



AGENDA TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Thursday, January 16, 2020
Stanly Commons
Manager's Conference Rm.
Albemarle, NC 28001
6-8pm

1. Ethics Statement

Chris Whitley, Chairman

2. Amend/Adopt Agenda

Chris Whitley, Chairman.....(ACTION NEEDED)

3. Approval of Minutes from September 2019

Chris Whitley, Chairman.....(ACTION NEEDED)

4. STIP Project Review

Stuart Basham/Scott Miller, NCDOT.....(ACTION NEEDED)

Projects that are planned for submittal will be discussed.

5. NCDOT Updates

- a. County Updates.....Division Staff
- b. Mobility & Safety Division.....Regional Traffic Staff
- c. NCDOT Corridor Development Engineers.....Scott Miller

6. Old Business

7. New Business

- 2020 TCC/TAC Schedule

8. Public Comment

9. Adjourn

Next Meeting: Thursday, March 19, 2020

SPCC/Raye Boardroom

Polkton, NC



Technical Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

Members Present: Chris Whitley (Chairman – Albemarle), Jarvis Woodburn (Vice-Chairman – Badin), Sam Bowles (NCBOT), Richard Allen (Peachland), Bob Usrey (Wadesboro), Ernest Peoples (Badin), Terry Almond (Richfield), Michael Herron (Misenheimer), Bill Peak (New London), Wes Hartsell (Norwood), and Myra Dagleish (Polkton-Alt./NVM).

Members Absent: Bud Smith (Oakboro), Tommy Jordan (Stanly County), Frank Aikmus (Union County), Larry Smith (Red Cross), Minnie Staton (NVM – Polkton), and Joey Estridge (Ansonville).

Others Present: Stuart Basham (NCDOT), Lee Snuggs (RPO) and Lisa Park (RPO).

Welcome

The meeting convened at 6:00 pm. Quorum was established.

1. Ethics Statement

The Ethics Statement was read to members by Chris Whitley.

2. Approval of Agenda (Approved)

A motion was made by Michael Herron to approve the agenda and was seconded by Jarvis Woodburn. The motion was unanimously approved.

3. Approval of Minutes from May 2019 (Approved)

A motion was made by Michael Herron to approve the May 2019 minutes as amended and was seconded by Jarvis Woodburn. The motion was unanimously approved.

4. Amendment to 2018-19 PWP (Approved)

Lee Snuggs, RRRPO

Amendment to the 2018-19 is required to move monies from CTP, General Transportation Planning and Programmatic Direct Charges into the Prioritization line item.

A motion was made by Michael Herron to approve the amendment to the 2018-19 PWP. It was seconded by Bill Peak and unanimously approved.

5. Grant Support Letter/Stanly County Senior Services (Approved)

Lee Snuggs, RRRPO

Letter of support requested from the RRRPO for the Stanly County Senior Services' Consolidated Capital Call for Projects application to the NCDOT for purchase of service from SCUSA Transportation for Stanly County senior citizens.

A motion was made by Bob Usrey to approve the letter of support. It was seconded by Terry Almond and unanimously approved.

6. Grant Support Letter/Anson County Transportation System (Approved)

Lee Snuggs, RRRPO Director

Letter of support requested from the RRRPO for the Anson County Transportation System (ACTS) Consolidated Capital Call for Projects application to the NCDOT for purchase of service for Anson County residents.

A motion was made by Bob Usrey to approve the letter of support. It was seconded by Terry Almond and unanimously approved.

7. Current CMAQ Funds Resolution for Marshville Pedestrian Crossing (Approved)

Bjorn Hansen, Union County Transportation Planner

A request was presented by Bjorn Hansen for a resolution from the RRRPO supporting current CMAQ funds for the Marshville Pedestrian Crossing. Union County is the only area in the RRRPO jurisdictions that qualifies for CMAQ funding.

A motion was made by Michael Herron to approve the requested resolution. It was seconded by Jarvis Woodburn and unanimously approved.

8. Resolution Requesting Previous 10 years Unused CMAQ Funds from NCDOT (Approved)

Bjorn Hansen, Union county Transportation Planner

A request was presented by Bjorn Hansen for a resolution of support from the RRRPO requesting the previous 10 years unused CMAQ funds from the NCDOT for use in the rural areas of Union County. Union County is the only area in the RRRPO jurisdictions that qualifies for CMAQ funding.

A motion was made by Michael Herron to approve the requested resolution. It was seconded by Bob Usrey and unanimously approved.

9. Union County Critical Intersection Analysis (Informative)

Bjorn Hanson, Union county Transportation Planner

A presentation was provided for members summarizing the development of the Union County Critical Intersection Analysis. With the exception of the design work, the analysis was created by Union County staff to save the cost of an outside consulting firm. Support and guidance was offered to any other RRRPO jurisdictions that may be interested in creating their own Critical Intersection Analysis.

10. NCDOT Updates

a. County Updates: NCDOT-Div. 10 Staff

- **NC 24/27 Widening Project (R-2530B)** - The widening of NC 24/27 from Albemarle to Lake Tillery continues to move forward. The project is current in the right of way acquisition phase with the NCDOT acquiring right of way to construct the project. Structures are being demolished and utilities are being relocated throughout the corridor. It is scheduled to be let for bid in October, 2019. Due to the complexity of rehabilitating the bridge over Lake Tillery, it was pulled out of the project and was let for bid as a separate project in November. Work is underway on the bridge project. The bridge is expected to be complete in September, 2021.
- **Resurfacing Work In Anson County** – Earlier this year, NCDOT awarded a \$3.6M contract to resurface 14.7 miles of road in Anson County. Work is underway on sections of US 52, US 74, and six secondary roads. Work is scheduled to be completed by mid-November.
- **NC 205/218 Roundabout Project** – on August 24th, construction began on a new roundabout at the intersection of NC 205 and NC 218 in New Salem. Signed detour routes are in place. Construction is expected to take about eight weeks to complete.
- **Oakboro Intersection Project** – Work is underway on an intersection improvement project at NC 138/St Martin Road in downtown Oakboro. Work is expected to be complete in the next 30-60 days.
- **New Division 10 Engineer** – After a long, distinguished career with the NCDOT, Division 10 Engineer Scott Cole retired on September 1st. Deputy Division Engineer Brett Canipe has been appointed to replace Scott as the new Division Engineer for Division 10.
- **New Corridor Development Engineer** – Scott Miller is the new Corridor Development Engineer for Division 10. Scott replaces Donald Griffith. Scott was formerly a Project Manager with NCDOT's Division 14 office in Sylva.
- **P6.0 Update** – NCDOT is preparing to begin another cycle of STI to prioritize and fund projects. The new window for submitting projects will now be open from October 7th thru April 30th, 2020. NCDOT will be moving to a three year TIP cycle for this round of STI. The P6.0 workgroup has agreed on an adjusted schedule of milestone dates for P6.0. Projects will be reviewed and scored over the summer and winter of 2020. The local input point assignment process will occur over the summer of 2021. A new Draft STIP is expected to be released in February, 2022.

b. Transportation Planning Division

• Transportation Planning Division Newsletter

11. Old Business: None

12. New Business: None

13. Public Comment: None

14. Closed Session:

A motion was made by Michael Herron to enter into closed session.
It was seconded by Bill Peak and unanimously approved.

A motion was made by Bob Usrey to conclude the closed session.
It was seconded by Michael Herron and unanimously approved.

15. Adjourned at 7:40 pm

Michael Herron made the motion to adjourn and it was seconded by Jarvis Woodburn.
The motion was unanimously approved.

Adopted: This the 16th day of January, 2020.

Chris Whitley, TAC Chairperson

Lee Snuggs, Secretary



2020

Technical Advisory Committee (TAC)

TAC Schedule: (Elected Officials)

3rd Thursday, every other month with a rotating location.

January 16, 2020	6-8 PM	Stanly Commons/Albemarle (Managers Conference Room)
March 19, 2020	6-8 PM	SPCC, Raye Boardroom/Polkton
May 21, 2020	6-8 PM	Locust Town Hall/Huneycutt Rm
July 16, 2020	6-8 PM	TBD
September 17, 2020	6-8 PM	SPCC, Raye Boardroom/Polkton
November 19, 2020	6-8 PM	Locust Town Hall/Huneycutt Rm

Technical Coordinating Committee (TCC)

TCC Schedule: (Staff Officials)

2nd Tuesday, every other month.

All TCC Meetings will meet at:

Highway Division 10 - Albemarle
716 W Main St.
Albemarle, NC 28001

January 14, 2020	10 am -12
March 10, 2020	10 am -12
May 12, 2020	10 am -12
July 14, 2020	10 am -12
September 8, 2020	10 am -12
November 10, 2020	10 am -12

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