

Yakima Valley Transportation Policy Board AGENDA

Monday, October 16, 2023 1:30 p.m. In-person and Teleconference The 300 Building 311 N. 4th St, Ste 204, Yakima, WA

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Senator Curtis King Representative Chris Corry Representative Gina Mosbrucker

CALL TO ORDER -

The September 18, 2023, Yakima Valley Transportation Policy Board meeting will come to order at 1:30 p.m.

I. Introductions and Roll Call - Chair Restucci

II. Consent Agenda – Chair Restucci "The items listed below may be acted upon by a single motion and second of the Policy Board. By the simple request to the Chair, any Transportation Policy Board Member may remove items from the Consent Agenda for separate consideration after the adoption of the remainder of the Consent Agenda items"

- A. Approval of September 18, 2023, Minutes
- B. | Approval of October Amendment to the 2023-2026 M/RTIP Metropolitan & Regional Transportation Improvement Program
- C. YVCOG-WSDOT Funding Agreement: PTD0830 CTR-TDM
 - Discussion and Decision: Motion, "I move to approve the Consent Agenda."

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. Announcements and Correspondence – Alan Adolf, Transportation Program Manager A. Central Washington State Fair Debrief B. WSDOT East Valley-Moxee to Yakima Corridors Study Information

IV. | Unfinished Business – Dennis Henne, Transportation Technical Advisory Committee Chair

- A. | 2024 2027 Metropolitan and Regional Transportation Improvement Plan
 - Public Comment Period: September 12-October 11, 2023
 - Yakima County Projects to be added in January 2024 TIP Amendment
 - State Federal Compliance Review November 2nd

<u>Discussion & Decision</u>: Authorize the Chairman to sign Resolution 2023-26 for Air Quality and 2023-27 Findings and adopt the 2024-2027 YVCOG M/RTIP document for submittal to WSDOT/FHWA

V. New Business – Dennis Henne, TAC Chair

A. 2023 Title VI Annual Report

Documents the actions and activities during 2022 Unified Planning Work Program Year: July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023

<u>Discussion & Decision</u>: Authorize Executive Director to sign 2023 Title VI Policy Statement and that the Policy Board adopt the 2023 Title VI Annual Report for submittal to WSDOT-HQ.

B. FFC Request, Town of Naches – Kel Lowry Road

Federal Functional Classification request for planned new road corridor in Naches

<u>Discussion & Decision</u>: Authorize Executive Director to sign YVCOG's New Route Functional Class concurrence letter and submit letter with Town of Naches' Application to WSDOT / Federal Highway Administration

VI.	WSDOT Update – WSDOT Brian White, WSDOT SCR Administrator / or Representative
	Information
VII.	WA Transportation Commission Update – James Restucci, YVCOG Executive Committee. Chair and WA State Transportation Commission Representative
	Information
VIII.	Other Business
	Next meeting: Monday, November 20, 2023, at 1:30 p.m.

PUBLIC COMMENT

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