MEETING NOTICE

There will be a Transportation Policy Committee meeting held on:

**DATE:**  Wednesday, June 21, 2017

**TIME:**  1:30 p.m.

**PLACE:**  WMSRDC Offices- 3rd Floor of Terrace Plaza
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WESTPLAN TRANSPORTATION POLICY COMMITTEE

AGENDA

May 17, 2017

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. APPROVAL OF THE PREVIOUS MINUTES (MARCH 15, 2017) - (ATTACHMENT I) (ACTION)

III. PUBLIC COMMENT

IV. TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

   o FY2017-2020 TIP - (INFORMATION)

V. WESTPLAN UNIFIED WORK PROGRAM FY2018- Joel- (EMAILED ATTACHMENT) (ACTION)

VI. AIR QUALITY UPDATE- Amy- (INFORMATION)

VII. MDOT GRAND REGION NON-MORORIZED TRANSPORTATION PLAN- Steve Redmond- (INFORMATION)

VIII. MPO ROUNDTABLE

IX. NEW BUSINESS

X. PUBLIC COMMENT

XI. ADJOURNMENT
ATTACHMENT I

WEST MICHIGAN METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PROGRAM
(WESTPLAN) POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING

MEETING MINUTES
May 17, 2017

I. CALL TO ORDER
Vice-Chairperson Edd Whalen called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

ATTENDANCE
A. Members Present
   Edd Whalen, City of Whitehall (Vice-Chairperson)
   Byron Turnquist, City of Muskegon
   Betty Gajewski, Ottawa County Road Commission
   Jack Kennedy, Muskegon County Road Commission
   Melissa Klos, City of Roosevelt Park
   Dennis Scott, City of Grand Haven
   Susie Hughes, MATS
   Elmer Hoyle, Ravenna Township
   Leon Stille, Crockery Township
   Robert Monetza, Harbor Transit
   Bill Mogren, City of North Muskegon
   Roger Vanderstelt, Village of Fruitport
   Steve Redmond, MDOT Grand Region

B. Members Not Present
   Kay Beecham, City of Norton Shores
   Bonnie McGlothin, City of Muskegon Heights
   Roger Bergman, Ottawa County (Chairperson)
   Rillastine Wilkins, Muskegon County Commissioner
   Kim Arter, Lakeview Township
   Regina Sjoberg, City of Ferrysburg
   Mark Powers, Village of Spring Lake
   John Lanum, MDOT Lansing
   Tim Todd, City of Montague
   Aaron Dawson, FHWA (Non-Voting)

C. Others Present
   Laird Schaeffer, Citizen
   LeighAnn Mikesell, MDOT
   Karen Wynne, Disability Network West Michigan
   Lisa Sullivan, Disability Network West Michigan

D. Staff Present
   Brian Mulnix, WMSRDC
   Amy Haack, WMSRDC
   Joel Fitzpatrick, WMSRDC
II. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES (MARCH 15, 2017) – A motion was made to approve the minutes from the March 2017 meeting as submitted. Motion approved. m/s Hughes/ Kennedy

III. PUBLIC COMMENT - There were no comments from the public.

IV. FY 2017-2020 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM –

Amendment E: Mr. Mulnix reviewed the attached 2017-2020 TIP Amendment E summary. A motion was made and supported to approve the FY2017-2020 TIP Amendment E, as presented by staff. Motion approved. m/s Hughes/Scott

**FY2017-2020 TIP Amendment E**

**Pioneer Resources-**

**FY2018**

Cost Change to FY 2018 FTA GPA, new totals: $441,463 Federal, $164,753 State

- New project added to FTA GPA - 5310- New Freedom- Operating - Federal $14,850 State $14,850 State (CTF), Total $29,700

**City of Muskegon-**

**FY2017**

Change to local funding - Laketon Avenue from Getty to Creston- MDOT Job # 123986, Federal remains as programmed at $1,159,909. Local will increase from $232,000 to $1,015,786; adjusted project total cost $2,175,695

**MDOT**

**FY2017**

Add new GPA - Road CPM, $350,000 Total, $280,000 Federal, $70,000 State

- New Project added to GPA Road CPM - JN 200359 Road CPM, Route: M-37, Location: 550’ east of the M-46/M-37 roundabout east to the Muskegon East County Line, in Muskegon County, Work: Cold milling and HMA overlay, Cost: $350,000, CON Phase only, Funding is from FY17 Road CPM bid savings


- **New Project- GPA Funding**- Local Highway Safety GPA- JN: 200374 Norton Shores Location: At Michigan Shore Railroad in the City of Norton Shores, Muskegon County, Work: Install new crossing surface, Fed: $0 Local: $0 State: $56,200 Total: $56,200

**City of Muskegon Heights**-

Add (2) projects to the Illustrative Project List

**FY2019**

TEDF- Hackley Avenue from Park street to Fifth Street- Federal $296,000 Local $74,000 Total $370,000

TEDF- Broadway Avenue from Glade to 6th Street- Federal $400,000 Local $100,000 Total $500,000

**City of North Muskegon**-

Add (1) project to the Illustrative Project List

**FY2019**

TEDF- Whitehall Road from Lake Avenue to City Limits (West of Ruddiman)- Federal $375,000 Local $143,000 Total $518,000

V. **MDOT PRESENTATION- TOWARD ZERO DEATHS- STEVE REDMOND**

Mr. Redmond presented to the committee a PowerPoint presentation regarding the Toward Zero Deaths campaign that is being promoted by the State of Michigan. Discussion took place throughout the presentation as well as after it was done. Mr. Redmond

VI. **MPO ROUNDTABLE**

- Mr. Mulnix informed the committee about a pilot project between GVMC, MACC, and WMSRDC to look at way finding standards with regards to non-motorized trails and facilities in the Grand Region.
- Mr. Mulnix informed the committee about the FY2017 PASER and Traffic Count Programs that are in full swing.
Mr. Mulnix discussed the FY2018 Unified Work Program that will be brought before the committee in June.

Mr. Mulnix discussed the Governors Michigan Infrastructure Asset Management Project that is being funded through the Governor’s office, and will be a pilot project for SEMCOG and Region 4 which includes GVMC, MACC, and WMSRDC and covers 13 counties.

Mr. Mulnix discussed the upcoming Training Wheels workshop that will be held in the City of Muskegon Heights.

Mr. Redmond discussed the MDOT Grand Region Non-Motorized Plan that will be completed soon.

Mr. Redmond updated the committee on the Local Safety Initiative that is currently being completed by a consultant.

Mr. Shaefer asked about rumble strips and how the discussion that the group had with Sgt. Roeseler was different than what was presented in Mr. Redmond’s presentation. It was pointed out that there are two different types of rumble strips being discussed, those for speed determent, and those for keeping vehicles on the roadway.

Ms. Wynne and Ms. Sullivan discussed the need for including ADA related standards with future projects, and that there is a deficiency of ADA facilities throughout the county with relation to the public transit service.

VII. PUBLIC COMMENT – There was no comment from the public.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT – Meeting was adjourned at 3:10 p.m.
ATTACHMENT II  
(Emailed Attachment) 

WESTPLAN 2018 UNIFIED WORK PROGRAM (UWP) 

This document serves as a guide and budget for all work activities that will be administered by the MPO during FY2018. Budget numbers are provided by MDOT. Comments received from MDOT and FHWA will be incorporated into the final approved document. 

The West Michigan Shoreline Regional Development Commission recommends that this committee adopt the FY2018 Unified Work Program.