

**TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
REGULAR MEETING AGENDA
May 11, 2017**

**JACKSONVILLE CITY HALL,
JOHNSON BOULEVARD CONFERENCE ROOM**

Present: Mr. Jack Bright, Mr. Bob Warden

Absent: Mr. Michael Lazzara, Mr. Paul Buchanan

Others Present: Mr. Anthony Prinz, Ms. Peggy Holland, Lt. Sean Magill, Mr. Alan Pytcher, Mr. Roy Bredahl, Ms. Debbie Jefferson, Ms. Nazia Sarder, Mr. Ron Massey, Ms. Stephanie Kutz, Mr. Ron Lucas, Ms. Carol Long, Ms. Karen Collette, Mr. Tim McCurry

I. [Call to Order](#)

Mr. Anthony Prinz called the Jacksonville Urban Area MPO Transportation Advisory Committee Meeting to order at 3:30 pm on Thursday, May 11, 2017 at Jacksonville City Hall, Johnson Boulevard Conference Room.

II. [Welcome and Introductions](#)

Mr. Prinz welcomed everyone to the meeting.

III. [Adoption of the Agenda](#)

Mr. Prinz did not ask for a motion to adopt the agenda because a quorum was not present.

IV. [Public Comment](#)

No Public Comment was made.

Action Items:

Consent:

V. [Election of Officers for 2017](#)

Postponed due to lack of a quorum.

Discussion Items:

VI. [Prioritization 4.0 Update](#)

Mr. Anthony Prinz began the discussion by noting that we are wrapping up P4.0 but that

it is uncertain when the new TIP will be adopted. He mentioned several new projects, one retained project and projects that are no longer on the STIP. He noted that although we lost these projects, we did do very well overall in the process. He also noted that these projects were not bad projects there was just a lack of funds. He went on to discuss next steps in the P4.0 process. Finally, he noted that we will begin asking for resolutions from the City Council and the Onslow County Board of Commissioners.

VII. [Prioritization 5.0 Work Plan](#)

Mr. Prinz begins by mentioning the P5.0 Work Group; he noted that Ms. Peggy Holland is a member of this group. Mr. Prinz mentioned that we would like the TAC to approve a work program for P5.0. He noted that there was one change to the TCC subcommittee that we would like to make by including someone from project development. He noted that the ultimate goal from the P5.0 process is the draft TIP in 2019.

VIII. [Transportation Needs Workshop Report](#)

Mr. Prinz thanked those who participated in the Transportation Needs Workshop and noted that he feels with the report we have a very clear direction of where we are headed. He mentioned that we discussed local and regional needs and economic development and military sustainability needs. This workshop was more to set our priorities for the next five years rather than trying to distinguish who the MPO is.

IX. [MPO Website and Logo](#)

Mr. Prinz began by noting the three main reasons why the MPO decided to go in the direction of a new website. He noted that the webpage was outdated, the system did not work well within Citrix and that it was incredibly expensive for today's standard. He then showed the new webpage to the committee. Ms. Karen Collette suggested adding TIMS to the quick link section of the webpage.

Mr. Prinz went on to discuss the logo and name of the MPO. He showed examples for both the logo and the name changes. Mr. Prinz felt that it was at out disadvantage to stray away from "JUMPO" but to include a couple silent words into the name. Mr. Jack Bright liked the inclusiveness of "Jacksonville Onslow Urban Area Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization." Mr. Bob Warden also agreed that the name needs to be more descriptive.

Reports/Comments:

X. [Report from TAC Secretary](#)

Mr. Prinz discussed the intersection/interchange project for the intersection of 258/24/53. He discussed the alternatives that are proposed for the interchange. A discussion ensued among meeting attendees on patterns of roads and changes that could be made. Mr. Ron Massey asked about the interchange at the Air Station. Mr. Prinz noted that it is in the

beginning stages and that there have been two scoping meetings.

XI. [Report from NCDOT Division 3](#)

Mr. Alan Pytcher gave his update on current projects. He noted that the US 17 widening to New Bern is at 41%. Mr. Prinz noted that the utilities are being moved to make way for construction at Ridge Road and Blue Creek Road.

XII. [Report from NCDOT Transportation Planning Branch](#)

Ms. Nazia Sarder gave her update on the Onslow County CTP. She noted that the new hire, Mark Eatman, would be handling the model update and that this would be her last meeting.

XIII. [Report from FHWA Field Officer](#)

Mr. Ron Lucas noted that this would not be his last meeting. He also noted that coordination in project development can help accelerate projects.

XIV. [Closing Comments](#)

There were no closing comments.

Sang Happy Birthday to Mr. Anthony Prinz

Mr. Prinz concluded the meeting at 4:41p.m.