

CARTERSVILLE-BARTOW
METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION
TECHNICAL COORDINATING COMMITTEE MEETING
APRIL 20, 2016 10:00 AM

Attendees:

Will Martin, Bartow County

Tom Sills, CBMPO Transportation
Planner

Cherie Marsh, GDOT

Wade Wilson, City of Cartersville

Lamont Kiser, Bartow County

Tom Caiafa, GDOT

Brooke Whorton, Bartow County

I. Welcome:

Technical Coordinating Committee Vice Chairman Will Martin called the meeting to order.

II. Public Comment Period:

Technical Coordinating Committee Vice Chairman Will Martin advised that there would be a Public Comment Period of ten minutes, however, no one of the public had shown up to speak.

III. Approval of Minutes:

Technical Coordinating Committee Vice Chairman Will Martin asked for a vote of approval of the minutes from the previous month's meeting. Tom Caifia made the motion for approval, and Lamont Kiser seconded the motion. The vote for approval of the minutes was unanimous.

IV. Status Update on Transit Study RFQ:

Transportation Planner Tom Sills advised that the RFQ had been advertised and that he had been in a meeting prior to this one regarding the selection of firms for interviews. Two firms have been selected for interviews for a 4 year IDIQ contract with task order options. The Policy Committee meeting date may have to be changed due to the interviews taking place on May 9, 2016. Tom Sills, Lamont Kiser, and community representatives would be attending the interviews.

V. Status Update on Transit Expansion Feasibility Study:

At this point, Transportation Planner Tom Sills presented a Powerpoint of some of the activities he had undertaken in an effort to get a status on the current state of the sidewalk and accessibility issues in the County. He was asking for input from the TCC to see if this was the direction the bicycle and pedestrian facility feasibility study should be going. The members of the TCC agreed, felt that connectivity and safety were the biggest issues, and also said that sidewalks would be addressed on the Glade Road projects.

VI. Other Business:

The TCC briefly spoke about the Burnt Hickory Road roundabout and Mr. Sills went over a Powerpoint presentation distributed by GDOT on the safety and efficiency of roundabouts.

VII. Project Updates:

All updates were shown in red on the Project Update Sheet and will included with the minutes as reference.

VIII. Adjourn:

There being no further business, Technical Coordinating Committee Vice Chairman Will Martin asked for a vote to adjourn. Wade Wilson made the motion, and Lamont Kiser seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous for adjourning the April 20, 2016 TCC meeting.