



#### TRANSPORTATION POLICY COMMITTEE

I 2:30 PM, Thursday, September 25, 2025 KIPDA Burke Room I 1520 Commonwealth Drive Louisville, Kentucky 40299

## Please review the following notes:

- TPC members and the public may attend and participate in the meeting at KIPDA or online via Zoom.
- All TPC voting members participating online must activate their web cameras during the meeting per Kentucky Open Meetings and Open Records Statutes.
- There will be a public comment period at the beginning of the TPC meeting. The public may also submit comments in advance of the meeting by emailing <a href="mailto:KIPDA.trans@kipda.org">KIPDA.trans@kipda.org</a>.

#### **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order, Welcome, Roll Call
- 2. August TPC Meeting Minutes Review and approval (see enclosed). Action Requested.
- 3. Public Comment Period The TPC Chair will facilitate a review of comments submitted prior to the TPC meeting and entertain comments offered as part of Agenda Item #3.
- 4. Public Involvement Report Staff will report on activities undertaken to engage the public, comments received, and future public involvement opportunities (see enclosed).
- 5. KY Rail Plan Members from KYTC and their consulting team will be on hand to discuss the development of the KY Rail Plan.
- 6. Unified Planning Work Program Amendment Staff will discuss an amendment to the UPWP. **Action Requested**
- 7. Kentucky Cost Increases Staff will provide recommendations for cost increases for projects in Kentucky. **Action Requested**
- 8. Phase Shifts Staff will provide recommendations for phase shifts exemptions for projects.

  Action Requested
- 9. Administrative Modifications to the FY 2025-FY 2028 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) & Connecting Kentuckiana 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP) Staff will present information on Administrative Modifications to the MTP and TIP.

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- 10. Kentucky-Indiana Transportation Excellence Award Staff will highlight the 11th annual KITE award and how to nominate eligible projects.
- 11. Call for Projects Staff will discuss the latest timeline for the Call for Projects on STBG funds including the ongoing public comment period.

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- 12. MPO Director's Report
- 13. Other Business
- 14. Adjourn



# MEETING MINUTES TRANSPORTATION POLICY COMMITTEE (TPC)

12:30 p.m., August 28, 2025 In-Person and Via Video Conference

#### Call to Order

Chair Jack Coffman called the meeting to order at 12:31 p.m. After roll call was taken, it was determined that there was a quorum present.

#### Review and Approval of TPC Minutes

Isidro Delgado, Kentucky Transportation Cabinet (KYTC), made a motion to approve the minutes for the June TPC meeting. Jerry Summers, Bullitt County, seconded the motion. Motion carried with a unanimous vote.

#### **Public Comment Period**

There were no public comments.

#### Public Involvement Report

Greg Burress, KIPDA staff, reported on activities undertaken to engage the public. No action was required.

# Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A)

Spencer Williams, KIPDA staff, presented the SS4A regional action plan for TPC adoption. There was discussion. Matt Meunier, City of Jeffersontown, made a motion to adopt the SS4A regional action plan. J. Byron Chapman, Jefferson County League of Cities, seconded the motion. Motion carried with a unanimous vote.

# Amendment 1/10 to the FY 2025-2028 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)/Connecting Kentuckiana 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP)

Brady Hill, KIPDA staff, sought approval for Amendment 1/10 to the TIP and MTP.

J. Byron Chapman, Jefferson County League of Cities, made a motion to approve Amendment I to the TIP. Matt Meunier, City of Jeffersontown, seconded the motion. Motion carried with a unanimous vote.

Matt Meunier, City of Jeffersontown, made a motion to approve Amendment 10 to the MTP. Jerry Summers, Bullitt County, seconded the motion. Motion carried with a unanimous vote.

#### **Indiana Cost Increases**

Brady Hill, KIPDA staff, provided recommendations on cost increases for projects in Indiana. Jerry Summers, Bullitt County, made a motion to approve the cost increases. Rick Tonini, City of St. Matthews, seconded the motion. Motion carried with a unanimous vote.

#### SHIFT 2026 Boost

Spencer Williams, KIPDA staff, presented recommended projects to receive boosting in the SHIFT process. J. Byron Chapman, Jefferson County League of Cities, made a motion to approve the recommended boosts. Matt Meunier, City of Jeffersontown, seconded the motion. Motion carried with a unanimous vote.

Administrative Modifications 2/3 to the FY 2025-2028 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and 27/28 Connecting Kentuckiana 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP)

Brady Hill, KIPDA staff, presented information on Administrative Modifications 2 and 3 to the FY 2025-2028 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP), also listed as Administrative Modification 27 and 28 to Connecting Kentuckiana 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP). No action was required.

# Participation Plan

Greg Burress, KIPDA staff, discussed the update of the KIPDA Participation Plan. No action was required.

### **MPO Director's Report**

Andy Rush, KIPDA staff, provided the following:

- Recognized committee members who joined after roll call
- INDIANA STIP should be live soon
- Discussed AASHTO meeting on how state DOTs and MPOs can work better together

#### **Other Business**

There was no other business.

### **Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 1:29 p.m.

Andy Rush	
Recording Secretary	

**Members Present:** 

Representing: Jerry Summers **Bullitt County** Cliff Schrimp City of Charlestown Matt Meunier City of Jeffersontown City of St. Matthews Rick Tonini Jack Coffman (Chair) Clark County Federal Highway Administration - Kentucky \*Tonya Higdon

Nick Creevy Kathy Eaton-McKalip Indiana Department of Transportation

Tony McClellan Indiana Department of Transportation - Seymour Jefferson County League of Cities J. Byron Chapman

Ísidro Delgado Kentucky Transportation Cabinet Kentucky Transportation Cabinet - District 5 \*Tom Hall

Flannery O'Neil Louisville Metro Air Pollution Control District Nicole George (Vice Chair) Louisville Metro Government

Darrell Watson Louisville Regional Airport Authority **TARC** 

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#### **Members Absent:**

City of Jeffersonville City of New Albany City of Shively Clark County

\*Federal Aviation Administration – Memphis

\*Federal Highway Administration - Indiana

\*Federal Transit Administration - Region 4

\*Louisville Metro Planning & Design Services

Oldham County Town of Clarksville

\*U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

# Agenda Item #2

#### **Other Attendees**

Diana Mitchen
Helen Hacker

Burgess & Niple
Greater Louisville Inc.

Robert Frazier HDR Inc.

Julie Feltner Indiana Department of Transportation – Seymour Hayley Thomas Indiana Department of Transportation – Seymour Brian Eaton Kentucky Transportation Cabinet – District 5 Tracy Lovell Kentucky Transportation Cabinet – District 5

Elijah Beliles KIPDA
Greg Burress KIPDA
Eronmonsele Esekhaigbe KIPDA
Jarrett Haley KIPDA
Zach Herzog KIPDA
Brady Hill KIPDA
Andy Rush KIPDA
Randy Simon KIPDA
Spencer Williams KIPDA

Mike King Louisville Metro Government

David Harrison Louisville Metro Public Works & Assets

John Kraft MAC Construction
Karen Mohammadi Michael Baker International

<sup>\*</sup> Denotes Advisory Members





Agenda Item #4

## **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Transportation Policy Committee

FROM: Greg Burress

DATE: September 18, 2025

SUBJECT: Public Involvement Report

The attached report outlines outreach efforts from August of 2025. Social media and website analytics are included in the attached report. Facebook and Instagram both saw increases in reach and impressions. KIPDA attended a couple of events in the month of August. Public comments received from those events are included in the report.

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Agenda Item #6

#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Transportation Policy Committee (TTCC)

FROM: Andy Rush

DATE: September 18, 2025

SUBJECT: Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) Amendment

The FY 2026 Unified Planning Work Program was approved earlier this calendar year and is in need of an amendment. This amendment covers three items as described below:

- I) TARC has requested an amendment to the KIPDA UPWP so that it includes the planning phase of the Downtown Transit Center Planning Study. This project is the recipient of STBG-MPO funds from Indiana and Kentucky and is in the KIPDA TIP.
- 2) The original UPWP included an estimate of the Indiana carryover funds that were expected to be available. That estimate of \$170,000 has been reduced in the UPWP amendment to the actual amount of \$134,312.
- 3) The original UPWP included an estimate of funds to be "Reserved for PL Studies". Since the approval of the FY 2026 UPWP, PL funds have been awarded to Louisville Metro Government and also to the City of Shepherdsville.

The amended FY 2026 UPWP with the changes made can be found at the following link:

**UPWP** Amendment

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Action is requested.







Agenda Item #7

#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Transportation Policy Committee

FROM: Brady Hill

DATE: September 15, 2025

SUBJECT: Kentucky MPO-Dedicated Cost Increases

KIPDA staff will present a summary of the most recent Kentucky MPO-dedicated biannual review meeting that took place on August 25, 2025. Meeting members came to a unanimous funding recommendation to the TTCC for KIPDA's remaining unprogrammed FY25/FY26 STBG Cost Increase Reserve funds. The TTCC also unanimously approved this same recommendation to the TPC. KIPDA staff will present their recommendation for FY26 funding as shown below.

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FY25 STBG Cost Increase Reserve Remaining: \$1,595,854

FY26 STBG Cost Increase Reserve Remaining: \$4,715,046

Total STBG Cost Increase Reserve Funding Available: \$6,310,900







# STBG Funding Recommendation from the TTCC:

Project Sponsor	Project Name	KIPDA ID	State ID	Phase	Request FY	Federal Request Amount
Mt. Washington	Historic Memorial Multi-Use Trail	2479	5-3216.00	С	FY26	\$839,015
KYTC	English Station Road	188	5-353.00	U	FY26	\$2,800,000
University of	2nd Street/3rd Street/Museum Drive Intersection and Brandeis Avenue Pedestrian Improvements	2982		D	FY26	\$47,776
, ,	2nd Street/3rd Street/Museum Drive Intersection and Brandeis Avenue Pedestrian Improvements	2982		U	FY26	\$422,720
University of	2nd Street/3rd Street/Museum Drive Intersection and Brandeis Avenue Pedestrian Improvements	2982		С	FY26	\$104,000
Oldham County	LaGrange Underpass West of LaGrange	321	5-434.00	D	FY26	\$120,000
Oldham County	Mattingly/Old LaGrange Road Trail	2981	5-589.00	D	FY26	\$260,000
	KY 22/Clore Lane Intersection Improvements	3141	5-596.00	D	FY26	\$49,458
	River Road Multi-Modal Improvements - 3rd Street to 7th Street (TA Project)	2540	5-3217.00	С	FY26	\$400,000
	Bus Stop and Access Improvements - Muhammad Ali and Chestnut Street Corridor	3137		С	FY26	\$105,639
TARC	Bus Stop Improvements at Transit Node Eastern Parkway and Preston/Shelby Street	3129		D	FY25	\$63,000

Funding the projects in the table above totaling \$5,211,608 would leave \$1,099,292 available in the STBG Cost Increase Reserve for the remainder of FY26.

# **Action Requested**





Agenda Item #8

#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Transportation Policy Committee

FROM: Brady Hill

DATE: September 15, 2025

SUBJECT: Kentucky Phase Shift Exception Requests

KIPDA staff will present a phase shift exception request for MPO-Dedicated projects. According to the Project Management Guidebook (PMG), these exception requests are necessitated by a project phase's need for a third phase shift before the obligation of any utility, right-of-way, or construction phases as explained below.

Phase shift policy chart from the Project Management Guidebook:

ALLOWABLE SHIFTS						
After Initial Design Obligation and Before Next Phase is Obligated	After Obligation of Any Phase Beyond Design (R, U, or C)					
2 shifts + 1 exception	unlimited					

- While a project is under design the sponsor can shift the right-of-way, utilities, and construction phase twice. If the sponsor needs to shift a third time it must request an exception.
- If a phase of a project (R, U, C) requires a fourth shift (after initial design obligation and before obligation of the next phase) all future programmed MPO dedicated funds will be removed from the TIP and the project will have to re-compete through the next Call for Projects.

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# **Action Requested**







Agenda Item #9

#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Transportation Policy Committee (TPC)

FROM: Chris Nicolas

DATE: September 18, 2025

SUBJECT: Administrative Modifications to the FY 2025-2028 Transportation Improvement

Program (TIP) and Connecting Kentuckiana 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan

(MTP)

KIPDA staff will discuss Administrative Modification 4 to the FY25-FY28 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP), also listed as Administrative Modification 29 to Connecting Kentuckiana 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP).

A Draft of Administrative Modification 4 (MTP 29) is included in this packet. Some modifications included are pending TPC approval of Agenda Items 7 and 8. A draft with any final adjustments to the included project list will be sent to KYTC and INDOT for STIP updates following the meeting.

Qualifying criteria for administrative modifications include the following actions:

- Correcting minor data entry errors.
- Splitting or combining projects without modifying the original project intent.
- Changing or clarifying elements of a project description (with no change in funding). This change would not alter the original project's intention.
- Moving a project from one funding category to another.
- Shifting the schedule of a project or phase within the years covered by the STIP/TIP (with no impact to fiscal constraint).
- Adding Planning, Design, ROW or Utilities phases to a construction project that is already included in the STIP.
- Updating project cost estimates (within the original project scope and intent) which do not impact fiscal constraint and updating the estimated total project cost in the MTP when applicable.
- Adding projects that are considered "grouped projects" that do not require public review, redemonstration of fiscal constraint, or a conformity determination.

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These modifications are presented for your information only. The changes do not affect the fiscal constraint of the TIP or progress of other projects in the program. Scan the QR code below to access the packet.

No Action is Requested

