Amrhein, Beavercreek Township  
Russ Bergman, Huber Heights  
Scott Boyer, ODOT 7  
James Brinegar, Centerville  
Joe Brzozowski, City of Dayton  
Gary Burkholder, City of Brookville  
Ken Collier, Greene County Transit  
Barry Conway, City of Franklin  
Rob Cron, City of Vandalia  
John Davies, Washington Township  
Chad Dixon, City of Springboro  
Andy Flugemann, ODOT 8  
Bob Geyer, Greene County Eng.  
Paul Gruner, Montgomery County Eng.  
Mike Hammes, City of Moraine  
Lee Harris, City of Fairborn  
Amy Havenar, City of Piqua  
Paul Huelskamp, Miami County Eng.  
Jeff Moorman, City of Beavercreek  
Don O'Connor, Miami Conservancy District  
Jill Rhoades, City of Troy  
John Sliemers, City of Kettering  
Keith Steeber, City of Dayton

Cara Tilford, Sugarcreek Township  
Brad Vath, Tipp City

**Guests**

Kaye Borchers, Choice One Engineering  
Joe Espezage, CT Consultants  
Jeff Heimann, Strand Associates  
Pat Plews, Woolpert  
Anne Randall, TEC

**Staff Present**

Paul Arnold  
Bradley Daniel  
Kjirsten Frank Hoppe  
Kayla Kellar  
Martin Kim  
Kim Lahman  
Matthew Lindsay  
Jen Lumpkin  
Ana Ramirez  
Anton Schauerte  
Teresa Wise

**I. INTRODUCTION**

Chair, Paul Gruner called the meeting to order. Self-introductions were made.

**II. APPROVAL OF May 17, 2018 MEETING MINUTES**

Mr. Hammes made a motion to approve minutes. Mr. Huelskamp seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

**III. Public Comment Period on Action Items**

None

**IV. MPO (METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION) ACTION ITEMS**

**A. Recommended Adoption of Amendment to MVRPC's SFY2018-2021  
Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)**

Mr. Arnold referred to the 9<sup>th</sup> amendment to the SFY 2018-2021 TIP and the numerous changes made by MVRPC and ODOT. He referred to the packet showing the tables broken down by

county as well as the statewide line item project tables. Mr. Arnold stated that staff recommends adoption of this TIP amendment and referred to a resolution on page 19 of the mailout.

Ms. Rhoades made a motion to recommend adoption. Mr. Conway seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

## **V. INFORMATION ITEMS**

### **A. Human Services Transportation Coordinated Plan update**

Ms. Hoppe gave an overview of the HSTC Coordination Plan. The original plan was written in 2007 and approved in 2008. The last update was in 2012. Ms. Hoppe invited everyone to the next HSTC Council meeting on August 21, 2018 at Goodwill Easter Seals, where they will review the scope of the current update. Ms. Hoppe stated that the preparation for the update has been in the process for the last year and MVRPC has hired RLS Inc. as consultants. Ms. Hoppe stated that there is also a need for more representatives from the communities this affects (the seniors that can no longer drive, the disabled and those that cannot afford to maintain a vehicle) on our committee. Ms. Hoppe also reviewed the relationship between HSTC and the efforts of the Greater Mobility Region Initiative.

### **B. Alternative Fuel Corridor Nomination**

Mr. Lindsay presented an overview of the Alternative Fuel Corridors. Mr. Lindsay stated that the FHWA seeks to create a national network of alternative fueling and charging infrastructure along National Highway System (NHS) corridors. The required frequency for an Electric Vehicle charging station every 50 miles and a Natural Gas fueling stations is every 150 to 200 miles. Mr. Lindsay stated that the initial concept for the Ohio nomination included the Dayton, Cincinnati, and Columbus areas, along with parts of Kentucky. Mr. Lindsay stated that Ohio has an abundance of CNG fueling stations however, the Miami Valley region has no qualified DC Fast Charging stations and that a minimum of three is needed to meet frequency requirements. Mr. Lindsay stated that the Tesla charging sites do not count as part of the requirement. Mr. Lindsay reviewed the map of sites that have been designated for the Alternative Fuel Corridors and other possible sites that are being considered.

### **C. Public Health Sidewalk Survey**

Mr. Lindsay gave an overview of the MVRPC website showing the maps of existing sidewalks and marked crosswalks that cover the MPO area (3+ counties). The current data is missing the width, age, condition, slope and material of the current sidewalks. Mr. Lindsay stated that MVRPC is asking for those jurisdictions that have sidewalks to access the data and let us know of any updates.

## **VI. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

In the Executive Director Brian Martin's absence, Ana Ramirez reviewed the Executive Director's report. Ms. Ramirez congratulated The Village of Yellow Springs for receiving the Region's fifth Bronze-level Bicycle Friendly Community award, presented by the League of American bicyclists. Ms. Ramirez announced the Long Range Transportation Plan Amendment meeting on August 15, 2018 at 4:00 p.m. at the MVRPC office.

## **VII. ADJOURNMENT**

Mr. Geyer made a motion to adjourn. Mr. O'Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.