



**RIO GRANDE VALLEY
METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION
BICYCLE & PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

**RGVMPO BPAC Meeting Agenda
Wednesday, February 2, 2022**

JOIN VIRTUALLY Microsoft Teams Meeting Link
JOIN IN-PERSON UTRGV Center for Innovation & Commercialization,
307 E. Railroad St., Weslaco, TX

VOTING MEMBERS:

**COMMISSIONER DR. ROSE
GOWEN BPAC CHAIR
CARACARA TRAILS**

**MICHAEL MCNEW
BPAC VICE CHAIR
BIKE/PED CITIZEN AT-LARGE**

CITY OF BROWNSVILLE

CITY OF EDINBURG

CITY OF HARLINGEN

CITY OF McALLEN

CITY OF PHARR

CITY OF WESLACO

TxDOT (PHARR DISTRICT)

VALLEY METRO

TPWD ESTERO LLANO GRANDE
STATE PARK

USFWS SANTA ANA NATIONAL
WILDLIFE REFUGE

VALLEY OFF-ROAD BICYCLING
ASSOCIATION

RENE A. BALLESTEROS

RICHARD CAVIN

ANA ADAME

EUDENIA "EUDY" CARRILLO

MICHAEL PADGETT

RGVMPO STAFF:
EVA LIZETTE GARCIA
*PLANNER III: BIKE-PED
PROGRAM COORDINATOR*

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. CITIZENS INPUT/PUBLIC COMMENT

IV. PRESENTATION, ACTION AND DISCUSSION ITEMS

- A. Consideration and Action to Approve the Minutes of January 5, 2022
- B. Presentation and Discussion on the RGVMPO BPAC + ATP Implementation Survey Results
- C. Discussion and Possible Action regarding the RGV Facility Inventory
- D. Discussion and Possible Action regarding RGVMPO BPAC Membership

V. PROJECT UPDATES

VI. NEW OR UNFINISHED BUSINESS

VII. ADJOURNMENT

**Meeting Minutes of the
Rio Grande Valley Metropolitan Planning Organization
Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC)**

Wednesday, January 5, 2022 at 11:00 AM
Via Microsoft Teams

I. CALL TO ORDER

The Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC) meeting was held VIA Microsoft Teams and called to order by BPAC Chair, Dr. Rose Gowen, at 11:01am

II. ROLL CALL

RGVBPAC Representatives **PRESENT:**

Organization/Agency	Voting Membership	Alternate Voting Member
Caracara Trails	Chair <i>Commissioner Dr. Rose Gowen</i>	<i>Adrienne Wheatly</i>
At-Large	Vice-Chair <i>Michael McNew</i>	
City of Brownsville	Frank Gudino	<i>Joel Garza</i>
City of Edinburg	Larry Ayala	<i>Valentin Sanchez</i>
City of Harlingen	Andy Vigstol	Javier Mendez
City of McAllen	<i>Marlen Garza</i>	Rosvel Hinojosa
City of Pharr	Omar Anzaldua	<i>Maria Rangel</i>
City of Weslaco	Omar Rodriguez	<i>Rebecca de la Fuente</i>
TxDOT Pharr District	Joseph Leal	Craig Wuensche
Valley Metro		
Museum of South Texas History	Rene A. Ballesteros	
Bicycle World RGV	Ana Adame	
TPWD Estero Llano Grande SP	Javier de Leon	Kelly Malkowski
USFWS Santa Ana NWR	Christine Donald	<i>Imer de la Garza</i>
At-Large	<i>Eudenia "Eudy" Carrillo</i>	
At-Large	Richard Cavin	
At-Large	<i>Michael Padgett</i>	

Other Attendees:

- Rodney Gomez, UTRGV
- Horacio Garza, RGV BCycle
- Crystal Gonzalez, Cameron County
- Rick Carrera, LRGVDC
- Patty Alexander
- Monica Gomez
- Louis Cutaia

RGVMPO Staff:

- Luis Diaz, Assistant Director
- Rudy Zamora, Planner II
- Melany Rodriguez, Planner I
- Javier Dominguez, Planner I
- Chris Nelson, Planner I
- Nick Cousineau, GIS Specialist I
- Juan Pena, GIS Specialist I
- Fernando Cantu, GIS Specialist II
- Eva Garcia, Planner III Bike/Ped Program Coordinator

III. CITIZENS INPUT – NONE.

IV. PRESENTATION, DISCUSSION, AND ACTION ITEMS

A. Consideration and Possible Action to Approve the Minutes of November 3, 2021

Eva Garcia, RGVMPO BikePed Program Coordinator, presented the Minutes of November 3, 2021. BPAC Member Omar Rodriguez (City of Weslaco) made a motion to approve the Minutes of November 3, 2021. The motion was seconded by Frank Gudino (City of Brownsville) and upon a vote; the **motion passed unanimously**.

B. Presentation and Discussion on the RGVMPO BPAC + ATP Implementation Survey Results

Eva reviewed the results of the RGVMPO BPAC + ATP Survey. Due to the low number of response, BPAC Members were given an extension to submit their feedback through the survey.

C. Presentation and Discussion on the Quarterly RGV BCycle Program

Horacio Garza, LRGVDC, provided RGVMPO BPAC Members with a quarterly update on the RGV BCycle (bikeshare program).

D. Presentation and Discussion on the Quarterly RGV Bicycle and Pedestrian Counter Data Program

Chris Nelson, RGV MPO, provided RGVMPO BPAC Members with a quarterly update on the RGV Bicycle and Pedestrian Counter Data Program.

V. PROJECT UPDATES

A. Presentation and Discussion on the RGVMPO Active TASA Projects

Eva Garcia, RGVMPO, provided RGVMPO BPAC Members with an update on all active TASA Projects.

- i. FY 2017-2018
- ii. FY 2019-2020
- iii. FY 2021-2022

VI. NEW OR UNFINISHED BUSINESS – NONE

VII. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the BPAC Committee, Omar Rodriguez (City of Weslaco) made a motion to adjourn meeting at 12 P.M. The motion was seconded by Frank Gudino (City of Brownsville), and upon a vote; the motion passed unanimously.