



**Yakima Valley Transportation Policy Board
AGENDA**

Monday, May 15, 2023
1:30 p.m.
In-person and Teleconference

The 300 Building
311 N. 4th St, Ste 204, Yakima, WA

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Representative Bruce Chandler
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CALL TO ORDER –

The May 15, 2023, Yakima Valley Transportation Policy Board meeting will come to order at 1:30 p.m.

I. INTRODUCTIONS & ROLL CALL	<i>Chair Restucci</i>
II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES for April 17, 2023	<i>Chair Restucci</i>

PUBLIC COMMENT POLICY – *It is the policy of the Transportation Policy Board to accept public comment on agenda items at the time the item is being discussed. Public comments regarding items not on the agenda will be heard at the end of the meeting.*

III. TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENTS & CORRESPONDENCE	
A. USDOT Safe Streets & Roads for All (SS4A) Grant – Safety Action Plan	<i>Alan Adolf, Regional Transportation Manager</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Possible award in 2024, plan development up to 18 months. • Demonstration or Implementation applications in could be considered in 2025 or 2026 as recommended in action plan 	
B. SFY 2024-2025 Commute Trip Reduction (CTR) Anticipated Allocation	
C. SFY 2024-2025 WSDOT – MPO/RTPO Funding Agreements Proposed changes (“Acknowledgements”) to upcoming agreements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.5% of MPO Planning Funds used for planning of safe and accessible transportation (“complete streets”) • Volunteer to track Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBEs) usage by MPO/RTPOs in assisting WSDOT to meet its DBE goals. 	
D. New WSDOT MPO/RTPO Sr. Transportation Planner Coordinator for YVCOG – Kate Tollefson	
<i>Information</i>	

IV.	UNFINISHED BUSINESS	
A.	<u>2024-2025 Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP)</u>	<i>Dennis Henne, TAC Chair</i>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Federal/State UPWP review on April 19th recommended approved basic document TAC recommended adoption on May 11th. 	
	Action: Authorize the chair to sign SFY 2024-2025 UPWP and <u>Resolution 2023-13</u> and submittal to WSDOT	

V.	NEW BUSINESS	
A.	<u>May 2023-2026 M/RTIP Amendment</u>	<i>Dennis Henne, TAC Chair</i>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public Comment: 4/26/2023 to 5/10/2023 7 Formal Amendments: Yakima, Yakima Transit, and Zillah Resolutions 2023-11 for Findings & 2023-12 for Determination of Air Quality 	
	Action: Adopt May 2023 MRTIP Amendment and authorize Chair to Sign	
B.	<u>2023 Public Participation Plan: Public Comment Kickoff</u>	<i>Dennis Henne, TAC Chair</i>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Precursor document for the 2024-2045 Long Range Transportation Plan Strategies for YVCOG Public Outreach and Comment over next four years Public Comment Period: May 15 to June 30th 	
	Information	

VI.	WSDOT STATE & SOUTH-CENTRAL REGIONAL UPDATE	<i>WSDOT Representative</i>
	<i>Information</i>	
VII.	Washington Transportation Commission Update	<i>James Restucci, YVCOG Chair, WSTC Representative</i>
	<i>Information</i>	

OTHER BUSINESS

Next meeting: **TUESDAY, June 20, 2023**, at 1:30 p.m.

PUBLIC COMMENT

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