



**Pueblo Area Council of Governments**  
Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO)  
Transportation Planning Region (TPR)



**Urban Transportation Planning Division**  
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## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Members of the Transportation Advisory Commission (TAC)

**FROM:** Bill Moore, MPO Administrator

**DATE:** April 28, 2010

**SUBJ:** Agenda for May 6, 2010 TAC Meeting  
**8:30am in the Pueblo City Council Chambers**

(1) Introductions and Public Comments (non-agenda items only).

(2) Approval of the minutes of the regular meeting of April 1, 2010.

Action requested: Approve/Disapprove/Modify  
Presented by: Rose Marie Ibanez, Secretary to the TAC

(3) Standing Agenda Item: CDOT Region 2 request(s) for amendment(s) to the PACOG Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) in the MPO/TPR area. Requires TAC and PACOG Board action to approve/disapprove/modify. Additional details about the amendments appear in attached CDOT letters and spreadsheets.

Project Name: I-25 Bridges over ILEX

STIP Number: **SPB6153**

Project Location and Description: Bridges K-18-CK and K-18-CL- Early Right-of-Way acquisition

Fiscal Year(s) and Fund Source(s): **2010 FASTER Bridge Funds**

Federal Program Funds: \$

State Matching Funds: **\$2,000,000**

Local Matching Funds: \$

Other Project Funds: \$

**TOTAL PROJECT FUND AMENDMENT: \$ 2,000,000**

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**(TABLED FROM THE MARCH 4, 2010 TAC MEETING)**

**Representative(s) from CDOT Region 2 Traffic Engineering will have a presentation about the proposal to evaluate and/or design a "divergent diamond intersection/interchange as a possible interim solution to the existing congestion problems at Pueblo Blvd (SH 45) and US 50 W.**



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Project Name: **Design of US 50 /SH 45 Intersection Improvements**

STIP Number: SR26768.014

Project Location and Description:

Fiscal Year(s) and Fund Source(s): **2010 Regional Priorities Program**

Federal Program Funds: **\$ 124,185**

State Matching Funds: **\$ 25,815**

Local Matching Funds: **\$**

Other Project Funds: **\$**

**TOTAL PROJECT FUND AMENDMENT: \$ 150,000**

- (4) Standing Agenda Item: CDOT Region 2 notification of administrative amendments to the PACOG Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) in the MPO/TPR area. No TAC or Board action required, but additional details appear in attached letters and spreadsheets.

**There are no administrative notifications for this meeting.**

- (5) State and federal legislative updates, major project updates, open discussion, items from TAC members, scheduling of future agenda items, and other business.

- (6) Adjourn at or before 10:30am. US 50 W TAT meeting will begin after TAC adjourns.

(7) **US 50 W Technical Advisory Team - Meeting Agenda – 05/06/2010**

1. Finalizing the (capacity related) alternatives considered in the Stage 1B demand forecasting (that is, alternatives that can be modeled in TransCAD).

2. Presenting a few initial Stage 1B modeling results for a subset of alternatives (for example, No Action, Six-Lane US 50, Four-Lane Joe Martinez).

3. A preliminary discussion of intersection LOS (existing, No Action)

4. A preliminary discussion of intersection improvement concepts and other operational improvements.

5. A preliminary purpose and need statement.

6. Formation of a Policy Advisory Team and its schedule.



Transportation Advisory Commission

**REGULAR MEETING**  
**May 6, 2010**

**AGENDA ITEM #2**

**Minutes of the April 1, 2010 Meeting**

# Draft minutes April 1, 2010

Minutes of April 1, 2010 Joint Meeting  
Transportation Advisory Commission (TAC)

**Audiotapes of all the meetings of the TAC are maintained and available for inspection and review during normal business hours (M-F, 8am-5pm) at the MPO/TPR Office at 223 N Santa Fe Ave.**

TAC Members present: Scott Hobson, Alf Randall, Rick Morgan, Larry Howe-Kerr, Jeff Woeber, and Irene Merrifield.

CAC Members present: Chuck Pelto, Eppie Griego, Brian Lucas, Bill Davis, Debbie Rose and Rob Leverington

Others present: Ray Krueger, Chuck Green, Jerry Martin, Michael French, **CDOT**- Doug Lollar, Joe Garcia, Ajin Hu, Lisa Streisfeld, **JFSato**-Jim Bumanglag, Scott Ramming, Ron Nies, Lisa Bachman, Barry Grossman and Rose Marie Ibanez–UTPD support/minutes.

Mr. Moore called the regular joint meeting of the TAC to order on Thursday, April 1, 2010 at 8:38 am in the Pueblo City Council Chambers.

- (1) Introductions
- (2) Approval of the minutes of the regular meeting of March 4, 2009. Presented by Rose Marie Ibanez, Secretary to the TAC.

Motion to approve: Ms. Rose  
Second: Mr. Griego  
Unanimous

- (3) **Standing Agenda Item: CDOT Region 2 request(s) for amendment(s) to the PACOG Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) in the MPO/TPR area. Requires TAC and PACOG Board action to approve/disapprove/modify. Additional details about the amendments appear in attached CDOT letters and spreadsheets.**

No TIP Amendments are scheduled for the April 1 meeting.

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**Project Name: I 25 Surface Treatment South end of Pueblo**

STIP Number: SR25216.054

Project Location and Description: **Resurfacing on I 25 from Mile post 90 to 100.2**

Fiscal Year(s) and Fund Source(s): **2010 Surface treatment pool**

Federal Program Funds: **\$ 1,360,000**

State Matching Funds: **\$ 340,000**

Local Matching Funds: **\$**

Other Project Funds: **\$**

**TOTAL PROJECT FUND AMENDMENT: \$ 1,700,000**

With no questions, Mr. Moore reported that this funding completes the resurfacing project for this summer.

(5)

**Presentation by CDOT Region 2 and J F Sato & Associates (consultants to CDOT) for TAC review of the US 50 W Corridor Area Planning-Environmental Linkage Study progress to date.**

US 50 West PEL Study

- Introduction of CDOT and consultant staff
- Project Scope and current status of project
- Purpose of coordination with TAC/TTC and goal of Memorandum of Understanding

Mr. Bumanglag facilitated and Ms. Bachman presented the US 50 West PEL Study power point.

CDOT Project Engineer Joe Garcia reviewed the progress that has been accomplished but said they need input from Technical Advisory Team. The goal is an informed consent of key stakeholders leading to an acceptable IGA/MOU for all. He said they need a quick turn-around to meet the schedule that consists of having an *alternative analysis* by spring 2010, *purpose need statement* by early summer 2010, *compiling the environmental analysis* at the PEL level by end of summer 2010, and identifying the *Preferred Alternative* out by fall 2010. When the schedule is completed the Preferred Alternative can be posted on the PACOG Website. Mr. Moore added that the public information meetings will be held at key points during the project using the TAC agenda to schedule them.

(6) Adjourned at 9:27 am

(7) **Note: Members of the TTC who want to be involved on an ongoing basis as part of the PEL study should plan to stay past adjournment (or 10:30am) for more detailed technical discussions of economic/land use scenarios, and regional/corridor TransCAD model assumptions, issues, alternatives analysis, etc.**

**TTC Members:** Bill Moore, Scott Hobson, Alf Randall, Rick Morgan and Larry Howe-Kerr

**CDOT:** Doug Lollar, Joe Garcia, Ajin Hu, Lisa Streisfeld

**JFSato:** Jim Bumanglag, Scott Ramming, Ron Nies, Lisa Bachman, Barry Grossman

**Others present:** Ray Krueger, and Rose Marie Ibanez–UTPD support/minutes.

Mr. Bumanglag facilitated the meeting and asked for feedback from the PACOG area jurisdictions. Ms. Bachman outlined each bullet listed below and asked for input and changes. Mr. Grossman notated all the changes presented in each bullet of the presentation.

- Status of TransCAD modeling efforts
- Economic/Land Use assumptions
- Current model assumptions
- Issues to date
- Partnering for MOU between agencies
- Staying consistent with LRTP
- Linking planning to environment
- Overall schedule

Running out of time, the meeting adjourned at 11:58 am. Mr. Bumanglag asked that another meeting be scheduled to complete the last two items and other detailed technical discussions.

Mr. Moore will schedule another meeting within two weeks, either on a Tuesday afternoon or Wednesday to accommodate the TAC member's calendar schedule.



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**REGULAR MEETING**  
**May 6, 2010**

**AGENDA ITEM #3**

**CDOT Region 2 Requests for TIP  
Amendments**

# STATE OF COLORADO



DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, Region II – Environmental      Date: 4-22-10

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**CDOT Region II request(s) for PACOG MPO/TPR TIP amendment(s)  
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Project Name: Signal upgrade:

STIP Number:

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FY 2008-2013 Pueblo MPO and TPR changes to STIP

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	SPB6153		I-25 Bridges in Pueblo (K-18-CK & K-18-CL over files)	UNASSIGNED	S	FASTER Bridge Enterprise				2,000					
				BRS	F	Bridge On Systems						\$ 1,600			
					S	SHF						\$ 400			
			FBE	Federal Bridge Enterprise Transfers	F					\$ 76					
					S	SHF				\$ 19					



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**REGULAR MEETING**  
**May 6, 2010**

**AGENDA ITEM #7**

**US 50 W Technical Advisory Team**  
**ALTERNATIVES MATRIX**

