

SWRTPO

**SOUTHWEST NEW MEXICO REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION PLANNING  
ORGANIZATION**

**TECHINCAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING**

**Minutes**

**Town of Silver City Annex**

**1203 N. Hudson St.**

**Silver City, NM 88061**

**November 1, 2018**

**9:30 a.m.**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Azucena Vargas, City of Deming  
Jim Massengill, City of Deming  
Kristy Ortiz, City of Bayard  
Mischa Larisch, Grant County  
Peter Pena, Town of Silver City  
Linda Cooke, Catron County  
Martyn Pearson, Gila Hike & Bike  
Jolene Herrera, NMDOT  
Aaron Chavarria, NMDOT  
Debbie Hudson, NMDOT  
Harold Love, NMDOT  
Cerisse Grijalva, SWNMCOG

1. Welcome and Introductions:

Peter Pena called the meeting to order at 9:43 a.m. All in attendance introduced themselves.

2. Approval/Amendments of Agenda:

Kristy moved to approve the agenda. Jim seconded the motion. All in favor, motion carried.

3. Approval of minutes from June 28, 2018 meeting:

Mischa moved to approve the June 28, 2018 meeting minutes. Jim seconded the motion. All in favor, motion carried.

4. New Business:

a. Approval of amended RTIPR-Kristy made a motion to approve the amended RTIPR which included a project added from the Village of Columbus along with adding the City of Deming Cedar Street phase II Sidewalk project back on the RTIPR. Jim seconded the motion. All in favor, motion carried.

b. CMAQ & FLAP-Jolene went over the Congestion Mitigation Air Quality (CMAQ) program advising it is statewide competitive and the application is due December 30<sup>th</sup>. Also announced there is an open call for projects for the Federal Lands Access Program (FLAP) with FHWA having a 14.56% match and application due January 15<sup>th</sup>.

c. OHVs update – Aaron announced NMDOT commission approved five routes in Grant County but are awaiting an MOU. The County will be putting up signage and have a brochure on the routes.

d. Project Updates – The Town of Silver City is completing the sidewalk project on 32<sup>nd</sup> street; 85% of the College Avenue project is complete and be completed around Thanksgiving; Design for sidewalks on Market Street has been completed and will go out for bid in January/February and construction to begin in August/September; The Visitor Center design will be complete in June and construction to begin after September, restriping of 12<sup>th</sup> street and Swan Street is on the same timeline; 32<sup>nd</sup> street will be a 1 ½ inch overlay from Silver Street to Ridge Crest starting next week. Bayard reported NM-356 has been completed. Grant County reported restriping of Cottage San Road and receiving funds for Tyrone Bridge. City of Deming reported the 8<sup>th</sup> Street sidewalk project is in the process of closing out and Cedar St. Sidewalk Phase I is complete and applying for Phase II.

5. Reports:

- a. Debbie announced the 2018 capital outlay executed agreements have been sent. LGRF 2018 disbursement request need to be sent no later than the 2<sup>nd</sup> week in December. For year 2019, get the clearances to her by May 31<sup>st</sup>.
- b. Kristy asked who she could contact to look at the railroad crossings on Poplar and Vanadium Streets, she was advised to contact Robert Fine.

Public Input:


There was no public input.

Adjourn:

Mischa made a motion to adjourn. Jim seconded the motion. All in favor, motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 10:36 a.m.

ATTEST:

  
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Cerisse Grijalva, Secretary

  
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Peter Pena, Chairman