

MEETING MINUTES
CENTRAL IOWA REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ALLIANCE (CIRTPA)
TRANSPORTATION POLICY COMMITTEE (TPC)
AND
TRANSPORTATION TECHNICAL COMMITTEE (TTC)
JOINT VIRTUAL MEETING
AUGUST 18, 2022

CIRTPA TTC Members Present:

Scott Kruse | Boone County
Al Miller | Dallas County
Andy Case | Dallas County
Michael Frietsch | Jasper County
Mike Hackett | Madison County
Tyler Christian | Marion County
Bret VandeLune | Polk County
Darren Moon | Story County
David Carroll | Warren County
Kip Overton | City of Adel
Akhilesh Pal | City of Indianola
Larry Stevens | City of Nevada
Brian Laube | City of Newton
Josh Wuebker | City of Perry
Mark Jackson | Story City
Andy Loonan | IDOT*

CIRTPA TTC Members Absent:

John Rouse | City of Boone
Jeff Peterson | City of Huxley
Heather Ussery | City of Knoxville
Denny Buyert | City of Pella
Robert Hendricks | City of Winterset
Kyle Thompson | Ames
Darla Hugaboom | FHA
Julia Castillo | HIRTA
Luis Montoya | DART*

Others Present:

Marcus Coenen
Aaron Putnam

CIRTPA TPC Members Present:

Scott Kruse | Boone County
Brad Golightly | Dallas County
Michael Frietsch | Jasper County
Mike Hackett | Madison County
Tyler Christian | Marion County
Bret VandeLune | Polk County
David Carroll | Warren County
Linda Murken | Story County
Anthony Brown | City of Adel
Steve Richardson | City of Indianola
Anthony Brown | City of Adel
Waylon Andrews | City of Boone
Brian Laube | City of Newton
Larry Stevens | City of Nevada
Josh Wuebker | City of Perry
Mark Jackson | Story City
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Rita Conner | City of Huxley
Heather Ussery | City of Knoxville
Denny Buyert | City of Pella
Kyle Thompson | Ames
Drew Bardon | City of Winterset
Darla Hugaboom | FHA
Luis Montoya | DART

Staff Present:

Todd Ashby | Program Director
Andrew Collings | Principal Planner
Zach Young | Planning Manager
Tracey Deckard | Office Manager

1. Call to Order

Former Chair called the CIRTPA TPC and the CIRTPA TTC August 18, 2022, Joint Committee Meeting to order at 9:31 a.m. A quorum was present.

2. Approval of the Agenda

MOTION: A motion was made and seconded by TTC and CIRTPA TPC to approve the joint CIRTPA meeting agenda.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

3. Report and Vote: Safe Streets for All Grant Discussion

Staff presented. Consider approval of a potential CIRTPA Safe Streets for All Grant. Staff provided additional information regarding grant applications and presented options for the CIRTPA Board members. Lengthy discussion ensued.

Available options for CIRTPA include 1) not applying for the funding 2) CIRTPA applies for funding that covers both cities and counties with local match paid by cities and counties 3) CIRTPA applies for funding that covers cities with local match paid by the cities. Board members were advised that the Iowa DOT is providing the local match for the County Engineers Associations' application. DOT has indicated that they may be able to provide some funds for the local match, however there is not guarantee. Staff recommends that CIRTPA not plan on receiving any funds from the DOT.

The CIRTPA Counties need to decide if they want to be a part of the Service Bureau application or part of the CIRTPA application.

MOTION: A motion was made by Akhleish Pal and seconded by Larry Stevens to file a joint city and county application for apply for the Safe Routes Grant.

Upon vote and roll call, all counties and the City of Story City voted to not be included in the CIRTPA application.

MOTION FAILS:

Joint application fails. Cities in the CIRTPA region will apply for the Safe Routes Grant without the CIRTPA member counties.

4. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 10:38 a.m.