

**AGENDA**  
**TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING**  
**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2023 – 10:00 AM**  
**RIO GRANDE VALLEY METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION (RGMPO)**  
**IN-PERSON MEETING**

**I. Call to Order**

**II. Roll Call**

**III. Public Comments** – May be submitted online or may be submitted in paper form specifying the matter you wish to address.

**IV. Consent Agenda**

**1. Approval of Minute(s) for: January 12, 2023**

**Action**       **Possible Action**       **Information**

**Presenter:**                    **JP Terrazas, TAC Chairman**

**Item Summary:**              Approval of the January 12, 2023, Regular Meeting minutes

**2. New RGMPO Data Request Form**

**Action**       **Possible Action**       **Information**

**Presenter:**                    **Fernando Cantu, Planner III**

**Item Summary:**              The RGMPO is presenting the newly created RGMPO request form. This form will serve as the new method for requesting data from the RGMPO. The form is available on the RGMPO website.

**Background:**                The RGMPO performs analysis and produces various data sets that may be of use to other agencies. Previously a formal submittal form did not exist. Therefore, the RGMPO Data Request Form was created in 2023 to facilitate all data requests.

**3. 2022 Thoroughfare Plan Amendments**

**Action**       **Possible Action**       **Information**

**Presenter:**                    **Luis Diaz, RGMPO Assistant director**

**Summary:**                    The RGMPO is presenting and seeking adoption of the 2022 Thoroughfare Plan Process amendments received. The Amendments will be presented to County Commissioner's Courts in March upon Transportation Policy Board adoption.

**Background:**                The RGMPO performs a yearly Thoroughfare Plan Amendment Process. Where planning partners throughout the region are asked to compare their jurisdiction's Right of Way (ROW) data with the RGMPOs UMAP Interactive Map Thoroughfare Plan Data and provide any amendments to the data reflected. The 2021 RGV Amendments Thoroughfare Plan was presented and approved on March 22, 2021, by Hidalgo County Commissioner's Court. Thoroughfare Plan Amendments received were solely from within Hidalgo County.

**4. Adoption of the 2023 Safety Performance Targets (PM1) as reported by TXDOT (Resolution 2023-05)**

Action       Possible Action       Information

**Presenter:**            **Miguel Arispe, RGVMPD Planner III**

**Summary:** RGVMPD Staff is seeking the adoption of a resolution supporting the 2023 TXDOT Statewide Safety Targets as reported to FHWA. The Texas Strategic Highway Safety Plan targets are updated annually. MPO's around the state are required to either support these targets or create their own.

**Background:** MAP-21 and the FAST Act requires MPO's to integrate performance measures into the transportation planning process. Safety performance targets are established annually by the Texas Department of Transportation (TXDOT) for each performance measure. The RGVMPD is required to either: 1) establishes its numerical targets for each performance measure, or 2) formally agree to support the TXDOT safety performance measures targets. RGVMPD staff is seeking approval to continue supporting the Statewide Targets for year 2023.

**5. Discussion and Update on the Annual Bike/Ped Program**

Action       Possible Action       Information

**Presenter:**            **Eva Garcia, RGVMPD Planner III: BikePed Program Coordinator**

**Summary:** RGVMPD Staff will present a summary of the various Bike/Ped programs and 2022 activities. The annual update will include information regarding the Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee; Bicycle and Pedestrian Counter Data Program; Active Transportation Map (facility inventory); and planned 2023 activities.

**Background:** The RGVMPD Technical Advisory Committee and Transportation Policy Board approved/adopted the RGVMPD Active Transportation Plan (ATP) in December 2020. Several initiatives recommended for implementation within the ATP have been progressing and there's interest to kick off new initiatives.

**V. RGVMPD EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS' REPORT AND UPDATES**

Action       Possible Action       Information

**Presenter:**            **Andrew A. Canon, RGVMPD**

**Item Summary:**

**VI. STATUS REPORTS**

**A. TxDOT Project Status Report**

Action                       Possible Action                       Information

**Presenter:**            Maria Champine, TxDOT

**B. Cameron County RMA**

Action                       Possible Action                       Information

**Presenter:**            Pete Sepulveda

**C. Hidalgo County RMA**

Action

Possible Action

Information

**Presenter:** Ramon Navarro

**VII. Other Business (Old or New):** This item provides an opportunity for members to bring items of interest before the group.

**VIII. Next Meeting:** The next RGVMPPO Technical Advisory Committee is schedule "VIRTUAL" at **10:00 am on March 9, 2023.**