



ASSOCIATION OF
CENTRAL OKLAHOMA
GOVERNMENTS



ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE



AGENDA: THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2025, AT 9 A.M.

Association of Central Oklahoma Governments
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THE ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE WILL HOLD A REGULAR MEETING ON THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13, AT 9 A.M. AT ACOG IN THE OKLAHOMA BOARD ROOM, 4205 N. LINCOLN BLVD., OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA

Please notify ACOG at 405.234.2264 (TDD/TTY Call 7-1-1 Statewide or email title.vi@acogok.org) by NOON on MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10, if you require accommodations pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act or Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act.

AGENDA

A. CALL TO ORDER ([ATTACHMENT A](#))

B. APPROVAL OF OCTOBER 9, 2024, MINUTES ([ATTACHMENT B](#))

C. ACTION ITEMS:

1. Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) Projects Selections: Ethan Mazzio, Transportation Planning Services (TPS) Transportation Planner II - Mobility ([ATTACHMENT C-1](#)) *Action requested.*

D. FOR INFORMATION ONLY:

1. ACOG Area Transportation Infrastructure Inventory Review: Jose Jimenez, TPS Transportation Planner I - Safety ([ATTACHMENT D-1](#)) *For information only.*
2. 2025 Bike Month: Ethan Mazzio, Planner II – Mobility TPS Planning Services ([ATTACHMENT D-2](#)) *For information only.*

E. NEW BUSINESS

F. ADJOURN

DEADLINE FOR APRIL ATAC AGENDA ITEMS:

Thursday, March 27, 2025, at 4 p.m.

NEXT MEETING:

Thursday, April 10, 2025, at 9 a.m.

ATTACHMENT A

ATAC

VOTING MEMBERS AND ALTERNATES

CITY/ORGANIZATION	MEMBERS	ALTERNATES
BETHANY	No Designee	Amanda McCellon Director of Planning
		Elizabeth Gray, City Manager
BLANCHARD	Dustin Downey, AICP Capital Project Manager	Hayden Wilkes City Planner
		David Ofsthun Finance Director
CALUMET	No Designee	
CHOCTAW	No Designee	Alexandra (Lexie) Baker City Planner
		Stuart Drake City Planner
COLE	No Designee	
DEL CITY	Kyle Gandy Director Economic Development	Kellie Wilbanks Community Development Director
		James Lehmkuhler Interim City Planner
EDMOND	Jan Fees City Planner	Sean Wallace Associate Planner
		Hamzah Al-Rashdan Traffic Engineer
EL RENO	No Designee	
FOREST PARK	No Designee	
GOLDSBY	No Designee	
GUTHRIE	Dan Kassik Planning Director	Justin Fortney Tourism Director
HARRAH	No Designee	
JONES CITY	No Designee	
LEXINGTON	No Designee	
LUTHER	Chris Ivich Parks Commissioner	
MIDWEST CITY		Julie Shannon Planner III
		Pete Singleton Engineering Project Manager
MOORE	Elizabeth Weitman Community Development Director	Jared Jakubowski Associate Planner
MUSTANG	David Russell Project Stormwater Manager	Nic Bailey Parks & Recreation Director

CITY/ORGANIZATION	MEMBERS	ALTERNATES
NEWCASTLE	No Designee	
NICHOLS HILLS	Hon. Peter Hoffman Mayor	
NICOMA PARK	No Designee	
NOBLE	Robert Porton City Manager	Michael Glessner City Planner
NORMAN	David Riesland Transportation Engineer	Awet Frezgi Traffic Engineer
		James Briggs Parks Planner
OKLAHOMA CITY	Maxton Harris Senior Planner	Justin Henry Program Planner
		Sasha Tepedelenova McCrone Senior Planner
PIEDMONT	Lyn Land Parks & Recreation Chair	
SLAUGHTERVILLE	No Designee	
SPENCER	Shamia Jackson City Manger	Charmin Williams Vice Mayor
TUTTLE	No Designee	
THE VILLAGE	No Designee	
UNION CITY	No Designee	
WARR ACRES	Vacant	Vacant
YUKON	Vacant	Danielle O'Neal Asst. Planning Director
		Mitchell Hort Assistant City Manager
		Clauida Krshka Grant Writer
CANADIAN CO.	Hon. Lacey Dawson Commissioner	Hon. Tomas Manske Commissioner
		Hon. Tracey Rider Commissioner
CLEVELAND CO.	Hon. Rod Cleveland County Commissioner	Brian Wint Manager
LOGAN CO.	No Designee	Hon. Monty Piearcy Commissioner - District 3
OKLAHOMA CO.	No Designee	Mike Sullivan Court Clerk's Office

CITY/ORGANIZATION	MEMBERS	ALTERNATES
CENTRAL OKLAHOMA TRANSPORTATION AND PARKING AUTHORITY (COTPA)	Chip Nolen Planning Manager	Sam Scovill Planning Tech
CITY OF NORMAN OKLAHOMA (TRANSIT)	Jason Huff Transit Planner & Grants Specialist	Taylor Johnson Transit & Parking Program Manager
OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	Jared Schwennesen Multimodal Division Manager	Bart Vleugels Active Transportation Manager
		Eric Rose Mobility, & Public Transit Manager
OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH	Jeremy Morrison Obesity Prevention Consultant	Lauren Larson Lead Wellness Coordinator
		Karin Leimbach Certified Health Consultant
BIKE CLUBS/ASSOCIATIONS	Tony Carfang President Bike Oklahoma	Sheri Hutchins Vice President, Bike Oklahoma
		Bonnie Winslow Bike Oklahoma
CITIZENS OR NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATIONS	Walter Jacques Citizen of Del City	
WALKING AND RUNNING ASSOCIATIONS	Chuck Mikkelson Oklahoma City Running Club	Clancy Green OKC Running Club

NON-VOTING MEMBERS AND ALTERNATES

CITY/ORGANIZATION	MEMBERS	ALTERNATES
U.S. DOT - FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION (FHWA)	Isaac Akem Community Planner - OK Division	
U.S. DOT - FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION (FTA)	Marc Oliphant Community Planner	Donald Koski Deputy Regional Administrator
OKLA, DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION (ODOT) - LOCAL GOVERNMENT	Matt VanAuken Program/Project Manager	

ACOG STAFF

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ATTACHMENT B

SUBJECT:

MINUTES OF THE ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

DATE:

OCTOBER 9, 2024

A regular meeting of the Active Transportation Advisory Committee was convened on October 9, 2024, at the Association of Central Oklahoma Governments, in the Oklahoma Board Room, at 4205 N. Lincoln Blvd., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. The meeting was held as indicated, by advanced notice filed with the Oklahoma County Clerk and by notice posted at the ACOG offices at least 24 hours prior to the meeting.

PRESIDING

John Sharp

ENTITY/AGENCY

ACOG

VOTING ATAC MEMBERS

Kyle Gandy

Julie Shannon

David Riesland

Claudia Krshka

Bart Vleugels

Hal Cantwell

Chuck Mikkelsen

ENTITY/AGENCY

Del City

Midwest City

Norman

Yukon

Oklahoma Dept of Transportation (ODOT)

Norman Bike Advisory Committee

Oklahoma City Running Club

NON-VOTING MEMBERS

None

ENTITY/AGENCY

GUESTS PRESENT

Andrew Meyers

Jim Hill

Ryan Baker

Sheri Hutchinson

ENTITY/AGENCY

Del City

Oklahoma City

Oklahoma City

Bike Oklahoma

ACOG STAFF PRESENT

Jennifer Sebesta

David Frick

Lauren Wood

Jose Jimenez-Rubio

Gwendolyn Gordon

POSITION

TPS Division Manager

TPS Air Quality & Clean Cities Planner II

TPS Transportation Planner II - Performance

TPS Transportation Planner I - Safety

Admin. Assistant

ENTITIES/AGENCIES ABSENT

Bethany
Blanchard
Calumet
Choctaw
Cole
El Reno
Forest Park
Goldsby
Guthrie
Harrah
Jones City
Lexington
Luther
Moore
Mustang
Newcastle
Nichols Hills
Nicoma Park
Noble
Piedmont
Slaughterville
Spencer
Tuttle
The Village
Union City
Warr Acres
Yukon
Canadian Co.
Cleveland Co.
Logan Co.
Oklahoma Co.
Central Oklahoma Transportation and Parking Authority (COTPA)
Oklahoma Transit (Norman)
Oklahoma Dept. of Health

NON-VOTING MEMBERS ABSENT

U.S. DOT – Federal Highway Administration (FHWA)
U.S. DOT - Federal Transit Administration (FTA)

MINUTES

A. CALL TO ORDER

John Sharp called the meeting to order at 9:06 a.m. He introduced himself and entertained introductions of members, staff, and guests.

B. APPROVAL OF THE JUNE 12, 2024, MINUTES

David Riesland moved to approve the June 12, 2024, minutes. Kyle Gandy seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

C. FOR INFORMATION ONLY:

1. Pedestrian Safety Awareness Month

Jose Jimenez said October is designated as National Pedestrian Safety Awareness Month by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and Federal Highway Administration. He said ACOG is planning a series of events and messaging campaigns to help raise awareness in Central Oklahoma during the month of October through mid-November. He then highlighted the information as detailed in the agenda memorandum, noting that if the cities need messaging, flyers, or graphics for their events, to reach out to ACOG. Mr. Jimenez said the focus will be on safety events for children now, and the focus will be on adult safety after daylight savings. He encouraged the committee to attend the screening of the documentary, *3 Seconds Behind the Wheel*, and presented a trailer for the film. He then said that the screening would be at 6 p.m. on October 28 at the Ronald J. Norick Downtown Library in Oklahoma City.

Mr. Jimenez said to let him know of any safety events in their communities. He said resolutions by the communities could bring awareness of pedestrian safety. Mr. Sharp added that ACOG could provide a sample resolution template.

2. Regional Safety Plan Update

John Sharp said ACOG, Oklahoma City, and Guthrie are preparing Regional Safety Action Plans. The ACOG Plan is for the entire region to use and will be completed by the end of this year. Oklahoma City's plan will be specific to their city limits. Guthrie's plan will just cover their community and be completed next year. When the plans are completed, then communities can apply to the federal government directly for funding for safety implementation grants.

He then gave a presentation which can be viewed here:

https://www.acogok.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/09/ACOG_RSAP-Status-Sept-2024.pdf.

Mr. Sharp said a draft of the Regional Safety Action Plan report would be available for review in October. He suggested that they see if their councils/commissioners want to make a statement about working towards Vision Zero, which is a strategy that considers roadway design, speeds, behaviors, technology, and policies to eliminate traffic fatalities and severe injuries. Whether we get to Vision Zero depends largely on the actions of drivers/walkers/cyclists.

Another idea ACOG staff had is to modify the STBG funding criteria to incorporate some of these safety components. The committee could adjust the safety category (100 percent money) and the 80/20 percent money to place a higher emphasis on safety. This may be easier to do since the region has gone from \$25 million to \$40 million in STBG funds, which gives more room to incorporate more safety-type projects.

3. Review of Regional Transportation Infrastructure Inventory

Jose Jimenez highlighted the information provided in the agenda memorandum. He encouraged the committee members to review the bike facility and sidewalk maps for the ACOG MPO region. Mr. Jimenez provided the following links to access the webmaps to provide feedback on any infrastructures that may be incorrectly displayed.

[ACOG Bike Network for Review Sept 2024](#)

[ACOG Sidewalks for ATAC Review 2024](#)

4. Status of Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) Projects in the ACOG MPO Transportation Management Area (TMA)

Jennifer Sebesta presented the committee with a Local Government Status report on current projects.

D. NEW BUSINESS

None

E. ADJOURN

There being no further business, John Sharp adjourned the meeting at 10:22 a.m.



ATTACHMENT C-1

SUBJECT:

TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM (TAP) PROJECT SELECTIONS

DATE:

FEBRUARY 13, 2025

FROM:

ETHAN MAZZIO

Transportation Planner II – Mobility
Transportation Planning Services

INFORMATION:

On June 12, 2024, ACOG issued a Call for Projects (CFP) for the \$7.5 million in Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) funds assigned to the [ACOG Adjusted Urbanized Area](#). ACOG received 18 applications for this competitive grant program, totaling \$14.8 million in requests for federal TAP funding.

ACOG staff completed its review of the 2024-2025 TAP applications, scoring sheets, and supporting documentation that were submitted by member entities. This process included verifying project components and scoring accuracy. All applications were also reviewed by Oklahoma Department of Transportation (ODOT) staff.

After conducting a review of 2024-2025 TAP applications, ACOG has identified 9 projects to receive full or partial funding, as well as 2 projects as alternates to receive additional funding as it may become available.

The projects selected for funding, as well as the alternate projects, can be found on the following page.

ACTION REQUESTED:

Consider recommending that the ACOG MPO Policy Committee approve funding for the FY 2024-2025 TAP project list, with the City of Noble's "8th Pioneer Sidewalks" and "Maguire Senior to Hubbard Sidewalks" projects as alternates to receive any additional funding that may become available.

TABLE 1:
2024-2025 TAP RECOMMENDED PROJECT AWARD LIST

Recommended TAP Project Selections

Score	Lead	TIP ID	Project Title	Project Type	Est. Fed Share	Amount Awarded	Cumulative Total
91	OKC	255	W. Wilshire Multi-Use Trail ¹	Other Trails	1,454,790	1,304,790	1,304,790
90	OKC	280	S. Santa Fe Ave. Multi-Use Trail ²	Other Trails	1,500,000	1,500,000	2,804,790
85	OKC	281	S.W. 74th St. Sidewalks, S. May to S. Shields ³	Pedestrian & Bicycle	1,500,000	1,395,210	4,200,000
81	MWC	272	Crutcho Creek Connector South	Pedestrian & Bicycle	728,000	728,000	4,928,000
72	NOB	264	Main St. West to City Hall Sidewalks	Pedestrian & Bicycle	1,026,400	1,026,400	5,954,400
67	NOR	276	Boyd St. Sidewalks, Berry Rd. to Flood Ave.	Pedestrian & Bicycle	659,871	659,871	6,614,271
67	NOB	244	Main St. East to 5th St. Sidewalks	Pedestrian & Bicycle	537,200	537,200	7,151,471
61	NOB	268	48 th Etowah	Pedestrian & Bicycle	283,120	283,120	7,434,591
59	NOR	278	36 th Ave. N.W. & 24 th Ave. N.E. RRFB Systems	Pedestrian & Bicycle	54,400	54,400	7,488,991

Recommended Project Alternates

Score	Lead	TIP ID	Project Title	Project Type	Est. Fed Share	Amount Awarded	Cumulative Total
66	NOB	266	8 th Pioneer Sidewalks	Pedestrian & Bicycle	857,200	-	-
64	NOB	265	Maguire Senior to Hubbard Sidewalks	Pedestrian & Bicycle	592,710	-	-

¹ Project is subject to a reduction in award commensurate with a modification of project scope and is overmatched by entity; Project overmatch is \$150,000.

² Project is subject to individual project funding cap and is overmatched by entity; Project overmatch is \$3,023,200.

³ Project is subject to single-entity funding cap and is overmatched by entity; Project overmatch is \$350,441.

⁴ Remaining \$11,009 will be rolled to the next TAP funding cycle (tentatively FY 2026/2027).

All projects are capped at the awarded amount.

Total Funds Available	7,500,000
Total TAP Funds Programmed	7,488,991
Remaining Balance	11,009 ⁴



ATTACHMENT D-1

SUBJECT:

REVIEW ACOG AREA ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE INVENTORY

DATE:

FEBRUARY 13, 2025

FROM:

JOSE JIMENEZ

Transportation Planner 1 – Safety
Transportation Planning Services

INFORMATION:

As part of ongoing efforts to maintain an accurate and comprehensive inventory of active transportation infrastructure, ACOG staff is requesting that ATAC members review the current and planned Active Transportation map for the ACOG region. The goal is to ensure that all existing, newly completed, and updated planned bike lanes, sidewalks, trails, shared-use paths, and other relevant facilities are accurately represented.

Members are encouraged to thoroughly assess the map and provide feedback on any infrastructure that may be missing or incorrectly displayed. This includes, but is not limited to:

- New infrastructure completed in your jurisdiction that is not currently reflected.
- Existing infrastructure that may have been overlooked in the current map.
- Corrections to mislabeled or inaccurately mapped infrastructure.
- Changes in plans that need to be incorporated or removed.
- Verify the year when the infrastructure was opened or its future opening.

Please submit your updates and edits via email to Jose Jimenez at jjimenez@acogok.org by February 27, 2025. These updates will be crucial for the 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan update.

Please use the following links to access the webmaps:

[ACOG Existing Bike Network Dec 2024](#)

[ACOG Planned Bike Network Jan 2025](#)

ACTION REQUESTED:

For information only.



ATTACHMENT D-2

SUBJECT:

2025 BIKE MONTH

DATE:

FEBRUARY 13, 2025

FROM:

ETHAN MAZZIO

Transportation Planner II - Mobility
Transportation Planning Services

INFORMATION:

May is National Bike Month, sponsored by the League of American Bicyclists and celebrated in communities from coast to coast. Established in 1956, National Bike Month is a chance to showcase the many benefits of bicycling and encourage more residents to give biking a try. ACOG is planning the following events and activities to promote bicycling for transportation, recreation, and health.

BikeFest will serve as the kick-off to Bike Month and will feature bike shops and organizations, music, activities for kids, bicycle demonstrations, and more! BikeFest will take place Sunday, May 4, 2025, from 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Wheeler Ferris Wheel (1701 S. Western Ave., Oklahoma City, OK).

Bike to Work Week will take place May 12-18, 2025, and Bike to Work Day is Friday, May 16. Please begin planning your Bike to Work Day group rides and routes, and let ACOG know the routes you plan to take. Like in previous years, ACOG will assist in planning and create promotional materials for each event. Other bike events will be listed on a May Bike Calendar at the link below.

Please contact Ethan Mazzio at emazzio@acogok.org as soon as you know your event details.

Check back at <https://bikemonthok.org/> for more information about Bike Month in Central Oklahoma.

ACTION REQUESTED:

For information only.