

Jefferson County Subregional Forum Technical Committee Meeting Summary

Wednesday, August 12, 2020 at 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Virtual Meeting in WebEx

Regular Agenda Items:

Convene

- Jefferson County Transportation and Engineering Division Director, Steve Durian, called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

Attendees:

Cruz, Alex; Cryer, Lee (RTD); Durian, Steve (Jefferson County); Firouzi, John (Arvada); Girand, Jon (Arvada Transportation Committee); Glueck, Steve (Golden); Heumann, Aaron (Littleton); Mattson, JoAnn (CDOT); Muriby, Rick (Golden); Quinn, Chris (RTD); Riger, Jacob (DRCOG); Rowe, Jan (CDOT); Rudel, Jordan (CDOT); Sanchez, Alvan-Bidal (DRCOG); Townsend, Lindsay (Jefferson County); Westberg, Mark (Wheat Ridge); Whiteaker, Mike (Lakewood); Wood, Susan (RTD)

Approval of Meeting Summary

- The August 5, 2020 Jefferson County Subregional Forum Technical Committee Meeting Summary was approved with no changes.

Public Comment – None

Discussion of Candidate Projects for the DRCOG 2050 Metro Vision Regional Transportation Plan

- The group discussed a list of candidate projects. (see attached)
- Lakewood will likely sponsor the Wadsworth Boulevard / Morrison Road project.
- US-6 and Wadsworth Boulevard was on the Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) 2040 Metro Vision Regional Transportation Plan (MVRTP) and is expected to carry forward onto the 2050 list. It can be removed from Jefferson County's list.
- CDOT will bring all 2040 MVRTP projects with CDOT-controlled funds forward to the 2050 plan.
- Prior to this meeting, Westminster approved the project list without changes.
- The two Regional Transportation District (RTD) projects will be 17th and 18th on the list and will be bumped up if any of the top 16 are removed.
- RTD intends to submit remaining FasTracks projects for the 2050 MVRTP. RTD may provide additional projects through the Reimagine RTD effort. The additional projects have not been brought to the RTD Board.
- The 32nd Avenue project is not on the MVRTP list. The project is already on a Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) waiting list for the current cycle and there may be ways to fund it locally in the future.
- Executive members will be asked to accept the full list of 2050 MVRTP projects and allow staff authority to move items up the list as needed.
- Steve Durian will update the list of projects and forward it to elected officials before close of business today and come up with a proposed motion.
- John Firouzi has already been selected to represent Jefferson County on the Safer Main Streets Initiative Project Advisory Panel.
- The group expressed an interest in having Deb Baskett from Westminster to represent Jefferson County on the 2050 MVRTP evaluation panel. Steve Durian will ask Deb Baskett if she is willing to serve on the panel.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 1:34 p.m.

Summary submitted by Lindsay Townsend, Administrative Coordinator
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