



Mid-Region Council of Governments
Metropolitan Transportation Board's
TRANSPORTATION COORDINATING COMMITTEE
Friday, November 3, 2023 (A hybrid meeting)
1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.



**This will be a hybrid meeting. Please let us know if you will be attending in person (voluntary).
The Zoom link can be found below.**

Call to Order

A roll-call of those in attendance will be done. The presence of a quorum will be noted.

TAB 1

Approval of the November 3, 2023 Agenda

TAB 2

Approval of the October 6, 2023 Action Summary

PUBLIC COMMENTS AND REPORTS

TAB 3

Public Comments

Anyone who wishes to address the TCC must call-in and identify themselves

TAB 4

Reports

- ❖ Mid Region Metropolitan Planning Organization (MRMPO) Staff
- ❖ Active Transportation Committee (ATC)
- ❖ Congestion Management Process Committee (CMP)
- ❖ Intelligent Transportation Systems Subcommittee (ITS)
- ❖ Land Use & Transportation Integration Committee (LUTI)
- ❖ Transportation Program Technical Group (TPTG)

ACTION ITEMS

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Amending the FFY 2023-2024 Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP)

TAB 6

Approving Next Year's Meeting Dates

DISCUSSION ITEMS / INFORMATION

TAB 7

2045 Transitions Metropolitan Transportation Plan: Agency Kickoff

MPO staff will present a high-level overview of the metropolitan transportation plan update including what's new, proposed updates to the goals, committee roles and expectations, and the timeline. This will be an interactive session as the MPO staff will be seeking feedback.

NOTES

NEXT MEETING:

Friday, December 1, 2023 from 1:30 PM to 3:00 PM
Mid-Region Council of Governments
809 Copper Ave. NW
(505) 724-3616

Anyone requiring special accommodations is requested to notify the MRCOG office at (505) 247-1750 seven (7) days prior to the meeting or e-mail kbenavidez@mrcog-nm.gov

ZOOM LINK

Topic: TCC Monthly Meeting

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Mid-Region Council of Governments / Metropolitan Transportation Board's
TRANSPORTATION COORDINATING COMMITTEE



Roster
Updated 05-31-2023



Chair Debbie Bauman

Vice-Chair Nancy Perea

ORGANIZATION	MEMBER	ALTERNATE
City of ABQ Council Services	Tom Menicucci	Jeff Hertz
City of ABQ Environmental Health	Allen Smith	
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Albuq/Bern County Air Quality Control Board	Vacant	Vacant
Federal Highway Administration	Vacant	
Greater Albuq Bicycling Advisory Committee	Vacant	Vacant
Kirtland Air Force Base	Vacant	Vacant
Santa Ana Pueblo	Nathan Tsosie	



Mid-Region Council of Governments
Metropolitan Transportation Board's
TRANSPORTATION COORDINATING COMMITTEE
Friday, October 6, 2023 (A hybrid meeting)
Action Summary



Debbie Bauman, Chair

Nancy Perea, Vice-Chair

AGENDA

Call to Order

Chair Debbie Bauman, City of ABQ, called the meeting to order at 2:35 PM. The presence of a quorum was noted. The attendance sheet is included in this Action Summary.

Note that this meeting was in a hybrid format.

TAB 1

Approval of the October 6, 2023, Agenda

Action Taken:

Grant Brodehl, RMRTD, made a motion to:

APPROVE THE AGENDA FOR October 6, 2023

Brian Lopez, Bernalillo County, seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously on a roll-call vote of 23 in favor and none opposed. See the voting sheet.

TAB 2

Approval of the August 4, 2023, Action Summary

Action Taken:

Richard Meadows, Bernalillo County, made a motion to:

APPROVE THE ACTION SUMMARY OF August 4, 2023

Brian Lopez, Bernalillo County, seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously on a vote of 23 in favor and none opposed. See the voting sheet.

PUBLIC COMMENTS AND REPORTS

TAB 3

Public Comments

There were no requests from the public to address the Transportation Coordinating Committee.

TAB 4

Reports

❖ **Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) Staff –**

Steven Montiel, MRMPO Transportation Program Manager, introduced the MPO's new GIS Analyst II, Andrew Vanetsky. Mr. Montiel also informed the committee that the MPO is hiring for intern positions.

Steven Montiel and TCC Chair Debbie Bauman discussed the upcoming TPF call for projects from NMDOT. Ms. Bauman requested a presentation prior to the next call for projects to clear up confusion on eligibility requirements.

Kendra Montanari, MRMPO Transportation Planning and Technical Services Manager had no reports.

❖ **Active Transportation Committee (ATC) –**

Tara Cok, MRMPO Active Transportation Planner had no reports.

❖ **Congestion Management Process Committee (CMP) –**

Willy Simon, MRMPO Transportation Planner, had no reports.

❖ **Intelligent Transportation System Subcommittee (ITS) –**

Nathan Masek, MRMPO Senior Transportation Planner, had no reports.

❖ **Land Use & Transportation Integration Committee (LUDI) –**

Peach Anderson-Tauzer, MRMPO Outreach, and Engagement Planner had no reports.

❖ **Transportation Program Technical Group (TPTG) –**

At the combined TPTG and TCC meeting, the TPTG members reviewed the following items:

- ❖ New TIP 2024-2029 Effective October 1, 2023
- ❖ TIP Amendment Schedule (1st Cycle TIP Amendment deadline)
- ❖ Status of FFY 2024 TIP Projects (MRMPO)
- ❖ Inactive Project Listing (NMDOT)
- ❖ 2024 MRMPO Meeting Schedule
- ❖ Update to NMDOT's required certification and training for TLPAs.

ACTION ITEMS

TAB 5

No Action Items

DISCUSSION AND INFORMATION ITEMS

TAB 6

New TIP 2024-2029 Effective October 1, 2023

Claudia Patricia Merlo, Transportation Planner, and Title VI Coordinator presented the new TIP 2024-2029 effective October 1, 2023. Ms. Merlo informed the committee that the new TIP 2024-2029 is on the MRCOG website and a link will be e-mailed to the TCC members.

TAB 7

TIP Amendment Schedule 1st Cycle deadline: November 13, 2023

Claudia Patricia Merlo, Transportation Planner, and Title VI Coordinator presented the TIP FFY 2024 amendment schedule 1st cycle deadline. Ms. Merlo informed the committee that she would e-mail reminders for the deadlines.

Ms. Merlo presented the MRMPO TIP Revision/New Project Request Form and explained how to navigate the form. Ms. Merlo informed the committee that the new form would be e-mailed to the members by next week.

TAB 8

2024 MRMPO Meeting Schedule

Claudia Patricia Merlo, Transportation Planner, and Title VI Coordinator presented the 2024 combined MRMPO meeting schedule. Ms. Merlo informed the committee that a copy of the schedule would be e-mailed to them. Ms. Merlo concluded by asking the committee to review the meeting schedule for any conflicts.

TAB 9

Update to NMDOT's required certification and training

Steven Montiel, MRMPO Transportation Program Manager informed the committee that a few months prior, the MPO along with MRCOG had made their formal position known to the DOT Cabinet Secretary regarding the new exam and certification requirement. In response, a revised letter from the DOT was sent to the MPO, along with an updated schedule for more training dates.

Mr. Montiel also advised the committee that the DOT Cabinet Secretary did consider the survey that the MPO submitted regarding the new certification requirements. The DOT created an FAQ document for agencies to utilize if they have any questions

about the new requirements and the DOT provided more training dates.

Mr. Montiel reiterated to the committee that MRCOG and the MPO are in concurrence of the training, however, they're not in favor of the required NMDOT certification. Mr. Montiel informed the committee that the new requirement would create more barriers for agencies, especially agencies that are short-staffed, and it would serve as another step in getting federal funds.

Mr. Montiel and TCC Chair Debbie Bauman agreed that an in-person presentation by the NMDOT Construction Beau would be beneficial to the committee and the NMDOT's TLPA handbook needs to be updated.

Mr. Montiel advised the committee that the MPO is trying to prevent future issues with federal funding, and delays in projects, and prevent any de-obligation of funds.

Mr. Montiel informed the committee that if there is any form of de-obligation of funds due to a certification requirement, the MPO will inform the MTB and determine a proper course of action which could involve New Mexico's congressional delegation.

Mr. Montiel stood for questions.

There was a discussion regarding the new DOT certification requirement and exam.

Mr. Montiel informed the committee that the date for the mandatory required certification has been moved to March 1, 2024.

Mr. Montiel concluded by requesting a presentation from the NMDOT for the TCC committee regarding the new certification requirement.

There were no more questions from the committee

Adjournment

The October 6, 2023, meeting of the Transportation Coordinating Committee was adjourned at 3:23 PM.

Debbie Bauman, Chair
Transportation Coordinating Committee

ATTEST

Dewey V. Cave, Executive Director



Mid-Region Council of Governments / Metropolitan Transportation Board's
TRANSPORTATION COORDINATING COMMITTEE

Attendance

Friday, October 6, 2023 (A hybrid meeting)



Chair Debbie Bauman
Vice-Chair Nancy Perea

✓	Counts towards Quorum
!	Present, but doesn't count towards Quorum

QUORUM = 16
23

ORGANIZATION	20	MEMBER	3	ALTERNATE
City of ABQ Council Services	✓	Tom Menicucci		Jeff Hertz
City of ABQ Environmental Health	✓	Allen Smith		
City of ABQ Municipal Development		Shahab Biazar		
City of ABQ Municipal Development	✓	Debra Bauman	!	Valerie Hermanson
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AMAFCA	✓	Nicole Friedt		Jared Romero
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Town of Bernalillo	✓	Troy Martinez		Marisela Hernandez
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Village of Los Lunas	✓	Alex Ochoa		Michael Jaramillo
Village of Los Ranchos de Albuquerque	✓	Brennon Williams		Maria Rinaldi
Village of Tijeras	✓	Nick Kennedy		Michael Limon
City of Rio Communities		Jim Winters	0	
Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District				
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Rio Rancho Public Schools		Vacant		
Cochiti Pueblo		Vacant		Vacant
Isleta Pueblo	✓	James Weldon		Dale Kleinsmith
Laguna Pueblo		Leonard Ludi		David Deutsawe
Sandia Pueblo		Vacant		John Romero
Santo Domingo Pueblo		Kathy Ashley	0	
Sandoval County	✓	Mark Hatzenbuhler		Roseanne Gomez
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Federal Highway Administration		Vacant		
Greater Albuq Bicycling Advisory Committee		Vacant		Vacant
Kirtland Air Force Base		Vacant		Vacant
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MRCOG STAFF PRESENT

VOTES

Approval of the October 6, 2023 Agenda

Friday, October 6, 2023 (A hybrid meeting)



Chair Debbie Bauman
Vice-Chair Nancy Perea

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NO RESPONSE	<input type="checkbox"/>	0

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VOTES

Approval of the August 4, 2023 Action Summary

Friday, October 6, 2023 (A hybrid meeting)



Chair Debbie Bauman
Vice-Chair Nancy Perea

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R-23-14 MTB
Amending the FFY 2023-2024 Unified Planning Work Program
for Transportation Planning
for the Albuquerque Metropolitan Planning Area

Action Requested

Approval of the Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) amendment #1.

Background

Federal laws and regulations require an annual or biannual Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) for the Albuquerque Metropolitan Planning Area that describes current and scheduled transportation planning activities for the two-year period. Originally, estimates of the planning funds expected to be available, as well as money for UPWP programs funded through other sources were included in the original UPWP document adopted by the MTB on July 15, 2022.

Upon conclusion of FFY 2023 actual carryover amounts were known and actual allocations of federal funding was provided by the USDOT through NMDOT. This resulted in a revised budget requiring this amendment.

The resolution takes the following actions:

- Incorporates the FFY 2023 carryover from P323000 (052 PL funds) into the FFFY 2024 budget;
- Revises the estimated carryover and 2024 revenue amounts to actual figures (P323000)
- Incorporates actual FFY 2024 FTA 5303 amounts awarded to the MPO instead of the estimates along with FFY 23 carryover amounts.
- Minor changes to reflect staff changes and operating costs due to a decrease in the indirect cost percentage (from 28.88% to 24.88%)
- Adjusts estimated staff hours and reflects staff promotions

Staff Recommendation

The MPO Program Manager recommends adoption of this UPWP amendment.

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RESOLUTION
of the
METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION BOARD
of the
MID-REGION METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION
Division of the
MID-REGION COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS OF NEW MEXICO

(R-24-14 MTB)

**AMENDING THE FFY 2023 - 2024 UNIFIED PLANNING WORK PROGRAM (UPWP)
FOR TRANSPORTATION PLANNING IN THE
ALBUQUERQUE METROPOLITAN PLANNING AREA**

WHEREAS, the Mid-Region Council of Governments (MRCOG) is the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the Albuquerque Metropolitan Planning Area (AMPA); and

WHEREAS, the Mid-Region Metropolitan Planning Organization (MRMPO) is a division of MRCOG established to conduct all metropolitan planning activities under 23 CFR 450; and

WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Transportation Board (MTB) is the governing body for the Mid-Region Metropolitan Planning Organization; and

WHEREAS, federal laws and regulations require an annual or biannual Unified Planning Work Program that describes current transportation planning activities and those scheduled for the coming fiscal period; and

WHEREAS, the NMDOT and the state’s metropolitan planning organizations have agreed to develop two-year work programs; and

29 **WHEREAS**, a UPWP for FFY 2023 and 2024 was adopted by the MTB on July
30 15, 2022; and

31 **WHEREAS**, actual funding amounts have been issued from the U.S. Department
32 of Transportation resulting in revision of the original UPWP; and

33 **WHEREAS**, the subject UPWP has been reviewed by the Metropolitan
34 Transportation Board's Transportation Coordinating Committee; and

35 **WHEREAS**, the MTB is responsible for all policies, budget, and related work
36 programs of the Mid-Region Metropolitan Planning Organization, including the UPWP
37 for transportation planning in the AMPA,

38 **NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Metropolitan Transportation
39 Board of the Mid-Region Metropolitan Planning Organization that:

40 1. The FFY 2023-2024 Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) is amended per
41 Attachment A.

42 2. The MPO Program Manager of the Mid-Region Metropolitan Planning
43 Organization is authorized to submit the final Unified Planning Work Program to the
44 New Mexico Department of Transportation and the U.S. Department of Transportation's
45 Federal Highway Administration and Federal Transit Administration.

46 3. The Executive Director of the Mid-Region Council of Governments is
47 authorized to execute the required contracts necessary to implement the Unified
48 Planning Work Program for the Albuquerque Metropolitan Planning Area.

49 **PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED** this 17th day of November 2023 by the
50 Metropolitan Transportation Board of the Mid-Region Metropolitan Planning
51 Organization of the Mid-Region Council of Governments of New Mexico.

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2024 combined MPO Meeting Schedule

● TPTG Meetings

1:30 pm - 3:00 pm

● TCC Meetings

1st Friday of every month
 1:30 pm - 3:00 PM

● MTB Meetings

3rd Friday of every month
 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Tuesday, January 9, 2024

Friday, January 12, 2024

Friday, January 19, 2024

Tuesday, January 30, 2024

Friday, February 2, 2024

Friday, February 16, 2024

Tuesday, February 27, 2024

Friday, March 1, 2024

Friday, March 15, 2024

Tuesday, April 2, 2024

Friday, April 5, 2024

Friday, April 19, 2024

Tuesday, April 30, 2024

Friday, May 3, 2024

Friday, May 17, 2024

Tuesday, June 4, 2024

Friday, June 7, 2024

Friday, June 21, 2024

Tuesday, July 2, 2024

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Friday, July 19, 2024

* Combined TPTG and TCC due to Independence Day

Tuesday, July 30, 2024

Friday, August 2, 2024

Friday, August 16, 2024

Tuesday, September 3, 2024

Friday, September 6, 2024

Friday, September 20, 2024

Tuesday, October 1, 2024

Friday, October 4, 2024

Friday, October 18, 2024

Tuesday, October 29, 2024

Friday, November 1, 2024

Friday, November 15, 2024

Tuesday, December 3, 2024

Friday, December 6, 2024

Friday, December 20, 2024



TRANSITIONS 2045

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLAN

The Mid-Region Metropolitan Planning Organization (MRMPO) is kicking off the update to the greater Albuquerque metropolitan area's long-range transportation plan, the *Transitions 2045 MTP*. We are seeking feedback for our plan. Please check out our survey and let us know your thoughts! The survey is fun, interactive, and should take less than five minutes!

[Take the survey here](#) or scan the QR code to access the survey and tell us about your transportation priorities.

In addition, we are hosting three in-person public meetings around the region. Please join us at one of the locations below:

- Monday, November 13, 5:30-7pm: Los Lunas Council Chambers, 660 Main St., Los Lunas, NM 87031
- Wednesday, November 15, 5:30-7pm: The HUB @ Enchanted Hills: 7845 Enchanted Hills Blvd NE, Rio Rancho, NM 87144
- Thursday, November 16, 5:30-7pm: Partnership for Community Action, 722 Isleta Blvd SW, Albuquerque, NM 87105
- Wednesday, November 29, noon-1pm: [Virtual meeting](#)



If you need any special accommodation for a public meeting, please let us know seven days in advance by contacting Claudia Patricia Merlo at cpmerlo@mrcog-nm.gov or at 505-724-3651.

For any questions about the MTP or upcoming meetings, please contact Peach Anderson-Tauzer at panderson-tauzer@mrcog-nm.gov or 505-843-1728.

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