

Northern Oklahoma Regional Transportation Planning Organization
Technical Committee Meeting Minutes: Thursday, Oct 25th, 2023

1. Call to Order/Introduction of Guests

Payton Herron called the NORTPO Technical Committee meeting to order at 1:04 p.m. Present via Videoconferencing and NODA Conference Room: Vicki Eggers, Cecil Michael, Sarah McElroy, Tiffany Plunkett, Tyler Schroder, and Thomas Sheats. A quorum was present. Staff Present: Chanler Cory, Brock Spencer, Payton Herron. Guests: None.

2. Approve Previous Meeting Minutes from Sept. 7th, 2023

Eggers moved to approve the minutes from Sept. 7th, 2023, seconded by Plunkett. Aye: Eggers, Michael, Plunkett, Schroder, and Sheats. Nay: none. Motion carried.

3. Business (to meet, discuss, approve and/or consider recommending to the NORTPO Policy Board)

A. Northwest Forward 2045 – discussion and move to public review

Spencer discussed finalized updates to the regional plan including over 600 surveys', transportation trends, disadvantaged communities map, and listing of projects. Eggers discussed length of plan, including chapter 1 federal planning factors. Michael moved to schedule the public review for the regional plan, seconded by Schroder. Aye: Eggers, Michael, Plunkett, Schroder, and Sheats. Nay: none. Motion carried.

B. Updates/Reports/Comments

1. KDOT – Amtrak –

Spencer discussed expansion of the Amtrak Heartland Flyer to go from Oklahoma City to Wichita.

2. Mobility Management –

Cory discussed 5310 coordinated plan document, and first meetings for the region. Eggers discussed funding issues in transit.

3. State Highway Safety Plan (SHSP)

Spencer discussed the goal of reaching zero deaths utilizing the safe system approach, and that public review for the SHSP was open.

4. Adjourn

Michael moved to adjourn, seconded by Schroder. Aye: Eggers, Michael, McElroy, Plunkett, Schroder, and Sheats. Nay: none. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 1:23.

Brock Spencer

Brock Spencer, Transportation Planner

The agenda for this meeting was posted in compliance with the Open Meeting Act. A complete packet of information is available for review in the NODA Office.