

**YORK AREA METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION  
TECHNICAL COMMITTEE MEETING  
4/06/17 MEETING SUMMARY**

**TECHNICAL COMMITTEE ANNUAL REORGANIZATION MEETING**

**1. Call to Order for the Technical Committee**

- The meeting was called to order by Chairman Tony Berger

**2. Introductions**

- Chairman Berger began a self-introduction by members of the Technical Committee and meeting attendees.

**3. Public Comment and Announcements**

Will Clark stated that this meeting had been advertised as a public meeting for the LRTP. There is no action required by the committee at this time.

**4. Minutes of the October 6, 2016 Technical Committee Meeting**

- **A motion to approve the Minutes of the October 6, 2016 Technical Committee Meeting was made by Rich Farr and seconded by Ron Miller. Motion carried. Mike Fleming abstained from voting**

**5. Announcements**

- a. Project Updates – Tony Berger, PennDOT District 8
  - i. Rt 30 and Rt 74 Adaptive Signals – Tony Berger stated the signals have been completed and are currently in a testing phase. The adaptive signals are to be turned on for RT 30 on April 24<sup>th</sup>. After the first section is proven to be working, the next section will be turned on for Dover Township and West Manchester Township together with the remaining section in York City being turned on last. It will take time for the public to adapt to the signal phases since they will not have the same order of phases as the old signals. There will be a mass outreach to the public through message boards, Facebook and the local newspapers.
  - ii & iii. Hanover HSIP project & Route 94 Paving project – Tony Berger reported that Route 94 had been chosen in 2014 for roadway improvements. Due to the Columbia Gas work that needed to be completed, this project was held. There will be sign upgrades, line painting and an adaptive project that will be done on Route 94. The let date for repaving is February 2018.
- b. Functional Classification Approval – Will Clark reported that the functional classification system was approved by the Federal Highway Administration.
- c. February 23<sup>rd</sup> Coordinating Committee Actions – Heather Bitner reported that tasks had been assigned from the Coordinating Committee to the Technical Committee and the Transit Committee. These tasks were broken down into recommendations to the Coordinating Committee and Final Approval by the

Technical Committee. There may be additional tasks assigned throughout the year as the need arises.

## 6. New Business

- a. Coordinating Committee – Assigned Tasks – Heather Bitner reported that the Tasks assigned to the Technical Committee from the Coordinating Committee are as follows:

The Technical Committee to give recommendations to the Coordinating Committee on the 2019 TIP Development, 2019 Long Range Plan Development, TAP Project Approvals and Public Participation Plan Development.

The Technical Committee will have final approval on LPN Level 1 & Level 2, Development of TAP Process, Technical Committee Meeting Schedule and the Project Updates. These updates will only be presented to the Technical Committee.

- b. 2017 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Actions
  - i. Highway and Bridge Administrative Modifications were presented by Adam Grimes.
- c. Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) were presented by Will Clark
  - i. Will Clark presented the 2017 TAP 2017 project selection schedule to the committee for approval. The process will start in April with the YCPC Transportation Department developing YAMPO TAP Guidelines with PennDOT. The process will move through its various steps until the 2019 TIP is adopted in June 2018.

- **A motion to approve the 2017 YAMPO TAP Project Selection Schedule as presented by the YCPC Transportation staff. All projects selected and approved through this process will be included in the 2019 YAMPO TIP for adoption by the YAMPO Committees in June 2018 was made by Jim Gross and seconded by Felicia Dell. Motion Carried.**

## 7. Other Business

- a. York County Stormwater Authority  
Felicia Dell spoke about the cost effective ways regional partnerships can collaborate with PennDOT. PennDOT and York County have created the first such partnership in the State. There have been approvals of the I-83 stormwater areas being given permission to go outside the immediate footprint of the project to meet the stormwater guidelines. PennDOT will accept applications from contractors for stormwater reduction projects; this is a pilot project for York County. A grant from the National Federal Wildlife Foundation will provide the County to implement a Stormwater Management program.
- b. Public Participation Plan (PPP)  
Mike Pritchard stated that back in the fall this project was presented for comment. The Federal Transit & Federal Highway made many comments that looks at

individual stakeholders. There is an outreach project underway to see who has an interest in this particle plan. The plan should be available in August for approval

c. **Consultant Selection Status**

Will Clark reported that Pennoni & Associates has been signed as the consultant for the signal timing for those municipalities not receiving adaptive signals. There will be a three-year rotating schedule and \$500,000 has been put aside to work on this project. The news article lists the 13 intersections of concern and that there has been difficulty in getting cost estimates for the improvements. The first road to be studied will be Bull and Church Roads.

**8. Upcoming Meetings**

Tony Berger, Chairman reviewed the following upcoming meetings:

- a. April 27, 2017, YAMPO Coordinating Committee
- b. April 20, YAMPO Transportation Coalition
- c. May 18, Central Pennsylvania Transportation Authority
- d. June 8, 2017, Central Pennsylvania Transportation Authority
- e. July 13, Central Pennsylvania Transportation Authority
- f. August 3, 2017, YAMPO Technical Committee

**9. Adjournment**

- A motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Representative Seth Grove.

**Attendance**  
**York Area Metropolitan Planning Organization**  
**Technical Committee Meeting**  
**April 6, 2017**

**Voting Members (8 of Votes)**

	<b><u>Attended</u></b>
<b>PennDOT (1)</b>	
District 8-0 Office:	Anthony Berger, Chairman X
Alternates:	John Kennedy
	Nathan Walker
<b>York County (1)</b>	
York County Planning:	Felicia Dell, Secretary X
Alternates:	Joe Heffner X
	Jeph Rebert
	Beth Nidam
	Heather Bitner X
<b>Central Pennsylvania Transportation Authority (1)</b>	
Transportation Authority:	Rich Farr X
Alternates:	Jenna Reedy
	Dwight Huntington
<b>Legislative Appointments (2)</b>	
Legislator:	Representative Seth Grove X
Alternate:	Wendy Leahy
Appointed Citizen	Ron Miller X
Alternate 1:	Congressman Scott Perry
Alternate 2:	Bob Reilly
<b>Municipal Representatives (3)</b>	
Borough (Primary)	Larry Smith, Delta Borough X
City of York	Jim Gross
Alternate:	Chaz Green X
	Kim Bracey
Township (Primary)	Mike Fleming, Dover Township X
Alternate:	Jessica Fieldhouse, Springettsbury Twp.
<b>Advisory Members</b>	
YCPC Transportation	Will Clark X
YCPC Transportation	Mike Pritchard X
Federal Highway Administration:	Dan Walston
FAA-Airport District Office:	Oscar Sanchez
Federal Transit Admin:	Deborah Purnell-Butler
PennDOT Bureau of Aviation:	
PennDOT Bureau of Public Transportation:	Kyle Eckert
Wellspan & Health York County Coalition	Kevin Alvarnaz X
Human Relations Commission	Karen Rollins-Fitch X
PennDOT Central Office	Adam Grimes X

**Attendance (continued)**  
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**Other Persons Attending (8)**

Penn Township	Eric Bortner	X
Shrewsbury Township	Art Rutledge	X
ELA Group	Mark Henise	X
Shrewsbury Borough	Mike Sharkey	X
Senator Alloway	Barb Metzler	X
Representative Klunk	Stephanie Jarbeck	X
Representative Klunk	Carrie Nace	X
York Township	Gary Milbrand	X

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