

**MINUTES
OF THE
KRADD REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION
PLANNING COMMITTEE
February 11, 2015 – 11:00 AM**

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Judge Jim Ward, Chairman – Letcher County*
Judge Dennis Brooks, Vice-Chair – Wolfe County*
Mayor Rose Wolfe, Secretary – City of Jackson*
Mayor Pat Wooton - City of Buckhorn*
Mayor Tracy Neice – City of Hindman
Mayor Scott Cornett – City of Pippa Passes
Mayor John Smith – City of Beattyville
Mayor Lonnie Hendrix – City of Hyden
Mayor James Craft – City of Whitesburg
Mayor Todd DePriest –City of Jenkins*
Mayor Susan Polis – City of Fleming-Neon
Mayor Charles Long – City of Booneville
Mayor Jimmy Lindon - City of Hazard*
Mayor Johnny Cummings – City of Vicco
Mayor Raymond Banks – City of Campton
Judge J.L. Smith – Breathitt County*
Judge Zach Weinberg – Knott County
Judge Steve Mays – Lee County
Judge Jimmy Sizemore – Leslie County, Representative Onzie Sizemore*
Judge Cale Turner – Owsley County
Judge Scott Alexander – Perry County
Captain Scott Miller – KSP Post 13
Chief Minor Allen – Hazard PD
Chief Kenneth Spicer – Jackson PD
Chief Roger Friley – Jackson FD*
Chief Sam Stacy – Hazard FD*
Shannon Rickett – Congressman Hal Rogers District Office Representative
Adam Rice – Congressman Hal Rogers District Office Representative
Michael Woods – LKLP
Bennie McCall – Jenkins City Manager*
Grady Varney – Hazard City Manager*
Ferrell Wise – Lee Road Department
Todd DePriest – City of Jenkins
Freddie Combs – Coal Fields Industrial Authority
Jim McDannel – Southeast KY Community and Technical College*
Jack Burkich – Letcher Citizen*
Rev. John Pray- Perry Citizen
Roger Milligan – Wolfe Citizen
Jack Campbell – Natural Resources Partners/Western Pocahontas*

KYTC District Staff – Technical Advisors

Jason Blackburn – KYTC/HDO 10*
Corbett Caudill – KYTC/HDO 10
Aric Skaggs – KYTC/HDO 10
Craig Lindon – KYTC/HDO 10*
Sherri Chappell– KYTC/HDO 11
Quentin Smith – KYTC/HDO 11*
Les Dixon – KYTC/HDO 11
Mark Westfall – KYTC/HDO 12*
Samuel Hale – KYTC/HDO 12
Mary Westfall-Holbrook – KYTC/HDO 12

KRADD Staff

Eunice Holland – KRADD Transportation Planner*
Jennifer McIntosh – KRADD Community Resources Planner*
Angelia Hall – KRADD Community Resources Planner
Annette Napier – KRADD Physical Resources Program Director*
John Chester – KRADD GIS/GPS Technician
Mike Miller – KRADD Executive Director

** indicates those members, advisors and staff present*

Guests

BJ Bland – KY Division of Water
Jennifer Spradlin – KY Division of Water
Jason Lambert – KY Division of Water
Megan Kendall – Bell Engineering
Jamie Noe – Vaughn & Melton
Cliff Latta – Vaughn & Melton
Corey Florence – Sisler-Maggard Engineering
Mike Maggard – Sisler-Maggard Engineering
Joe Jacobs – BSADD
Rick Turner – Jackson Municipal Water Works
Bobby Thorpe – Breathitt County Water District
Estill McIntosh – Breathitt County Water District
James Childers – KWSD
Sandy Dunahoo – Nesbitt Engineering
Clay Kelly – Strand Associates
Jack Stickney – KRWA

CALL TO ORDER

The KRADD Regional Transportation Planning Committee meeting was called to order at 11:07 AM by Chairman Judge Jim Ward. He welcomed those in attendance.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Judge Dennis Brooks made the motion to approve the Minutes from the August 13, 2014 meeting. The motion was seconded by Judge J.L. Smith. Motion carried. The Minutes are on file in the KRADD office.

BUSINESS: Eunice Holland, Transportation Planner

- The FY 2015 Goals & Objectives were presented to the Committee for approval. Changes were made to align with KYTC's Goals & Objectives. KYTC's mission and goals were added to the document and added an objective to the goal multi-modal to promote pedestrian and bicycle movements. Onzie Sizemore made the motion to approve the Goals & Objectives as presented. Judge Dennis Brooks seconded the motion. Motion carried.
- 2015 Prioritization: County ranking are underway. Eunice along met with the Judges from Breathitt, Lee, Owsley, Perry and Wolfe on January 8th at the Highway District 10 Office Local Officials Meeting. Additional meetings with Breathitt and Perry County have been scheduled along with Leslie and Letcher County. County rankings will be submitted on February 27th and presented to the RTC during regional prioritization. All projects on the UNL will be prioritized this cycle at the local level. The RTC will meet May 13th to complete regional prioritization. KYTC will provide the list of projects to be ranked to Eunice in April. Those projects will have a score for consideration based on data and analysis. The Committee will then discuss and rank projects regionally.
- New Projects: Eunice described the three new projects to be added to the Unscheduled Needs List (UNL) and provided a map of each to the Committee.
 - Lee County KY 11 – 10 065 D0011 1.00 – Improve railroad crossing in Beattyville.
 - Owsley County KY 30 – 10 095 D0030 11.00 – Reroute Booneville per the KY 30 Planning Study.
 - Owsley County KY 30 – 10 095 D0030 16.00 – Reconstruction of KY 30 per the KY 30 Planning Study.
 - Milepoint changes were also presented to the Committee for the following projects: Owsley County 10 095 D0030 82.00, Breathitt County 10 013 D0030 7.10, 10 013 D0030 5.00 and 10 013 D0030 7.80 per the KY 30 Planning Study.

Judge Ronnie DeBord made the motion to approve the projects and edits. Mayor Pat Wooton seconded the motion. Motion passed.

- Beginning in FY 2014, The Transportation Cabinet requested the ADDs to locate existing bicycle or pedestrian assets within their jurisdiction. Accommodations or assets include: location and width of sidewalks and location and type of pedestrian crossing signals. Mrs. Holland completed data collection for the cities of Jackson and Hazard in FY 2014 and Hindman and Campton in FY 2015. Beattyville, Hyden and Jenkins will be completed in FY 2016. An interactive map that includes data collected statewide is located at <http://transportation.ky.gov/bike-walk/Pages/Local-Info.aspx>. The map also indicates cities that have a bike plan.

SPECIAL PRESENTATION:

Jason Blackburn was not in attendance. Eunice presented the summary of the KY 30 Planning Study to the Committee and guests. The planning study was released in September 2014 and examines the KY 30 corridor from KY 11 in Owsley County to KY 15 in Breathitt County. The study covers a total length of 23.3 miles. Mrs. Holland discussed the alternatives and priority sections in the study.

PROJECT UPDATES & CONCERNS:

- District 10 – Jason Blackburn came in after the meeting was adjourned. Handouts about the KY 30 Planning Study were passed out to those present.
- District 11 – Quentin Smith is the new Planning Supervisor:
 - Currently we do not have any active construction projects in Leslie County. Maintenance is busy completing routine maintenance tasks.
- District 12 – Mark Westfall:
 - The last section of US 119 in Letcher County was awarded yesterday.
 - Guardrail project on KY 7 in Letcher County was just completed.
 - There will be a public meeting in Jenkins on March 3rd for the KY 805 project. The meeting will be held at the Jenkins FD.
 - A public meeting is scheduled for February 19th at the Letcher County Cooperative Extension Service to discuss the possible roundabout in Whitesburg.

PUBLIC COMMENT

No public comment.

ADJOURNMENT

Judge Dennis Brooks made the motion to adjourn the meeting. Onzie Sizemore seconded the motion. Motion carried. The meeting was adjourned for lunch at 11:35 AM. The next meeting will be Wednesday, May 13, 2015.