



**LA CROSSE AREA PLANNING COMMITTEE**  
**METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION**  
SERVING THE LA CROSSE (WI)/LA CRESCENT (MN) URBANIZED AREA

**Minutes of Technical Advisory Committee Meeting, September 10, 2025**

**Minutes of the meeting of the Technical Advisory Committee** held at 2:30 pm on Wednesday, September 10, 2025, in room 1107 of the La Crosse County Administrative Center and by Microsoft Teams.

**Members Present/On Call:** Voting: Stephanie Sward, Ken Harwood, Jarrod Holter, Jim Krueger, Nikki Kvam, Joe Langeberg, Andrea Trane, Brian McCoy, Kathleen Stewart

**Members Excused:** Christina Peterson, Chris Dahl, Jason Gottfried, Jeffrey Tripp, Voni Vegar, Bill Waller

**Guests and Staff:** Bob Gollnik, Erin Duffer, Travis Key, Francis Schelfhout, Matthew Sorensen.

Bob Gollnik called the meeting to order at 2:30 pm.

**1. Approval of minutes of the July 9, 2025, meeting.**

*Joe Langeberg motioned to approve the minutes of the July 19 meeting; Jim Krueger seconded. All were in favor.*

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

Erin Duffer provided an overview of the items being amended in the TIP List and two new projects added to the TIP alongside 58 administrative changes including project schedules and funding sources.

*Ken Harwood motioned to recommend to the Policy Board to approve the amendment to the 2025-2028 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) List and Document; Jim Krueger seconded. All were in favor.*

**3. Recommendation to approve the 2026-2029 Minnesota Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) List.**

Erin prefaced that this change to the Minnesota TIP is an update rather than an amendment because the changes are happening before the Minnesota STIP is approved. This update contains all of the previous changes to the TIP as the previous item on this agenda.

*Jim Krueger motioned to recommend to the Policy Board to approve the 2026-2029 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) List; Ken Harwood seconded. All were in favor.*

**4. Recommendation to approve the LAPC Functional Classification (WI) Update.**

Map of proposed changes to functional classification shown. Changes include:

1. CTH ZN from Major Arterial to Major Collector
2. CTH OZ from Major Arterial to Major Collector
3. 33<sup>rd</sup> Street from Major Arterial to Major Collector
4. CTH K from Major Arterial to Major Collector
5. Markle Road from Major Collector to Local Street

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**Voting Members:** Chris Dahl, Matt Gallagher, Ken Harwood,  
Jarrod Holter, Jim Krueger, Paula Silha, Joe Langeberg, Christina Peterson, Bryan McCoy,  
Loren Schwier, Andrea Trane, Jeffrey Tripp, Voni Vegar, Bill Waller, Brian McCoy

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



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Joe Langeberg asks what the extent of the classification change on CTH OZ is, Francis responds that it is from CTH ZN to WIS 35.

*Jarrold Holter motioned to recommend to the Policy Board to approve the LAPC Functional Classification (WI) update; Stephanie Sward seconded. All were in favor.*

**5. Moving Ahead to 2055 – MTP update and information.**

Bob shares information about the timeline of the MTP adoption. Erin and Travis thank the TAC for their input and hopes to revisit this document and continuously update with new projects.

**6. Online TIP – EcoInteractive update.**

Bob gives summary of policy board approval of implementing the ETIP program with EcoInteractive.

Erin says the scope of ETIP implementation is making sure the new system is consistent with the existing language and how it has been used so far.

**7. Grant Program Updates: STP-U, TAP, SS4A, RCE, etc.**

SS4A grant got the go ahead finally and is in the early stages of planning.

Bob G. also shared that he is hopeful that the RCE grant will be released to us before the end of the year.

Erin gives an update on TAP and STP-U, with applications due October 31. LAPC has not yet received STP-U allocation amounts yet. TAP application is online only this cycle. TAP applications can be ranked after the October 31 deadline. CTAT will rank TAP applications in November.

Jarrold Holter reports that the City of Onalaska is still looking at projects for this STP-U cycle.

Joe Langeberg says that the County of La Crosse will be submitting two applications.

**8. November 2025 agenda items: 2025-2029 TIP amendment.**

Bob asks the committee to share any updates or requests for the next TAC meeting.

Standing TIP amendments, grant progress updates. Update to the group that the 2026 TIP will be different since WisDOT is extending the current STIP on year to a 5-year STIP.

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

*Jim Krueger motioned to adjourn at 2:55pm; Ken Harwood seconded. All were in favor.*

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