



**Radcliff/Elizabethtown MPO  
Technical Advisory Committee  
Minutes  
April 10, 2019**

The Radcliff/Elizabethtown MPO Technical Advisory Committee met on Wednesday, April 10, 2019 at 10:00 am at Lincoln Trail ADD.

**Attendees:**

Mrs. Vicki Meredith, Chairperson, Hardin County Engineering  
Mr. Jim Shaw, City of Elizabethtown Planning & Development  
Mrs. Jessica Irwin, City of Vine Grove  
Mr. Murray Wanner, City of Radcliff Planning & Development  
Mr. Joe Redmon, Transit Authority of Central Kentucky  
Mr. Brad Bottoms, KYTC District 4 Project Development  
Mrs. Katie Hornback, KYTC District 4 Planning  
Mr. Kevin Young, KYTC District 4 Planning  
Mr. Charlie Allen, KYTC District 4 Planning  
Mr. Mike Skaggs, Radcliff/Elizabethtown MPO

**Chairperson:** Mrs. Vicki Meredith

**Call to Order:** 10:00 am

**1. Introductions**

With a couple of new people attending the meeting, Chairperson Meredith asked everyone to introduce themselves and tell who they represent.

**2. Approval item: Minutes from April 10, 2019 Meeting**

Chairperson Meredith asked the committee members to review the minutes. Mr. Murray Wanner made a motion to approve the minutes, the motion was seconded by Mr. Joe Redmon. The minutes were approved with no objections.

**2. SHIFT 2020 Regional Prioritization**

The committee was provided with a spreadsheet detailing all of the sponsored projects in the MPO planning area with the SHIFT 2020 technical scores provided by KYTC. For comparison purposes, the committee was also given a copy of the 2017 sponsored and boosted projects. For the SHIFT 2020 process, the MPO is allowed to boost six (6) of the sponsored projects by adding 15 additional points to the technical score. KYTC District 4 also has the opportunity to add 15 additional points to projects. Mr. Mike Skaggs mentioned that it may be a good idea to

coordinate with District 4 to possibly double boost some of the projects. Mr. Skaggs also mentioned that four (4) projects that were boosted in 2017 remain on the list for consideration. These include: KY 251, US 31W, and US 62 in Hardin County and KY 79 in Meade County. The projects with the 4 highest technical scores were not boosted in 2017 and the top 2 are newly sponsored for the 2020 process. The committee reviewed and discussed several projects and ultimately decided to boost the following projects:

- KY 1357 – Extension of New Glendale Road from US 31W to Commerce Drive in Elizabethtown.
- KY 434 – Address Geometric Deficiencies and Maintenance Issues along KY 434 between US 31W and KY 251
- KY 251 – KY 251 Improvements from KY 3005 to KY 434.
- KY 79 – Reconstruct KY 79 from KY 144 to KY 1051.
- KY 3005 – Extend Ring Road from the Western Kentucky Parkway to I-65 (2-Lane Initial/4-Lane Ultimate)
- US 62 – Improve Safety, Mobility, and Geometric Deficiencies on US 62 from I-65 to Upper Colesburg Road

Mr. Joe Redmon made a motion to recommend these six (6) projects to the MPO Policy Committee for review and final approval. The motion was seconded by Mr. Jim Shaw. Motion carried.

### **3. Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP) 2045**

Mr. Skaggs provided the committee with a brief update on the progress of the 2045 Metropolitan Transportation Plan. To date, work has started on data collection and information gathering and putting together some of the introductory sections of the MTP. A public survey was developed and distributed in mid-June and will remain open until July 19. As of the date of the meeting, approximately 140 responses to the online survey have been received. Paper copies of the survey have been distributed to several locations in Hardin and Meade counties and will be picked up after the July 19 deadline. The next steps in the process include: compiling a list of projects to be considered for inclusion in the MTP, finalizing the scoring criteria by which the projects will be evaluated, completion of existing conditions portions of the plan, and scoring of the highway projects. There is a significant amount of work to be completed over the next few months. A public meeting is planned for sometime in the fall.

### **4. District 4 Project Update**

#### **PROJECT UPDATES (ALL FUTURE LETTING DATES ARE TENTATIVE)**

##### **Hardin County: 7/9/19**

- (4-153.01) KY 251 improvements – AEI – In R/W phase
- (4-198.00) Ring Road extension – No funds in new highway plan
- (4-8801.00) KY 1357 widening – WMB – In R/W phase
- (4-1093.00) US 62 bridge at Nelson County line – Dec. 2019 Letting

**J-Turn Initiatives:**

- (4-9008.40) – KY 220, KY 434, Blackjack Rd – July Letting
- (4-9008.10,.20,.30) Layman Ln., Bankview Dr., Starlite Ctr. – To be completed with rehab project, KY 447 is undecided

**In Construction:**

- (4-7020.00) E'town Cardinal Drive – Let May 2019 – 7/1/20 Completion – Will start 7/15
- (4-8906.00) – Centennial Drive – Agreement with Radcliff – Complete except Fairmont Dr.
- (4-170.00) KY 313 Widening – Let May 2018 – Phillips Bros Construction – 10/15/19 Completion
- Bluegrass Parkway Resurfacing – MP 0-6 – Westbound – Mid August completion
- US 31WB from WK to US 31W – Micro-surface Pavement – Let Dec 2018 – 9/30/19 Completion August start
- (4-199.00) US 31W Bridge over RR in West Point Rehab – Let Mar 2019 – Will begin again in a week or so
- (4-10012.00) KY 2800 Bridge over Sandy Creek – Flint Hill area – Let March 2019 – 8/15/20 to complete – Spring 2020 start

**Corrective Work:**

- I-65 MP 82-91 – Fall completion
- ECTC Parking Lot – August 30 completion
- KY 220 bridge replacement – Fall completion
- Bewley Hollow Rd bridge – Fall completion

**Meade County: 7/9/19**

- (4-8702.00) KY 79 from KY 428 to KY 144 – CDP Consulting – No funds in Biennium – D,R,U,C in out years
- (4-8703.00) KY 79 from US 60 to KY 428 – CDP Consulting – No funds in Biennium
- (4-8705.00) KY 79 from KY 1051 to KY 144 – No funds in Biennium – U,C in out years
- Brandenburg Sidewalks down Main St. to river park - City Grant – In design

**Intersection Improvements – (4-9006.00) HSIP: 7/9/19**

- Meade – US 31W @ Wendell St. – Evaluating
- Meade – US 31W @ KY 1638 - Evaluating
- Hardin – US 62 @ Poplar St. - Evaluating

5. **Public Comments** – No public comments.

6. **Other Business** – No other business.

7. **Adjournment:**

**Time:** 11:20 am

The next meeting was set for Wednesday, August 7 at 10:00 am. With no other business to come before the committee, Chairperson Meredith adjourned the meeting.