



Transportation Technical Committee
Meeting Minutes

Friday, June 12, 2026
9:00 a.m.

Government Center, MCRPC Conference Room
115 E. Washington St, Bloomington, IL 61701
Hybrid (In-Person & Virtual Meeting)

Public Hearing on Draft FY 2027-2031 Transportation Improvement Program

Mr. Lai opened the public hearing on the draft FY27-31 TIP at 9:00 a.m. Receiving no public comment, Mr. Lai closed the hearing at 9:01 a.m.

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 9:01 a.m.

2. Attendance

Committee Members Present:

Raymond LaiMCRPC, Executive Director; Technical Committee Chair
Jeff Jurgens, proxy by Jim Karch City of Bloomington, City Manager
Jim Karch..... City of Bloomington, Director of Engineering
Cassy Taylor, proxy by Jerry StokesMcLean County, County Administrator
Jerry StokesMcLean County Highway Department, County Engineer
Pam Reece, proxy by Ryan Otto Town of Normal, City Manager
Ryan Otto.....Town of Normal, Public Works & Engineering Director
Dan Magee IDOT District 5, Federal Aid Coordinator
Derek Bridges IDOT District 5, Planning & Services Chief
Brady Lange Connect Transit, CEO

Others Present:

Jennifer Sicks.....MCRPC
Thomas ValenciaMCRPC
Jake Crevoiserat.....MCRPC
Katie McShane (virtual).....MCRPC

Mr. Lai indicated that attendance was taken, and a quorum was present in-person.

3. Public Comment

Ms. Lai said that no request for public comment was received and that no one is present to offer comment.

4. Approval of Minutes of the May 22, 2026 Transportation Technical Committee meeting

Mr. Bridges offered a motion to approve the minutes of the May 22, 2026 meeting and was seconded by Mr. Magee. The motion was approved unanimously.

Items for Referral to the Policy Committee

5. FY 2027-2031 Transportation Improvement Program for adoption.

Ms. Sicks said that this item is to put the draft Transportation Improvement Program before the Policy Committee on June 26. The draft TIP is not completed as of the time of this meeting, but Ms. Sicks said that it will be next week in advance of the Policy Committee meeting. Ms. Sicks is asking the members of the Committee to approve the draft TIP document based on her description of its with changes and updates to be included.

Mr. Karch offered a motion to approve Item 5 and was seconded by Mr. Otto. The motion was approved unanimously. This item will be referred to the Policy Committee.

Items of Information or Discussion

6. Project Updates

Mr. Lai said that there was a Veterans Parkway Project Steering Committee meeting later that day.

7. That Which May Arise

Ms. Sicks showed the members of the Committee tentative future meeting dates.

8. Next Meeting:

The next meeting is scheduled for July 17, 2026, at 10:30 a.m.

9. Adjournment:

Mr. Stokes motioned to adjourn the meeting and was seconded by Mr. Bridges. The motion was approved unanimously. Mr. Lai adjourned the meeting at 9:10 a.m.

Notes prepared by Jake Crevoiserat, Assistant Planner