

# Northwest Missouri Transportation Advisory Committee

## Quarterly Meeting Minutes, February 21, 2023

### Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by TAC Chair, Gary Carlson at 6 p.m.

### Roll Call

Roll call and introductions were held. The following members and guests were present:

#### *TAC Members*

Kamron Woodring, Atchison County  
Gary Carlson, Gentry County  
Carla Acton, Holt County  
Tom Bullock, Holt County  
David Carroll, Holt County  
Chris Burns, Nodaway County  
Greg McDanel, City of Maryville  
Regan Nonneman, Worth County

#### *Ex-Officio Members*

David Earls, Senior Transp. Planner, MoDOT  
Adam Wood, District Planning Manager, MoDOT

#### *NWMORCOG Staff*

Amy Dowis, Regional Planner

#### *Guests*

Mazzie Boyd, State Representative  
Anthony Steinhauser, Worth County

### Agenda

**Chris Burns made a motion, and it was seconded by Tom Bullock to approve the agenda. Motion passed.**

### Minutes

**A motion was made by Kamron Woodring and seconded by Regan Nonneman to approve the minutes from the November 15, 2022, meeting. Motion passed.**

### Open Public Comment

None

### Old Business

#### *TAC Vacancies (Gentry, Nodaway & Worth)*

- Gary said Gentry County is still working on filling their vacancy. The person they had in mind for it has a previous commitment that involves meetings the same night as TAC meetings.
- Worth County Commission sent in a letter recommending Anthony Stienhauser to fill their vacancy. Kamron Woodring made a motion to approve the recommendation, and it was seconded by Tom Bullock. Motion passed. It will now go before the Regional Council Board for final approval.
- Nodaway County Commission sent in a letter recommending Brian Engle to fill their vacancy. David Carroll made a motion to approve the recommendation, and it was seconded by Regan Nonneman. Motion passed. It will now go before the Regional Council Board for final approval.

- At the December RCOG Board Meeting, the board unanimously approved the Holt County Commission and TAC recommendations to appoint Carla Acton as a voting member of the TAC representing Holt County. She will take the seat previously held by Carla Markt.

**New Business**

*Project Awards, Bid Openings and Construction Update – Adam Wood*

- Adam reviewed the November project awards for our five-county area.
  - Bridge Replacement Rte. E Gentry County (1.5 miles east of US 169)
  - Awarded for \$843,378
  - Contractor – North Central Bridge
  
- Adam reviewed our projects that would be included in the March Project Bid Openings.
  - US 136 Bridge Repair over Missouri River. Atchison County.
  - US 71 Pavement Resurfacing in Andrew/Nodaway County (previously let in November '22)
  - Southbound lanes from south of Rte. B to north of Rte. 48
  - Various sections of northbound lanes in Andrew and Nodaway Counties from south of Rte. T to south of Rte. V in Maryville
  
- There was no construction update.
  
- Adam provided the following STIP update:
  - FY 2023 Projects
    - 30-35% over on recent pavement projects
    - 12% over on recent bridge projects
    - Remaining pavement projects pushed back to FY 2024 (other than US71 & Bus 71 projects)
  - Upcoming STIP
    - No new pavement or bridge projects currently planned.
    - 7% Inflation factor used.
    - Several projects are being moved back to balance the budget.

*LPA Update – David Earls*

- David provided an update on the following Active Transportation Alternative Projects (TAP):

Active Transportation Alternative Projects								
Sponsor Name	Project #	Rte	Feature	Award Date	Consultant	As per Obligation	Last Invoice Processed	Comments/Status
City of Maryville	9900129	Torrence St.	Sidewalk	2/4/2019	SK	9/30/2024	1/25/2023	Under Construction
City of Maryville	9900134	Thompson St.	Sidewalk	9/30/2022	GRE	9/30/2024		
Holt County	9900143	Courthouse	Sidewalk	9/30/2022	GRE	9/26/2024		
Nodaway County	9900144	Courthouse	Sidewalk	9/30/2022	Snyder	Requested		

- David provided an update on the following Active Bridge Projects:

Active Bridge Projects									
Sponsor Name	Project #	Bridge Number	Rte	Feature	Award Date	Consultant	As per Obligation	Last Invoice	Comments/Status
Atchison County	R003(24)	2320008	225 ST	COW BR	9/30/2022	GRE	9/30/2024		
Atchison County	B003(25)	3940008	250 ST	TARKIO RVR	9/30/2022	GRE	9/17/2024		
Atchison County	R003(26)	4210000	285 ST (SHARP RD)	ROCK CR DRAIN DTCH	9/30/2022	GRE			
Gentry County	B038(29)	2890020	435 TH ROAD	BR OF ISLAND CR	4/27/2021	Howe	6/30/2023	8/30/2022	Waiting on the Archeology report. Final plans are in progress.
Gentry County	R038(30)	3150000	527 TH ROAD	LONG BR	9/30/2022	Howe	9/30/2024		
Gentry County	R038(32)	0460008	310 TH ST	MOCCASIN CR	9/30/2022	Howe	9/30/2024		
Holt County	R044(36)	1110007	LINCOLN RD	SQUAW CR	9/30/2022	GRE	9/17/2024		
Holt County	R044(37)	1330029	IRONWOOD RD	WILDCAT CR	9/30/2022	GRE	9/30/2024		
Holt County	R044(38)	0540008	COUNTY RD 120	MID BR OF SQUAW CR	9/30/2022	GRE	9/30/2024		
Nodaway County	R074(63)	0228013	160TH ST	HONEY CR	9/30/2022	GRE	9/30/2024	1/31/2023	Survey and Inspection
Nodaway County	R074(64)	0295003	200TH ST	CLEAR CR	9/30/2022	Snyder	9/30/2024		
Worth County	R113(18)	1640009	RIM ROCK TRAIL	BIG ROCK CR	9/30/2022	GRE	9/30/2024		

- Dave reviewed the LPA External Webpage restructure with the TAC.

#### *Community Active Transportation Plan presentation – Sarah Prickett (postponed)*

- Because of Sarah’s busy schedule at this time, we decided to postpone the presentation until the May TAC meeting.

#### *2022 Blueprint Grant Review – Amy Dowis*

- Because Blueprint grant scoring fell between our first and second quarter TAC meetings, Amy asked TAC members to score grants via email, so at the meeting, we reviewed the applications and the scores. Three grants from our five counties scored high enough to receive funding: Northwest UPD/Safe Rides, Worth County School, and City of Maryville. Award letters will go out soon.

#### **Other Business**

- I-229/Double Decker Bridge Project – nothing new to report
- Roadway Safety Review - We went around, and everyone had an opportunity to share any roadway safety concerns they have for roads in MoDOT’s Northwest District. Holt Co Commissioners expressed concern about a bridge at Maitland where the approaches on both sides are in bad shape.
- Comments/Concerns - There were none.
- Amy’s Update.
  - Amy shared information about the upcoming 2023 Freight Summit and extended an invitation to all TAC members to attend.
  - Amy shared that she and Sarah applied to MoDOT for a Highway Safety Grant.
  - Amy shared that there was additional Blueprint funding available for Community Outreach projects or events that emphasize highway traffic and safety.
  - Amy reported that the Regional Council is working on four FY 2023 RAISE planning grant applications due in a few days. Awards will be announced by June 28, 2023.

- Amy reviewed other funding opportunities through the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) and handed out the Federal Grant Calendar published by US DOT and encouraged the TAC members to be thinking of projects for these funding opportunities.

The next TAC meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, May 16, 2023, at 7 p.m.

**Adjourn**

Tom Bullock motioned to adjourn at 7:02 p.m., seconded by Regan Nonneman. Meeting adjourned.

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Chairman or Vice-Chairman

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Minutes recorded by Amy Dowis