# MEETING OF THE TRANSPORTATION PROJECT ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR THE TRANSPORTATION POLICY BOARD

Wednesday, January 15, 2025, at 1:30 p.m.

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#### **DISCUSSION AND ACTION:**

- 1. Consider approval of the minutes of the December 13, 2024 TPAC meeting

  Presenter: TPAC Chair
- 2. Consider adoption of the Safety Performance Measure (PM1) 2025 Targets:
  - a. State of New Mexico 2025 PM1 Targets
  - b. State of Texas 2025 PM1 Targets

Presenter: Jennifer Moreno (MPO)

- 3. Consider approval for MPO staff to submit a functional classification request to the State of New Mexico and Federal Highway Administration for the Border Highway Connector project as a Principal Arterial.

  Presenter: Jennifer Moreno (MPO)
- 4. Consider approval of amendments to the RMS 2050 MTP and the Amended RMS 2050 MTP for New Mexico projects to:
  - a. Amend the *St. Francis Drive Extension/Border Highway Connector* project (MPO ID: A606X) in FY 2027 to revise the description clarifying it is proposed as a four-lane divided arterial, to clarify project limits by including milepost at the limits, and to update project costs and funding amounts,
  - b. Amend the *NM* 498 (*Anapra*) project (MPO ID: R615X) in FY 2027 to revise the description to reflect a widening from two to four lanes, and to amend the project costs and funding amounts,

- c. Amend the *Sunland Park Drive Extension* project (MPO ID: A607X) in FY 2027 to clarify project limits. *Presenter: Anne Guayante (MPO)*
- 5. Consider approval of amendments to the RMS 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP), Amended RMS 2050 MTP, and the RMS 2025-2028 TIP for Texas Highway projects to:
  - a. Amend the project description for the *I-10 SEG3B* (Paisano to Airway) project (CSJ: 2121-03-159 / MPO ID: I065X-CAP) in FY 2033 to include the number of lanes before and after the project is completed,
  - Amend the project description for the *I-10 SEG1G (THORN TO EXECUTIVE)* project (CSJ: 2121-01-102 / MPO ID: I067X-CAP) in FY 2041 to include the number of lanes before and after the project is completed,
  - c. Amend the project description for the *I-10 SEG3C (AIRWAY TO YARBROUGH)* project (CSJ: 2121-03-162 / MPO ID: I068X-CAP) in FY 2041 to include the number of lanes before and after the project is completed.
  - d. Amend the project description for the *I-10 SEG3D1 (YARBROUGH TO FM659)* project (CSJ: 2121-03-163 / MPO ID: I069X-CAP) in FY 2041 to include the number of lanes before and after the project is completed,
  - e. Amend the project description for the *I-10 SEG3D2 (FM659 TO EASTLAKE)* project (CSJ: 2121-04-119 / MPO ID: I070X-CAP) in FY 2033 to include the number of lanes before and after the project is completed.

Presenter: Anne Guayante (MPO)

- Consider approval of amendments to the RMS 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP), Amended RMS 2050
  MTP, and the RMS 2025-2028 TIP for the *Delake St. Construction* project (CSJ: 0924-06-691 / MPO ID: A442X) to amend the fiscal year from FY 2025 to FY 2027 and to revise the project description for clarity.
   Presenter: Anne Guayante (MPO)
- 7. Consider approval of amendments to the RMS 2050 MTP, Amended RMS 2050 MTP, and the RMS 2025-2028 TIP to program the *Downtown International Ports ITS Design and Regional Integration* project in FY 2025 with \$2,000,000 in Category 3 USDOT Strengthening Mobility and Revolutionizing Transportation (SMART) Program funds.

  \*\*Presenter: Anne Guayante (MPO)\*\*
- Consider approval of an amendment to the RMS 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP), Amended RMS 2050
  MTP, and the RMS 2025-2028 TIP to amend the McCombs Multiuse Trail (CN: E100490 / MPO ID: A606X) project
  to change the project limits and project description to reference the proposed work on Lisa Dr. in addition to the
  language already referencing work on along McCombs Road.

Presenter: Nina Rodriguez (MPO)

#### **REPORTS AND DISCUSSION:**

9. Adjournment

The **next regular meeting** of the TPAC is scheduled for <u>1:30 p.m.</u> on <u>February 5, 2025.</u> The due date for submittal of agenda items, names of speakers, attachments, items for presentations, and Project Request Forms (PRFs) is <u>January</u> **22, 2025 by 3:00 p.m.** 

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