



AGENDA TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Thursday, May 16, 2019
Stanly Commons
Manager's Meeting 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 March 2019

Chris Whitley, Chairman(ACTION NEEDED)

4. STIP Project Assessment (30 Minutes)

Lee Snuggs, RRRPO Director.....(INFORMATION)

5. Land Use Project for Anson County (15 Minutes)

Lee Snuggs, RRRPO Director.....(INFORMATION)

6. Build Grant Request (10 Minutes)

Lee Snuggs, RRRPO Director.....(INFORMATION)

7. NCDOT Updates (10 minutes)

- a. County Updates.....Division Staff
- b. Mobility & Safety Division.....Regional Traffic Staff
- c. Transportation Planning Division.....Reuben Crummy
- d. NCDOT Corridor Development Engineers.....Donald Griffith

8. Old Business

9. New Business

10. Public Comment

11. Adjourn

**Next Meeting: Thursday, July 18, 2019
Union County Ag Center
*Monroe, NC***



Technical Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

Members Present: Chris Whitley (Chairman – Albemarle), Jarvis Woodburn (Vice-Chairman – Badin), Richard Allen (Peachland), Ernest Peoples (Badin), Terry Almond (Richfield), Bob Usrey (Wadesboro), Michael Herron (Misenheimer), Bill Peak (New London), Tommy Jordan (Stanly County), Myra Dalglish (NVM – Polkton-Alt.) and Mike Efird (Oakboro-Alt.),

Members Absent: Sam Bowles (NCBOT), Wes Hartsell (Norwood), Bud Smith (Oakboro), Frank Aikmus (Union County), Larry Smith (Red Cross), Minnie Staton (NVM – Polkton), and Joey Estridge (Ansonville).

Others Present: Brett Canipe (NCDOT), Reuben Crummy (NCDOT-TPD), Stuart Basham (NCDOT), Pate Butler (NCDOT), Heather Hildebrandt (NCDOT-TPD), 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 Herrom to approve the agenda as amended and was seconded by Jarvis Woodburn. The motion was unanimously approved.

3. Approval of Minutes from September 2018 (Approved)

A motion was made by Bob Usrey to approve the September 2018 minutes and was seconded by Michael Herron. The motion was unanimously approved

4. Approval of Minutes from January 2019 (Approved)

A motion was made by Richard Allen to approve the January 2019 minutes and was seconded by Terry Almond. The motion was unanimously approved.

5. NC Moves 2050 (Informative)

Heather Hildebrandt, NCDOT-TPD

Ms. Hildebrant presented a view of transportation for the next 30 years for North Carolina. She discussed with the group an overview of NCMoves 2050. Input from the group was encouraged and greatly appreciated. The presentation ended with an interactive group activity.

6. Planning Work Program 2019-20 (Approved)

Lee Snuggs, RRRPO Director

A copy of the 2019-2020 PWP was provided for each board member. After review and discussion the 2019-20 Planning Work Program was approved.

A motion was made by Michael Herron to approve the 2019-20 PWP and was seconded by Bill Peak. The motion was unanimously approved.

7. Title VI Program Plan Review/Adopt (Approved)

Lee Snuggs, RRRPO Director

Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 prohibits discrimination based on race, color or national origin in programs or activities which receive federal financial assistance. All RPO's are required to adopt a Title VI Program Plan. The RRRPO's will be submitted to Raleigh for approval.

A motion was made by Jarvis Woodburn to approve the RRRPO Title VI Program Plan. It was seconded by Michael Herron and unanimously approved.

8. Simplify NCDOT Data/Info (Informative)

Lee Snuggs, RRRPO Director

A goal of the RRRPO is to simplify NCDOT terminology and STIP process. How to go about accomplishing this goal was discussed and suggestions encouraged. A spreadsheet was provided with projects in the RRRPO jurisdiction. Mr. Snugg's had the projects color coded by counties to simplify identifying projects in each area. Also discussed was being able to find and easily navigate NCDOT & RRRPO websites that list current projects.

9. P6.0 Prioritization Methodology

Lee Snuggs, RRRPO Director

Beginning in June through September will be time frame to submit new projects. Members were encouraged to be thinking of projects that need to be considered. The goal is to submit quality projects over quantity.

10. NCDOT Updates

a. County Updates: NCDOT-Div. 10 Staff

- Widening project of Hwy. #24/27 from Albemarle to Lake Tillery is currently in the right-of-way acquisition phase. The project will not be let until August of 2019 due to a funding delay. The bridge is a separate project that has already began with a completion date of September, 2021.

- Design work continues on the Wadesboro Access Management Project in downtown Wadesboro. The right-of-way acquisition phase will begin in the summer of 2019 with construction beginning in summer of 2021.
- Damage of the substructure discovered in a routine inspection precipitated the closure of the bridge over Rocky River on NC 742. The bridge was reopened in mid-March.
- Anson County was awarded 3.6 million dollars for 14.7 miles of road resurfacing. This project will primarily be on Hwy. #52 & Hwy. #74.
- P6.0 NCDOT new cycle of STI Project funding. Projects are to be submitted July – September, 2019.
- Safety improvements to Hwy. #24/27 in front of Albemarle Walmart should be completed soon, delays dependent on weather limitations.
- Finalized projects: Hwy. #24/27 @ Newt Rd. Albemarle; Hwy. #24/27 @ Brown's Hill, Locust.
- US #52 corridor from Albemarle to Norwood, rumble strip project complete.
- Albemarle Depot Pedestrian project hopeful of being funded with State Funds and construction to begin in summer, 2019.

b. Transportation Planning Division: Reuben Crummy

- CRAFT Meeting on March 26, 2019.
- Reuben Crummy has been relocated to another RPO jurisdiction. The position for the RRRPO is yet to be filled.
- Due to inclement weather, NCDOT is asking that potholes be reported ASAP.

11. Old Business: None

12. New Business:

a. SEI/RED Reminder

13. Public Comment: None

14. Adjourned at 7:10 pm

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

Adopted: This the 16th day of May, 2019.

Chris Whitley, TAC Chairperson

Lee Snuggs, Secretary