

MEETING OF THE TRANSPORTATION PROJECT ADVISORY COMMITTEE
FOR THE
TRANSPORTATION POLICY BOARD

Wednesday, May 1, 2024, at 1:30 p.m.

Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) Office
211 N Florence St., Suite 202, 2nd Floor
El Paso, TX 79901

NOTICE OF MEETING AND AGENDA

Public Participation and Public Comment

Members of the public may attend the meeting in person or remotely via Microsoft Teams. The instructions on how to join via Teams are available at: https://www.elpasompo.org/media/TransportationProjectAdvisoryCommittee/TEAMS_Log_in_Step_TPAC.pdf

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- Speakers are allowed up to three (3) minutes each, but may be limited further at the discretion of the Presiding Officer.
- Members of the public wishing to provide comment must sign up no later than 1 p.m. on the day of the meeting by emailing menriquez@elpasompo.org or by calling (915) 212-0258.
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- **CALL MEETING TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- **ROLL CALL**
- **OPEN COMMENT PERIOD**

(The agenda and backup materials for the meeting packet are posted and available on the MPO website:
<https://www.elpasompo.org/TPACAgendasandMinutes>)

DISCUSSION AND ACTION:

1. [Consider approval of the minutes of the March 6, 2024 TPAC meeting](#)
Presenter: TPAC Chair
2. [Consider amendments to the Transportation Policy Board Bylaws to add a member entity or entities to the Transportation Project Advisory Committee](#)
Presenter: Harrison Plourde (MPO)
3. [Consider approval of amendments to the RMS 2050 MTP, and RMS 2023-2026 TIP to program transit projects from South Central Regional Transit District:](#)
 - a. Program the *Preventative Maintenance (FY24 5307)* project using FTA 5307 funds in FY 2024
 - b. Program the *Pavement Resurfacing (FY24 5307)* project using FTA 5307 funds in FY 2024
 - c. Program the *JARC (FY24 5307)* project using FTA 5307 funds in FY 2024
 - d. Program the *Operating Assistance (FY24 5307)* project using FTA 5307 funds in FY 2024
 - e. Program the *Maintenance Facility Equipment (FY24 5307)* project using FTA 5307 funds in FY 2024
 - f. Program the *Security Fencing (FY24 5307)* project using FTA 5307 funds in FY 2024*Presenter: Gerardo Fierro (MPO)*

4. [Consider authorizing the Executive Director to sign a Memorandum of Understanding between EPMPO, New Mexico Department of Transportation, and SCRTRD to make provision for cooperative transportation and transit activities in the metropolitan planning area.](#)

Presenter: Harrison Plourde (MPO)

REPORTS AND DISCUSSION:

5. [Discussion of the triennial amendment to the EPMPO Public Participation Plan](#)

Presenter: Anne Guayante (MPO)

6. [Update on TxDOT Highway Emergency Response Operator \(HERO\) Program](#)

Presenter: Eduardo Perales & Rodolfo Pino (TxDOT)

7. Adjournment

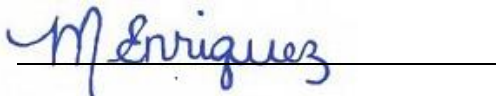
The **next regular meeting** of the TPAC is scheduled for **1:30 p.m.** on **June 5, 2024**. The due date for submittal of agenda items, names of speakers, attachments, items for presentations, and Project Request Forms (PRFs) is **April 17, 2024 by 3:00 p.m.**

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Marisol Enriquez, Recording Secretary for the
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