

Agenda

July 28, 2021, 9:00 a.m.

Meeting Locations:

NDOT Microsoft Teams

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Purpose

The TPAC is intended to advise, solicit input, and interact with the Nevada Department of Transportation (NDOT) Planning management team and staff on issues that affect transportation planning in Nevada. This advisement/interaction may include review, comment, and making recommendations on NDOT planning studies, plans, and guidance. An additional purpose of the committee is to help NDOT with its public outreach efforts by providing valued input into the transportation planning and decision-making processes.

Agenda Items

- 1. Update, discussion, and request for comment on the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) Office of Central Federal Lands (CFL) Integrated Planning Scope (Elijah Henley) 20 minutes
- 2. Electric Vehicle (EV) Charging Roundtable Discussion (Jennifer Taylor, Kandee Bahr-Worley and Daniel Doenges) 20 minutes
- 3. NDOT State Planning and Research Program (SPR) Corridor Planning (Matt Bradley) 10 minutes
- 4. Introduction and opportunity to evaluate and provide input into the Federal Grant Support Checklist (Kevin Verre)-10 minutes
- 5. Member updates/discussion
- 6. Future agenda discussion for October 27, 2021 meeting
- 7. Adjournment

MEMORANDUM

Nevada Department of Transportation (NDOT)

To:	Transportation P	lanning Advisory	Committee	(TPAC)
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From: NDOT Planning

Date: July 28, 2021

Subject: Agenda Item #2 Electric Vehicle (EV) Charging Roundtable Discussion

Background:

The purpose of this agenda item is to provide background, introduction, current state, and future plans of the electric vehicle (EV) network in Nevada. Multiple agencies will be a part of this discussion. This discussion could continue at future TPAC meetings.

Today's discussion will focus on:

<u>Kandee Bahr Worley, NDOT – (5 minutes)</u> – Discuss the process of federal designation for electric highways, rural pilot for an electric cut-away bus in Douglas County, and collaboration with Governor's Office of Energy. Will also discuss location and designation efforts for charging stations.

<u>Jennifer Taylor, Governor's Office of Energy – (5 minutes) -</u> Discuss energy efficiency, renewable energy, climate initiatives, transportation electrification, incentive programs, and Senate Bill 448 (2021).

<u>Daniel Doenges</u>, <u>RTC of Washoe County – (5 minutes)</u> – Share the goals of the study RTC is currently doing and share links and stakeholder meeting information.

Action:

The TPAC will have the opportunity to ask questions of this panel.

MEMORANDUM

Nevada Department of Transportation (NDOT)

To: Transportation Planning Advisory Committee (TPAC)

From: NDOT Planning

Date: July 28, 2021

Subject: Agenda Item #3 Update on the State Planning & Research (SPR) Corridor Planning

Background:

The purpose of this agenda item is to provide an update on NDOT's SPR-Corridor Planning progress.

This presentation will:

Review corridor studies that are currently underway. These include: SR 431 Mt. Rose, SR 659 McCarran Loop, and US 50 (Lake Tahoe, Spooner Jct. to Stateline); and

Request the TPAC to provide input on the corridor studies under future consideration. These include SR 159 and SR 160 Blue Diamond Road – requesting input regarding scope of studies and respective termini; and

There will be a discussion of how the new SPR Corridor Planning task will help to feed and inform future transportation needs. We will also talk about limitations on the SPR Program due to staffing, budget, etc. Staff is planning to update the TPAC on a quarterly basis on the status of the NDOT Corridor Plans.

Action:

Invite the TPAC to discuss what we have talked about today and ask if there are other NDOT corridor studies that we should consider.

MEMORANDUM

Nevada Department of Transportation (NDOT)

To: Transportation Planning Advisory Committee (TPAC)

From: NDOT Planning

Date: July 28, 2021

Subject: Agenda Item #4 Introduction and opportunity to evaluate and provide input into the

Federal Grant Support Checklist

Staff will ask the TPAC to evaluate and provide input to the discretionary grant support checklist; NDOT has formalized the process for requesting department support related to discretionary grants. The checklist will allow staff to provide informed and consistent recommendations to the NDOT leadership team when a letter of support for discretionary grant funding has been requested. This checklist will be used by agencies when requesting letters of support.

Action:

Staff will ask the TPAC to evaluate and provide input to the discretionary grant support checklist.