

Rocky Mount MPO CTP Meeting

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Meeting Date: July 22, 2015

The meeting began at 2:05 PM in Conference Room One on the 2nd floor at Rocky Mount City Hall.

In attendance:

- Michelle Cobb, Sharpsburg Town Manager
- Jimmy Eatmon, NCDOT Division 4 Program and Schedule Support Manager
- Ken A. Graves, Planning & Community Development Director
- Brian Hassell, Town of Nashville Planning Director
- Cynthia Jenkins, Edgecombe County Planning Director
- Brad Kerr, Rocky Mount Director of Engineering
- Bob League, Rocky Mount Principal Transportation Planner
- Suzette Morales, NCDOT Transportation Project Engineer
- Scott Walston, NCDOT TBP Triangle Group Supervisor
- James Salmons, Upper Coastal Plain RPO Director
- Tobline Thigpen, NCDOT Transportation Project Engineer

Updates to Title VI Map

Suzette provided updated versions of the Title VI maps for the committee to review. Suzette asked the committee to consider locations to have future public outreach meetings for areas that met the Title VI requirement.

Updates to Highway Map

Suzette provided the committee with the latest updated highway map, which included all requested recommendation to date. She informed the committee that, at the next meeting, she would provide them with a 2040 volume/capacity map which would show how well the transportation system would work if all recommendations were to be built.

Pedestrian Map

The committee reviewed the draft pedestrian map. The map had recommendations based on the city of Rocky Mount pedestrian plan, the town of Nashville pedestrian plan, and the Nash County CTP for the town of Sharpsburg. The committee spent about 15 minutes reviewing the map and adding additional recommendations. The committee also requested that Suzette include a creek/stream layer for the pedestrian map to help with greenway and off-road recommendations. Suzette requested that the committee send her, via email, other recommendations that they have up until the next meeting so that all new recommendations can be reviewed at that time. The committee will continue to review the pedestrian recommendations map and make additional recommendations, if necessary, at the next meeting.

Environmental Maps

Suzette showed the committee large environmental maps as well as definitions to the labels on those maps. The committee was asked to review the project recommendations for environmental impacts. Suzette informed the committee that the environmental maps are available on the Rocky Mount CTP website

Next Meeting and Potential Topics

The Steering Committee agreed to set the next CTP meeting to Wednesday, August 26, 2015 at 2:00 pm. Suzette informed the committee that the potential topics for the next meeting would be reviewing the volume/capacity maps, pedestrian recommendation map, bicycle plan and possibly the rail/public



transportation plan if there is time. She also informed the group that she would bring a project recommendation spreadsheet for the committee to compare to the highway map

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The next meeting will be at 2:00pm on **Wednesday, August 26, 2015.**

The meeting adjourned at 3:00 PM.

