







Isothermal Regional Comprehensive Transportation Plan July 15, 2020 Zoom Meeting Minutes

1. Polk County (Morning Session)

- a. Project List (attached)
 - SPOT heading: Division 14 (not 13!)
 - SPOT 5: no bike lanes or sidewalk; instead, add greenway.
 - Remove CTP-1/2
 - CTP-3: project won't give us ability to consolidate driveways, but as the mostheavily trafficked segment, 100% worth including
 - CTP-4: Combine Coxe with Chesnee Rd
 - I-26 on Mountain: check with EMS, can definitely wait and see. Possible mobility rationale (safety must be secondary); truck %, check to see if there is a continuous counter
 - Houston Rd/White St Intersection improvement

b. Further Discussion

(including next steps, non-highway, etc.)

Next meeting: non-highway modes (bike/ped/transit/rail)

2. McDowell & Rutherford Counties (Afternoon Session)

- a. Project List (attached)
 - Broyhill Rd being Realigned with Thompson Rd for the Middle School (R-2233BB?). Connection to Rail Trail across US 221
 - Continue to talk about US 221A project near Thomas Jefferson HS, moved off face of the earth.
 - Modernization of US 221A south of 74 fwy -> include in STIP projects; check FS list.
 - SPOT projects at Main St (Henrietta?) and Ellenboro-Caroleen
 - ***Add STIP R-3612 to project list***

b. Further Discussion

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3. Next meeting

- a. Non-Highway recommendations
- b. Meeting dates

Polk County - August 19th

Regional - Sometime in September

Added a McDowell follow-up to discuss a few more projects (in July)