

**SPECIAL MEETING OF THE TRANSPORTATION PROJECT ADVISORY COMMITTEE
FOR THE
TRANSPORTATION POLICY BOARD
APPROVED MINUTES
March 16, 2022**

The meeting was called to order by Jose Landeros, Chairman of the Transportation Project Advisory Committee, at 1:36 p.m, at the El Paso MPO Board Room, 211 N. Florence, 1st Floor, Suite 103, El Paso, TX, also conducted telephonically and by video conference. Members in attendance were:

TPAC Voting Members Present:			Others Present:	
1.	Jose Landeros	El Paso County, Chair	Raymond Sanchez	TxDOT
2.	Maya Sanchez	City of San Elizario	Robert Parker	
3.	Ivy Avalos	City of Socorro	Mayela Granados	Sen. Blanco Office
4.	Hector Rangel	City of Sunland Park	Raul Ortega	TXDOT
5.	Evaristo Cruz	Ysleta del Sur Del Pueblo	Frank Oropeza	HNTF
6.	Santos Lucero	Village of Vinton		
7.	Yvette Hernandez	City of El Paso		
8.	Michelle Padilla	Horizon City		
9.	Marty Boyd	TxDOT		
10.	Valerie Sherman	Doña Ana County		
11.	Greg McNicol	UTEP		
12.	Claudia K. Garcia	Sun Metro		
13.	Harold Love	NMDOT		
14.				
TPAC Voting Members Absent:			MPO STAFF	
	Dino Coronado	Town of Clint	Eduardo Calvo	MPO, Executive Director
	Benjamin Romero	Town of Anthony, TX	Harrison Plourde	MPO, Assistant Director
	Gloria Ramirez	City of Anthony, NM	Jeffrey Howell	MPO, Senior Planner
			Marisol Enriquez	MPO, Administrative Secretary
			Timothy Mc Daniel	MPO, Associate Regional Transport
			Gabriela Lopez	MPO, Transportation Financial Analyst
			Salvador Gonzalez	MPO, Transportation Planning & Programs Mgr
			Sonia Perez	MPO, TDM Modeler
			Jeff Howell	MPO, Senior Planner
			Claudia Valles	MPO, Transportation Planner

(Meeting began with 10 members)

- Chair Jose Landeros, opened the public comment period. No Public Comment.

DISCUSSION AND ACTION:

1. Approve the minutes for the March 2, 2022, TPAC Meeting
Motion to approve the minutes for the March 2, 2022, TPAC meeting made by Greg McNicol and seconded by Santos Lucero. Motion passed unanimously.
2. Funding proposal for the Downtown 10 project to be submitted to the Texas Transportation Commission.
Motion to approve the Funding proposal for the Downtown 10 project to be submitted to the Texas Transportation Commission) made by Greg McNicol and seconded by Santos Lucero. Motion passed unanimously.
 - Raul Ortega commented.
 - Lina Ortega commented.
 - Marty Boyd commented.
 - Greg McNicol commented.
 - Jose Landeros commented.
 - Yvette Hernandez commented.
 - Evaristo Cruz commented.

REPORTS AND DISCUSSION:

3. Rider 7 Local Air Quality Statement of Work with Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ).

Status report given by EPMPPO – Salvador Gonzalez-Ayala.

- Yvette Hernandez commented.
- Ivy Avalos commented.
- Michelle Garcia commented
- Jose Landeros commented.

4. Public Comment and Response Record for the Regional Mobility Strategy (RMS) 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP), RMS 2023-2026 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and Transportation Conformity Report.

Status report given by EPMPPO – Jeff Howell

- Jose Landeros commented.

*The **next regular meeting** of the TPAC is scheduled at **1:30 p.m.** on **April 6, 2022**, the due date for submittal of agenda items, names of speakers, attachments, items for presentations, and Project Request Forms (PRFs) is no later than **March 23, 2022 by 3:00 p.m.***

5. Adjournment.

Motion to adjourn made at 3:02 p.m. by Santos Lucero and seconded by Yvette Hernandez. Motion passed unanimously.

Approved as to content:



Marisol Enriquez, Recording Secretary for the
Transportation Project Advisory Committee