



Date: Thursday, March 14, 2024

Time: 1:30 p.m.

Join In-Person

Location: Ridge Room Conference Room, Grants Pass City Hall, 101 NW A St, Grants Pass, OR

Transit: Served by JCT Routes #10, 20, 35, 40, 50, 80 and 100. Paratransit services are available for qualified individuals.

Contact: RVCOG: 541-423-1375

Website: www.mrmppo.org

Or via Zoom

Meeting ID: 815 5601 4240

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Zoom Link:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81556014240>

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1. Call to Order / Introductions / Review Agenda

Chair

Consent Agenda

2. Review / Approve Minutes

Chair

Attachment: [#1 MRMPO CAC Meeting Draft Minutes 02/08/2024](#)

Action Items

3. Amendment to the 2024-2027 TIP

Ryan MacLaren

Background: The CAC is being requested to make a recommendation on the proposed amendments to the 2024-27 TIP.

- Add Project in TIP: *Bus & bus facilities - SM urban Josephine Co. FFY21 (KN23593)*

The 21-day public comment period and public hearing was advertised on or before Thursday, February 28, 2024, in the *Rogue Valley Times*, the *Rogue River Press* and the *Grants Pass Courier* and information is currently available on the MRMPO website.

Attachment: [#2 TIP Amendment Memo](#)

Action Requested: Recommendation to Policy Committee

4. Full 2024-2049 Regional Transportation Plan

Ryan MacLaren

Background: The Regional Transportation Plan (RTP) is a multi-modal transportation document of the existing plan designed to meet the anticipated 25-year transportation needs within the Middle Rogue Metropolitan Planning Organization (MRMPO) planning area boundary.



Staff has already brought all chapters in sections for comments and approval from all committees. This is the full draft document.

Attachment: [Full Draft RTP](#)
[RTP Open House](#)

Action Requested: Review and recommendation of approval of the RTP

Discussion Items

7. Public Comment **Chair**

Regular Updates

8. MRMPO Update **Ryan MacLaren**

9. Other Business / Local Business **Chair**

Opportunity for MRMPO member jurisdictions to talk about transportation planning projects

10. Adjournment **Chair**

Scheduled Meetings		
MRMPO TAC	April 4, 2024	1:30 p.m.
MRMPO CAC	April 11, 2024	1:30 p.m.
MRMPO Policy Meeting	March 21, 2024	2:30 p.m.

All meetings are available in-person and online via Zoom unless otherwise noted.



Date: Thursday, February 8, 2024

Attendees:

Voting Members	Organization	Phone Number
Lesley Orr	Active Transportation	
David West	Grants Pass	659-9681
Judy Garrett	Grants Pass	659-9256
Nancy Sue Stout	Grants Pass	761-0899
Dick Converse, Chair	Josephine County	659-8401

Non-Voting Member	Organization	Phone Number
Kyler Kirchner	Josephine County	659-2716
Ian Horlacher	ODOT	423-1362

Staff	Organization	Phone Number
Ryan MacLaren	RVCOG	423-1338
Kelsey Sharp	RVCOG	423-1375
Yazeed Alrashdi	RVCOG	423-1378

Interested Parties	Organization
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MRMPO CAC Minutes – Thursday, February 8, 2024

[Agenda Packet](#)

[Meeting Audio](#)

1. Call to Order at 1:30 P.M. / Introductions / Review Agenda 00:00 – 01:04

Quorum: Four voting members, regardless of jurisdiction.

2. Review / Approve Minutes 01:04 – 01:20

- 01:08** Davis West moved to approve the January 11, 2024, MRMPO CAC Meeting Minutes as Presented. Seconded Lesley Orr.
No further discussion.
Motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

Action Items

3. Election of Officers 01:20 – 04:20

- 02:55** David West nominated to elect Dick Converse as the MRMPO CAC Chair. Seconded by Lesley Orr.
No further nominations.
Motion passed unanimously by voice vote.



- 03:57** David West nominated Fred Saunders as the MRMPO CAC Vice-Chair. Seconded by Judy Garrett.
No further discussion.
Motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

4. Dues 04:20 – 10:58

- 10:09** Lesley Orr moved to recommend an \$0.08 raise to the Dues, totaling \$0.24. Seconded by David West.
No further discussion.
Motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

5. Amendments to the 2024-2027 Transportation Improvement Program 10:58 – 15:33

- 15:09** Lesley Orr moved to recommend approval of the 2024-2027 TIP amendments as presented. Seconded Nancy Sue Stout.
No further discussion.
Motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

6. Chapters 10-12 of the Regional Transportation Plan 15:33 – 21:46

- 21:22** Lesley Orr moved to recommend approval of chapter 10-12 of the RTP with discussed comments. Seconded Judy Garrett.
No further discussion.
Motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

Discussion Items

7. Public Comment 21:46 – 22:10

None Received.

Regular Updates

8. MPO Planning Update 22:10 – 33:48

Provided by Ryan MacLaren. Updates on the Title VI and EJ Plan upcoming and Obligation Reports.

9. Other Business / Local Business 33:28 – 42:04

Updates from Josephine County and the Greenway Route Study.

10. Adjournment

2:12 p.m.

Scheduled Meetings



SUMMARY MINUTES

Middle Rogue Metropolitan Planning Organization

Citizen Advisory Committee

MRMPO TAC	March 7, 2024	1:30 p.m.
MRMPO CAC	March 14, 2024	1:30 p.m.
MRMPO Policy Meeting	February 15, 2024	2:30 p.m.

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Middle Rogue
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DATE: February 28, 2024
TO: MRMPO Citizen Advisory Committee
FROM: Ryan MacLaren, Senior Planner
SUBJECT: TIP Amendment(s)

The CAC is being asked to make recommendations to the Policy Committee on the proposed TIP amendment(s) described below. The Policy Committee will hold a public hearing at 2:30 p.m. on Thursday, March 21, 2024 to consider adoption of the proposed TIP amendment(s). A press release for the 21-day public comment period and public hearing was sent on or before February 28th in the Rogue Valley Times, Rogue River Press, Grants Pass Daily Courier, and information is currently available on the MRMPO website. Information on the new project is enumerated, below:

A. Add Project in TIP: *Bus & bus facilities - SM urban Josephine Co. FFY21 (KN23593)*

Description: Purchase buses for public transit in small urban areas.

Project Name	Project Description	RTP Project Number	Air Quality Status	Key #	Federal Fiscal Year	Phase	Federal		Federal Required Match		Total Fed+Req Match	Other		Total All Sources
							\$	Source	\$	Source		\$	Source	
JCT														
Bus & bus facilities SM urban Josephine Co. FFY21	Purchase buses for public transit in small urban areas.	n/a	Exempt (40 CFR § 93.126 Table 2) - Mass Transit			Planning					\$ -			\$ -
						Design					\$ -			\$ -
						Land Purchase					\$ -			\$ -
						Utility Relocate					\$ -			\$ -
						Construction					\$ -			\$ -
				23593	2024	Other			\$ 334,754	5339	\$ 59,074	Local	\$ 393,828	
		Total FFY24-27			\$ 334,754		\$ 59,074		\$ 393,828	\$ -	\$ 393,828			