



**MARATHON COUNTY METROPOLITAN PLANNING COMMISSION
Transportation Technical Advisory Committee
Minutes – March 9, 2021**

Transportation Technical Advisory Committee: Dave Mack, Gaylene Rhoden, Mark Thout, Darryl Landeau, Tim Vergara, Dave Meurette, Randy Fifrick, Kevin Lang, Mitch Batuzich, Jim Kuehn, Eric Lindman, Keith Rusch

Others: Andrew Lynch, Brenda Iczkowski, John Robinson, Jared Wehner, Brad Sipple

1. Call to Order / Introductions

The presence of a quorum, the agenda being properly signed and posted, the meeting was called to order by Commission Secretary Mack at 1:00 p.m., at 210 River Drive, Wausau and virtually via WebEx.

2. Public Comment – Wehner shared Rib Mountain will be holding a public information gathering about the Rib Mountain Driver Corridor Study, TIF 1, on March 25, 2021 at 5 pm, at the old Gordman's space.

Kuehn introduced Brad Sipple as being part of the planning section with WisDOT in Madison and will be attending the future TAC meetings.

3. Approve Minutes of the February 8, 2021 Transportation TAC meeting

Action: MOTION / SECOND BY WEHNER/VERGARA TO APPROVE THE FEBRUARY 8, 2021 MINUTES OF THE TRANSPORTATION TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE, MOTION CARRIED BY VOICE VOTE, NO DISSENT.

4. Bicycle/Pedestrian Plan Update

Discussion: Lynch shared in the packet are the proposed changes, updates, or additional plans to the Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan for the Wausau Area MPO. The list is an add-on to the original plan and are recommendations to the communities for the work. A public informational session will be held in the future.

Action: MOTION / SECOND BY RHODEN/RUSCH TO SEND THE BICYCLE/PEDESTRIAN PLAN FOR PUBLIC REVIEW, MOTION CARRIED BY VOICE VOTE, NO DISSENT.

Follow Through: STAFF WILL SCHEDULE A PUBLIC INFORMATIONAL MEETING.

5. 2021 Long Range Transportation Plan, Action Items for the Goals and Objectives

Discussion: Mack refreshed the committee about the discussion from last meeting on the Goals and Objectives were supplied to the committee. Included in the packet is an update on what the committee asked staff to clarify or adjust from what was provided last meeting. There are 5 Goals and 22 Objectives and from those, 29 action-items were created and some of those are more specific and will have measured developed for them.

Action: None at this time.

Follow Through: Staff will continue to update the committee with the program.

6. Traffic Model Information for Communities

Discussion: Lynch shared that staff received the traffic model information from WisDOT. The data provided in each of the TAZ areas of the model are to develop the base and projected year information. The data is what fuels the traffic model. A meeting will be scheduled with each community in the future to review the feedback from WisDOT for their community.

Action: None at this time.

Follow Through: Staff will schedule individual meetings for review of information from WisDOT.

7. Next Meeting Date – April 13, 2021 at 1:00 PM.

Action: This meeting will be scheduled.

Follow Through: None at this time.

8. Adjourn

There being no further business, **Motion/Second by Rhoden/Thuot to Adjourn the meeting of the Marathon County Metropolitan Planning Commission at 1:35 pm CARRIED VOICE VOTE, NO DISSENT.**

Submitted by:

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