



SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS

Planning for Our Region's Future

Bethany Branford East Haven Guilford Hamden Madison Meriden Milford
New Haven North Branford North Haven Orange Wallingford West Haven Woodbridge

Carl J. Amento, Executive Director

To: Transportation Committee and Transportation Technical Committee
From: William Dickinson, Chairman, Transportation Committee
Date: September 4, 2019
Subject: Wednesday, September 11, 2019
Meeting of the Transportation Committee and Transportation Technical Committee at 12:00, in the offices of SCRCOG

Action Items:

1. Meeting Minutes of June 12, 2019 Page 4
2. Discuss And Take Action On TAP Priorities Pages 5, 6
Stephen Dudley

Informational Items:

3. Discussion On Next Steps for The Regional Transportation Safety Plan
Stephen Dudley
4. New Haven-Meriden STP-Urban Program and LOTCIP
5. Other Business

The agenda and attachments for this meeting are available on our website at www.scrkog.org. Please contact SCRCOG at (203) 234-7555 for a copy of agenda in a language other than English. Auxiliary aids/services and limited English proficiency translators will be provided with two week's notice.

La Agenda y Adjuntos para esta reunión están disponibles en nuestro sitio web en www.scrkog.org. Favor en contactar con SCRCOG al (203) 234-7555 para obtener una copia de la Agenda en un idioma distinto al Inglés. Ayudas/servicios auxiliares e intérpretes para personas de Dominio Limitado del Inglés serán proporcionados con dos semanas de aviso

127 Washington Avenue, 4th Floor West, North Haven, CT 06473

www.scrkog.org T (203) 234-7555 F (203) 234-9850 camento@scrkog.org



SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS

Planning for Our Region's Future

Bethany Branford East Haven Guilford Hamden Madison Meriden Milford
New Haven North Branford North Haven Orange Wallingford West Haven Woodbridge

Carl J. Amento, Executive Director

Transportation and Transportation Technical Committee Distribution List

All Receiving Agenda Notice via Email or Fax

Municipalities

- Bethany: A. Marek, A.Green¹
- Branford: J. Cosgrove, T. Milici, J. Hoeffler¹
- East Haven: K. White¹
- Guilford M. Hoey, M. Damiani, K. Quercia, J. Plaziak¹
- Hamden: M. Austin¹
- Madison: T Banisch, R. Russo, J. Iennaco¹
- Meriden: D. White, D. Brunet, H. Weissberg¹
- Milford: B. Blake, D. Sulkis, C. Saley, G. Pidluski¹
- New Haven: T. Harp, A. Scott, B. Notghi, M Piscitelli, D. Hausladen, G. Zinn¹
- North Branford: K. Weiss¹, M. Paulhus,
- North Haven: M. Freda, A. Fredricksen, B. Cummings, A. Bevilacqua¹
- Orange: P. Kaplan, B. Brinton¹
- Wallingford: W. Dickinson, D. Roe, R. Baltramaitis¹
- West Haven: N. Rossi, A. Quadir¹
- Woodbridge: B. Yalga¹

¹voting Technical Transportation Committee member appointed by chief elected official

- ARCADIS: R. Deitz
- Cardinal Engineering: J. Cermola
- Center for Disability Rights: M. Gallucci
- CDM Smith: J. Balskus
- CME Associates: J. Koolis
- CTDOT: M. Rolfe, G. Wright, D. Larosa, J Redeker, R. Etuka, K. Chukwa, E. Wynkoop
- Connecticut League of Women Voters (New Haven Chapter): N. Ciarleglio
- Connecticut Transit: S. Willis, B. Diggs, J. Rickman
- CT Latino News
- CTRIDES: J. Cavadini, C. Zeifman
- Dewberry: A. Zysk
- FHWA: A. Jackson-Grove, E. Shortell, K. Shooshan-Stoller
- GEI Consultants: K. Brady
- Greater New Haven Chamber of Commerce: T. Rescigno,
- Greater New Haven Convention and Visitors Bureau: G. Kozlowski
- Greater New Haven Transit District: K. Dunham, M. Marrero
- GM2 Inc.: T. Margiotta
- Hartford Courant
- Inner City News
- Integrated Management Controls: S. Gale
- Kennedy Center: A. Gagliardo
- La Voz Hispana

127 Washington Avenue, 4th Floor West, North Haven, CT 06473

www.scrcog.org T (203) 234-7555 F (203) 234-9850 camento@scrcog.org



SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS

Planning for Our Region's Future

Bethany Branford East Haven Guilford Hamden Madison Meriden Milford
New Haven North Branford North Haven Orange Wallingford West Haven Woodbridge

Carl J. Amento, Executive Director

Luchs Associates: R. Dagan
MaGrann Associates J. Ball
Masters Manna: C. Trzcinski
Milford Transit District: H. Jadach
New Haven Parking Authority: J. Staniewicz, M. Fortunata
New Haven Register: M. Zaretsky
Office of Congresswoman Rosa DeLauro: L. Mangini
Office of Senator Richard Blumenthal: E. Graham
Office of Senator Chris Murphy: E. Johnson
PBAmericas (Glastonbury): A. Moretti, J. Kulpa
PelicanCorp: N. Holly
PRIME AE Group D. Imig
RBA Group D. Lapping
Spanish Community of Wallingford: M. Harlow
Technical Planning Associates: B. Sacco
UCONN: S. Levy
United Illuminating Company: S. Saczynski
Wallingford Committee on Aging: W. Viola
Wallingford Youth and Social Services: C. Turner
Website Signups
West Haven Chamber of Commerce: N. DeMatties

127 Washington Avenue, 4th Floor West, North Haven, CT 06473

www.scrcog.org T (203) 234-7555 F (203) 234-9850 camento@scrcog.org



SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS
Planning for Our Region's Future

Bethany Branford East Haven Guilford Hamden Madison Meriden Milford
New Haven North Branford North Haven Orange Wallingford West Haven Woodbridge

Carl J. Amento, Executive Director

Transportation Committee Minutes – June 12, 2019

Transportation Committee Members

Wallingford, Mayor William Dickinson, Chairman
Guilford, FS Matthew Hoey

Guests

Edgar Wynkoop, *CTDOT*
Mary Bigelow, Kim Dunham, *GNHTD*
John Wardzalla, Kennedy Center
Lou Mangini, *Congresswoman Rosa DeLauro's office*

Transportation Technical Committee

Branford, John Hoefflerle
Hamden, Mark Austin
Madison, John Iennaco
Meriden, Howard Weissberg
North Branford, Kurt Weiss
North Haven, Andrew Bevilacqua
Orange, Bob Brinton
West Haven, Abdul Quadir
Woodbridge, Betsy Yalga
SCRCOG
James Rode, Rebecca Andreucci

Mayor Dickinson called the meeting to order at 12:00 PM

Action Item #1: Meeting Minutes of May 8, 2019

FS Hoey made a motion to approve the Minutes of the May 8, 2019 meeting J. Hoefflerle seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Action Item #2 2018-2021 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment 15

J. Rode introduced Amendment 15, which included 7 projects. Following a brief discussion FS Hoey made a motion to recommend approval of Amendment 15 K. Weiss seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Information Item #3: New Haven-Meriden STP-Urban Program and LOTCIP

Those in attendance discussed their projects

FS Hoey made and a motion to adjourn. J Hoefflerle seconded and the meeting adjourned at 12:35 PM.



Bethany Branford East Haven Guilford Hamden Madison Meriden Milford
New Haven North Branford North Haven Orange Wallingford West Haven Woodbridge

Carl J. Amento, Executive Director

MEMORANDUM

To: Transportation Committee, Transportation Technical Committee

From: Stephen B. Dudley, P.E., Deputy Director, Transportation Director

Re: Transportation Alternatives Solicitation

Date: September 4, 2019

Responses were received from four municipalities for consideration for the Transportation Alternatives Solicitation requested by CTDOT. As part of the solicitation, SCRCOG must submit their priorities and rank the proposals.

As this solicitation is for a program which may be part of the next federal transportation act, which could take effect as of October 1, 2020, the details and funding are unknown at this time. Preliminary discussion in the Senate on their draft increase the funding over the current act. Recent discussion with CTDOT indicate that we can include more proposed projects in the ranking than the previous communication suggested.

In addition, this solicitation is now by TMA (Transportation Management Area) which includes part of Lower Connecticut River Valley Council of Governments area. We are supposed to rank our priorities by TMA in consultation with any other COG. River COG has one proposal which is in our TMA, a sidewalk project in Westbrook. In our discussion with staff. We proposed that we would suggest to you that their project be considered in the first couple of projects, but, due to the population differences in the portions of the TMA, definitely not the first priority.

The proposals and estimated budgets from SCRCOG municipalities are in alphabetical order below:

Town of Hamden – in conjunction with, depending upon the project, the City of New Haven and the RWA

- 1. Farmington Canal Trail – At Grade Crossing Phase 1 (with New Haven) \$1,887,000
- 2. Farmington Canal Trail – At Grade Crossing Phase 2 \$ 945,000

3. Farmington Canal Trail – At Grade Crossing Phase 3 (with New Haven) \$1,887,000
4. Mill River Trail Construction – Phase 1: Davis Street to Putnam Avenue, Hamden (RWA) \$1,170,000
5. Mill River Trail Construction – Phase 2: Eli Whitney Museum to Davis Street (RWA) \$1,104,000

City of Meriden

Research Parkway Linear Trail
Phase 1 -4 \$1,543,000

City of Milford

Founder’s Walk Project \$2,000,000

Town of Wallingford

Quinnipiac River Linear Trail Phase 3B \$ 852,000

River COG proposal

Town of Westbrook Sidewalk Plan Implementation Project \$ 975,600

Town of Clinton – Sidewalk Renovation and Extension Project
West Main Street – Contingent project if Westbrook does
Not advance \$ 650,000

CTDOT guidance suggests that the TMA might have a total of \$3,548,595 for the period FFY 21- FFY 25. Even if the Senate preliminary discussion numbers of an increase of 40+ percent come to pass, there are still requests here for far more than can be programmed.

We look forward to a discussion of the prioritization at the meeting.