

NOTICE OF MEETING

Des Moines Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO)
Traffic Management Advisory Committee (TMAC)

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2:00 p.m., Monday, May 22, 2017

Des Moines Area MPO Burnham Conference Room

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TENTATIVE AGENDA

1. Call To Order
2. VOTE: Approval of Agenda
3. VOTE: Approval of Meeting Minutes
4. REPORT: Speeding on Local Streets Page 2
 - Discussion regarding speed camera and complaint data.
5. REPORT: Statewide and MPO Crash Performance Measure Goal Setting Page 3
 - Discussion regarding the upcoming crash performance measure goal setting requirements for the state and MPO planning area.
6. REPORT: Legislative Update Page 4
 - Discussion of legislation of interest.
7. Report: Upcoming Events Page 5
 - Discussion regarding upcoming events between June 1 and August 31.
8. Report: After Action Summary Page 6
 - Iowa DOT will present an after action summary of a recent crash on I-235.
9. Other Non-Action Items of Interest
10. Next Meeting Date: Monday, August 28, 2017
11. Adjournment

The established protocol for minutes of this meeting will be to list all attendees, and with each item on which a vote is conducted in the ordinary course in order to take formal action, those voting nay or abstaining will be identified by name. Any member who is absent from the meeting for any period of time during which a vote of the body is taken, is expected to notify the recording secretary at the conclusion of the meeting so that the absence can be duly noted in the minutes. Roll Call votes will be taken as required by law or upon the request of any member that is approved by the chair, and the vote of each member for or against the proposition, or abstention, will be incorporated in the minutes or recorded on a separate sheet attached to the minutes.

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May 2017
Item No. 4

ISSUE: Speeding on Local Streets

REPORT: Discussion regarding speed camera data collection and accessibility.

BACKGROUND:

The MPO staff is interested in exploring the use of speed camera data to supplement the data available through INRIX. Staff would like to discuss the process by which communities identify locations for permanent and temporary speed cameras, whether the speed data is collected and saved, and the availability of the data.

RECOMMENDATION:

None. Report and discussion only.

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May 2017
Item No. 5

ISSUE: Statewide and MPO Crash Performance Measure Goal Setting

REPORT: Discussion regarding the upcoming crash performance measure goal setting requirements for the state and MPO planning area.

BACKGROUND:

In April 2016, the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) released the final rulemaking for safety performance measures for the Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP). Included in the rulemaking are definitions of key terms, the applicability of the rule, and guidance on how to establish performance targets, determine if progress is achieved, and reporting targets for the HSIP.

In February 2017, MPO staff met with Iowa DOT and FHWA staff to discuss target setting and coordination efforts prior to the establishment of state targets in August 2017. The MPO will have 180 days after the state sets its targets to either:

1. Support the State DOT target
2. Establish targets for each of the five performance measures specific to the MPO planning area

MPO staff will provide additional information of statewide targets and MPO crash statistics in August as statewide targets get finalized.

RECOMMENDATION:

None. Report and discussion only.

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May 2017
Item No. 6

ISSUE: Legislative Update

REPORT: Discussion of legislation of interest.

BACKGROUND:

MPO staff will discuss recent legislative efforts that relate to transportation safety and quick clearance. Recent legislation will potentially impact safety goal setting for the region and staff would like to discuss the potential impact of the legislation.

RECOMMENDATION:

None. Report and discussion only.

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May 2017
Item No. 7

ISSUE: Major Events in the Des Moines Metro

REPORT: Discussion of major events planned for the Des Moines Metro.

BACKGROUND:

Upcoming events between June 1 and August 31 that may impact traffic in the Des Moines Metro and Central Iowa.

Sporting Events

Principal Charity Classic: June 6-11

Events at Iowa Speedway (Newton): Late June – July

Solheim Cup: August 14-20

Road Races and Bike Rides

Dam-to-Dam: June 3

Tour de Cure: June 10

BACooN Ride: June 17

Christmas in July Full Moon Ride: July 8

Other Events

Iowa State Fair: August 10-20

RECOMMENDATION:

None. Report and discussion only.

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May 2017
Item No. 8

ISSUE: After Action Summary

REPORT: Iowa DOT will present an after action summary of a recent crash on I-235.

BACKGROUND:

Iowa DOT will provide an overview of a crash on I-235 from April 3rd, 2017. The overview will include video of the crash occurring, impact to traffic, and incident response. Additionally, INRIX data for the time of the crash will be reviewed.

RECOMMENDATION:

None. Report and discussion only.

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