

AGENDA

MARCH 15, 2018 AT SEED CENTER, 2ND FLOOR BOARDROOM, LAKE CHARLES, LA

1. OPENING

- A. Roll Call**
- B. No Minutes to Approve**
- C. Opportunity for Public Comments or Questions**

2. OLD BUSINESS

- A. New Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) FY 2019-22 (See Appendix A and Email Attachment)**
 - Discussion
 - Staff will walk through the process.
 - Presenter: Walter Council, LCMPO Staff

- B. 2045 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP) (See Appendix B)**
 - Information
 - Stantec, on 4/12/18 at the Lake Charles Civic Center, is facilitating Symposium (Open House) for general public, providing opportunity to dialogue and provide feedback on the 2045 MTP process.
 - Details are forthcoming.
 - See interactive map and comment, <https://www.transportplanswla.com>
 - Presenter: Cheri Soileau, LCMPO Director

B. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Unified Planning Work Program**
 - Action
 - Staff is requesting TAC recommendation for FY 2018-19 UPWP. The document provides description of planning work and funding allocation to each task conducted by staff over the fiscal year. In accordance with the document update procedures, as an amendment to the UPWP, it requires a 14-day Public Review and Hearing period, which staff initiated on 3/8/18.
 - Presenter: Cheri Soileau, LCMPO Director

C. ADJOURNMENT

APPENDIX A

7 REMAINING PROJECTS IN STAGE 1 OF 2040 MTP, TO CONSIDER FOR STAGE 0 FEASIBILITY AND INCORPORATION INTO TIP FY 2019-22*

Note: These projects are in Stage 1 of the current 2040 MTP. Based on transportation planning process, they are most eligible for Stage 0 submissions and STP<200K funding into TIP FFY 2019 – 22.

Note 2: If TAC/TPC are not satisfied with the ability to implement feasible projects from some of these remaining Stage 1 projects to begin Stage 0 submissions, there is potential to indicate this in meeting minutes, and consider Stage II projects in the current 2040 MTP.

Projects in Stage 1 of 2040 MTP (cost estimates are based on current 2040 MTP)					
Route / Project Name	Project Limits	Project Description	MTP Estimated Cost (1M)	Funding Category	Project Sponsor?
Cities Service HWY Ext.	US 90 to E. Houston River Road	New 4 lane road and widen to 4 lanes	\$3.887	Capacity	Calcasieu Parish
Carylss Dr. Ext	LA 1256 to LA 27	New 4 lane road and widen to 4 lanes	\$1.291	Capacity	Sulphur/Calcasieu
W. Prien Lake Rd./Ihles Rd.	W. Prien Lake Rd. to Country Club Rd.	Widening	\$1.072	Capacity	Lake Charles/Calcasieu
Houston River Rd.	Choupique Rd Ext to Anthony Ferry Road	Widen to 4 lanes	\$38.219	Capacity	Lake Charles/Calcasieu
Enterprise Blvd	Broad to 12th St	Overlay	\$0.669	System Preservation	Lake Charles/Calcasieu
12th St.	LA 385 to 1st Ave	Overlay	\$0.711	System Preservation	Lake Charles/Calcasieu
LA 27 (South Belgis Pkwy)	I-10 to LA 108	Widen to 4 lanes	\$18.016	Capacity	Sulphur/Calcasieu
Total			\$63.865		

*The current 2040 MTP can be amended, so projects from Stage 2 or Stage 3 can be added to the Stage 1, which permits a Stage 0 feasibility to proceed. These 7 remaining projects can be leap-frogged if TAC recommends and TPC approves it.

APPENDIX B

2045 MTP PROJECT WEBSITE INSTRUCTIONS

Staff has coordinated with Stantec, our Long-Range Transportation Plan (LRTP)/Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP) consultant, to put together a website specifically for the MTP

See here: <https://www.transportplanswla.com/>

The project website has been updated to include the following:

1) Email to receive updates

- When homepage appears, wait 5 seconds, and a “Join Our Mailing List” will display. Please put your email there to receive updates. We want to make sure you’re covered.

2) Survey

- Scroll mouse over middle of homepage and “Give Us Your Input” will be highlighted. Click. Provide feedback there.

3) Interactive Map (Crowdsourcing Map)

- Scroll mouse over middle of homepage and “Show Us on Map” will be highlighted. Click. Read brief directions on adding points to map. Indicate where you would like to see improvements.

