



**Radcliff/Elizabethtown MPO  
Technical Advisory Committee  
Minutes  
August 22, 2024**

The Radcliff/Elizabethtown MPO Technical Advisory Committee met on Thursday, August 22, 2024 at 10:00 am at the Lincoln Trail Area Development District in Elizabethtown.

**Attendees:**

- Mr. Adam King, Chairman, Hardin County Planning & Development
- Mr. Joe Reverman, Vice-Chairman, City of Elizabethtown Planning & Development
- Mr. Charlie Allen, Lincoln Trail ADD
- Mr. Don Cox, Elizabethtown Airport Board
- Mr. Mark Absher, Hardin County
- Mr. Isidro Delgado, KYTC Division of Planning
- Mr. Aaron Hawkins, City of Elizabethtown
- Mr. Kevin Young, KYTC District 4 Planning
- Mr. Kevin Blain, KYTC District 4 Project Development
- Mr. Jake Zimmerer, Lincoln Trail ADD
- Mr. Chris Mayhew, City of Vine Grove
- Ms. Ava Oljeski, Lincoln Trail ADD

**Guests**

- Mrs. Patty Dunaway, Micheal Baker International

**Chairman:** Mr. Adam King

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

**1. Approval item: Minutes from July 5, 2024 Meeting**

Chris Mayhew made a motion to approve the minute. The motion was seconded by Mr. Isidro Dalgado. Motion carried.

**2. Public Transportation Study Update (Mrs. Patty Dunaway, Micheal Baker International)**

Patty Dunaway with Micheal Baker international (MBI) attended the meeting to provide the committee with an update on the Public Transportation Study. First, Mrs. Dunaway discussed the potential three (3) phased recommendations:

Phase 1 – Immediate Implementation – Coordinate additional TACK vanpools with Baptist Health, ECTC, BlueOvalSK, and Fort Knox. Also, work with stakeholders to consider incorporating a program similar to Every Commute Counts (led by TARC with

Fort Knox) that will consider incentives for employees/students to use vanpools.

Phase 2 – Near Term Implementation – Acquire additional cutaway buses and implement 3 fixed routes – Elizabethtown Circulator, Radcliff/Vine Grove Circulator, and Fort Knox/Elizabethtown Connector.

Phase 3 – Long Term – Purchase/build new vehicle storage and maintenance facility. Also, potentially purchase 40-foot buses for the most popular fixed routes.

Mrs. Dunaway also covered the story map website, survey results, and the poster that will make up the study report. The project will be completed by the end of September.

### **3. 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP) (Mr. Jake Zimmerer, Information and Discussion)**

Mr. Jake Zimmerer provided the committee with a proposed timeline for the 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP). The proposed schedule covers all phases of the MTP development, which is due for completion in January 2025. Mr. Jake Zimmerer also presented a scored list of all of the current CHAF road projects to the committee and the scoring criteria based on which they had been scored. Discussion then ensued about potential updates to the scoring criteria as well as potential adjustments that may need to be made to the scores so that they would be accurately evaluated and ready to be put into the MTP.

The next steps in the MTP process include a review of the updated demographic/land use/environmental sections of the plan as well as final discussion of the scored projects. This will be covered in the following TAC meeting on September 19<sup>th</sup>.

### **4. District 4 Project Update – Mr. Kevin Young**

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

**Hardin County:** 8/6/24

##### **In Construction:**

(4-20.01) I-65 Interchange at KY 222 in Glendale – Let January 2022 – Scotty’s – **Will come back for thermo when plant gets more paving done**

(4-153.02) KY 251 at KY 434 Roundabout – February ‘24 Letting – Scotty’s – **Under construction – 11/1/24 Completion**

(4-8801.00) KY 1357 widening – WMB – June ‘23 letting – **Number of Working days left will take them into next year.**

(4-10052.00) US 62 bridge over Slough off Rolling Fork – Let Feb ‘24 – 11/30/24 Completion – **Bridge closing 8/12, 90 day closure**

##### **Pre-Construction:**

(4-29.00) I-65 interchange at KY 1136 – Initial environmental and IJS work – AECOM – D,R,U Funded in Biennium

(4-202.00) Bypass of Glendale – D,R,U,C Sate Funded biennium – **Held Public Meeting 7/30 – taking surveys, will select alternate by end of September**

(4-153.01) KY 251 from Ring Rd to KY 434 – AEI – C Funded in Biennium – **Will try to let in biennium**

(4-153.06) HSIP - Roundabout at KY 251/KY 3005 – Currently being designed – **Adding to 4-153.01 project**

(4-154.30) US 31W from Veterans Way to Knox Blvd. in Radcliff – Palmer Designing – R,U State Funded in biennium – Focusing on Vine St north for now

(4-171.00) KY 1136 from KY 1868 to US 31W – Buying R/W and moving Utilities – **December ‘24 Letting**

(4-198.00) Ring Road extension – In Design – R,U Funded in Biennium – **Expect FHWA approval by end of year – Public hearing this fall**

(4-286.10) I-65 Weigh Station – D,R in Biennium – **Beginning R/W and working with HCWD2 on sewer line**

(4-442.00) US 62 from I-65 to Upper Colesburg Rd – D State Funded in biennium – No Movement

(4-954.00) HSIP or (4-80310) – US 62 at Bypass Ramps and Nicholas St. – HDR designing – Currently being designed – **Hope to let next year, depends on RR**

(4-955.00) HSIP – Roundabout at US 31W/KY 84 – Currently being designed

- (4-80200.00) US 62 from Brooks St. to Gregory St. – Lochmueller Designing – R,U State Funded biennium – **Public Meeting August 13th**
- (4-80250.00) Extend Ring Rd from US 31W to Lincoln Parkway - D Fed Funds, R & U State Funds in biennium – **D funds authorized – QK4 Designing**
- (4-201.00) Remove 2 CSX at grade crossing on Quarry Rd in Upton, construct 1 separated grade crossing – D,R,U,C in biennium – Working on Grant
- (4-80301.00) KY 1600 from Patriot Pkwy to KY 220 – D State Funds in biennium
- (4-80303.00) – Commerce Dr from US 31W to Springfield Rd – D, R in biennium – NH fund so can't use – **Potentially do US31W/KY 1136 intersection with SS4A**
- (4-80351.00) – Meeting Creek Bridge over P&L RR – D,R,U,C in biennium – Will contract with county
- (4-80364.00) – US 31W from bottom of Muldraugh hill to KY 44 in Jefferson Co. – D State Funds in biennium

**Meade County:** 8/6/24

**In Construction:**

- (4-9011.20) HSIP – US 31W @ KY 1638 Adv. Warn. Signs and Flashers – Let March '23 – **Complete**

**Pre-Construction:**

- (4-8702.00) KY 79 from KY 477 to KY 144 – R & U is State Funded in next Biennium – Reworking plans to remove diversions
- (4-8705.00) KY 79 from KY 144 to KY 313 – Burgess & Niple – U,C State Funds in Biennium – Buying R/W, ~89% complete – **Plan to begin U when R/W complete**
- (4-10078.00) Ohio River Bridge – C Funds Biennium
- (4-80305.00) KY 313 from Hardin County to KY 1638 – D is State Funded in Biennium
- (4-80309.00) KY 313 from KY 448 to KY 228 – D is State Funded in Biennium – **Hope to start Planning Study later this year.**

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

**6. Other Business** – A change to the scheduling of the next MPO TAC meeting was discussed as to better accommodate the schedule required for the completion of the MTP. The next meeting date was moved up to September 19<sup>th</sup>.

**7. Adjournment:**

**Time:** 11:00 am

With no other business to come before the committee, the meeting was adjourned at 11:00 am.

\*The next MPO TAC meeting will be held on Thursday, September 19<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 pm at Lincoln Trail ADD.