



**LA CROSSE AREA PLANNING COMMITTEE**  
**METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION**  
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**Minutes of Technical Advisory Committee Meeting, May 13, 2026**

**Minutes of the meeting of the Technical Advisory Committee** held at 2:30 pm on Wednesday, May 13, 2026, in person in room 1107 of the La Crosse County Administrative Center and virtually by Microsoft Teams.

**Members Present/On Call:** Voting: Stephanie Sward, Jarrod Holter, Chelsey Boldon, Christina Peterson, Bryan McCoy, Andrea Trane, Lauren Koss, Cassie Hanan

**Members Excused:** Christ Dahl, Matt Gallagher, Ken Harwood, Jim Krueger, Joe Langeberg, Loren Schwier, Tyler Benish, Kurt Wayne

**Guests and Staff:** Bob Gollnik, Travis Key, Francis Schelfhout, Justin Johnson, Nikki Kvam.

Bob Gollnik called the meeting to order at 2:31 pm.

**1. Approval of [minutes](#) of the March 11, 2026, meeting.**

*Jarrod Holter motioned to approve the minutes of the March 11 meeting; Stephanie Sward seconded. All were in favor.*

**2. Recommendation to approve amending the [2025-2028 Transportation Improvement Program \(TIP\) List](#).**

Travis Key provided an overview of the items being amended including the addition of 3 projects to the TIP and changes to state funding IDs, funding, project schedules or descriptions for 13 projects.

*Jarrod Holter motioned to recommend to the Policy Board to approve the amendment to the 2025-2028 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) List; Cassie Hanan seconded. All were in favor.*

**3. Recommendation to approve [MTP Amendment](#) – WisDOT Majors modifications.**

Travis Key explained that the purpose of this amendment is to include the STH 35 Majors project as a fiscally constrained project within the Long-Range Transportation plan. This amendment is a result of collaboration between LAPC, WisDOT, and FHWA to demonstrate fiscal constraint for this project.

Francis Schelfhout added that this is one of three Majors projects within our planning area that will be receiving updated cost estimates. The other two Majors projects will also see MTP amendments when those estimates are available.

*Andrea Trane motioned to recommend to the Policy Board to approve the amendment to the Metropolitan Transportation Plan; Chelsey Boldon seconded. All were in favor.*

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**Non-voting Members:** Jason Nordberg, Evan Gross, Matthew Sorensen, Dena Ryan, Francis Schelfhout



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**4. La Crosse Regional Airport (LSE) Air Services and Capital Projects Update – Lauren Koss**

Lauren Koss presented to the TAC about the current and near-future status of the LSE airport services in addition to an update on capital projects.

**5. Grant program updates: SS4A, RCE, etc.**

**SS4A:** Travis shared an update about the progress on the Comprehensive Safety Action Planning effort. The Task Force selected three study areas for concept design work and the next Task Force meeting is scheduled for the first week of June.

**RCE:** Four proposals were received for this project, and after interviews with three of the firms, SRF Consulting was selected by the review panel to carry out the Brice Prairie Rail Crossing Elimination Study.

**RTA Study:** The executive summary of the RTA Feasibility Study was attached to the agenda.

Travis Key gave an overview of the study results including the four scenario geographies, tax sensitivity analysis, and summary community and economic benefit of the proposed transit improvements.

**6. July 2026 agenda items: 2025-2028 TIP amendment.**

Bob asks the committee to share any updates or requests for the next TAC meeting.  
More grant updates to come in the next meeting.

**7. Other business; Adjourn; Next meeting to be announced.**

No updates from the group.

Next meeting is scheduled for July 8<sup>th</sup>.

*Cassie Hanan motioned to adjourn at 3:11 pm; Jarrod Holter seconded. All were in favor.*

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