



Southwest Louisiana Regional Planning Commission (SWLA-RPC)  
Imperial Calcasieu Regional Planning & Development Commission (IMCAL)  
Louisiana Planning District 5

LAKE CHARLES URBANIZED AREA METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION (LCMPO)

TRANSPORTATION POLICY COMMITTEE (TPC)

## MEETING AGENDA

JUNE 10, 2021, 9:00 AM – 10:30 AM

### MEETING OPTIONS:

#### Physical Location

2<sup>ND</sup> Floor Willis Noland Conference Room  
SEED Center, 4310 Ryan Street, Lake Charles, Louisiana

#### Virtual Conference Call – Two Options Below

- **Option One:** Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9583967845>  
Meeting ID: 9583967845 Password: SWLARPC
- **Option Two:** Phone-In Meeting 1-929-205-6099  
Meeting ID: 9583967845 Password: 556663

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### 1. OPENING

- A. **Roll Call** – Mike Hollier

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### 2. NEW BUSINESS

- A. **Unified Planning Work Program FY 2020-21** – Walter Council

Action requested.

The TAC recommended (5/27/21 meeting) for TPC to adopt amending the FHWA Section of UPWP FY 2020-21 to reallocate funding amounts to the following tasks:

- B1 Administration decreased from \$63,639 to \$56,988;
- B2 General Development and Comprehensive Planning decreased from \$72,500 to 70,782;
- B3 Transportation Improvement Program increased from 12,500 to 41,690;
- B7 Public Participation increased from \$38,420 to \$42,034;
- B8 Systems Planning decreased from \$112,500 to \$88,065.

Some tasks had spending above the allocated amount, which is a 25% increase, it is necessary to make this amendment per LaDOTD rules.

- Public review/hearing completed on May 27, 2021, with no comments.

**B. Unified Planning Work Program FY 2021 -22 – Walter Council**

Action requested.

The TAC recommended (5/27/21 meeting) for TPC to adopt the Draft UPWP FY 2021 – 22, which lists the MPO staff work tasks, funding sources and budget amounts for next fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021. (Reference Attachment A)

- Staff initiated public review/hearing on June 1, 2021.

**C. Safe Routes to Public Places Program Grant-Jamie Gaines**

Action requested.

The TAC recommended (5/27/21) that the TPC adopt amending the 2045 MTP's Bicycle-Pedestrian section to move project BP-328 Guillory St (John St Rd to St. John Bosco St), from Beyond 2045 MTP to the fiscally constrained Stage I (2025 Horizon Year) section.

- Staff is completing the Safe Routes to Public Places Program grant application. and amending the 2045 MTP shows the Safe Routes to Public Places reviewers that this segment of road is prioritized in an existing local bike/ped plan, that also includes bike/ped safety elements, plus indicates substantial local financial and MPO planning support.
- Staff initiated public review/hearing on June 2, 2021.

**D. Calcasieu River Bike/Ped Crossing-Jamie Gaines**

Action requested.

The TAC recommended (5/27/21) that the TPC adopt amending the 2045 MTP's Bicycle-Pedestrian section to move project BP-454 I-10 Pedestrian Bridge, from Beyond 2045 MTP to the Prioritized Stage I (2025 Horizon Year) section.

Action requested.

- Staff is working on a Rebuilding American Infrastructure with Sustainability and Equity (RAISE) grant application and amending the 2045 MTP demonstrates to the grant reviewers that this is prioritized in an existing local bike/ped plan, that also includes bike/ped safety elements, plus indicates substantial local financial and MPO planning support.
- Staff initiated public review/hearing on June 2, 2021.

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**E. ADJOURNMENT**