



Public Hearing Meeting Minutes for October 21, 2010
Miami University, Middletown, Ohio

The TRAC Public Hearing was called to order by Director Molitoris at 9:50 a.m. at Miami University, in Middletown, Ohio. Attending: William Brennan, Bill Dingus, Ray DiRossi, Antoinette Selvey-Maddox, Pat Ungaro, and Director Molitoris. Not Attending: Robert Clarke Brown, Patrick Darrow, and Matt Elli.

Director Molitoris opened and thanked everyone for coming out and sharing their projects with the TRAC. She stated that there's nothing like being up close and personal with the people, telling us why their projects are so important to their towns, region, state and even to the nation. We are grateful to our local partners, businesses, contractors, and leaders in the region and state. We ended our fiscal year in June 2010 and Ohio's construction program is 30% bigger than we've ever been (\$2.14 Billion). The Governor's focus is on creating new jobs and moving Ohio into a prosperous new world. Part of TRAC's responsibility is determining how do we take Ohio's tax dollars and spread it out to best meet your needs.

Director Molitoris noted that on December 18, 2008, TRAC passed a new set of selection criteria. We've made it more of an opportunity to let everyone bring their projects which can contribute to job growth and economic development. This selection criteria is very important since the need far outpaces the resources. As an example, the TIGER Team received over 4,600 applications for stimulus funding.

There are 15 projects being presented today. There are so many things to celebrate and we hope that you will feel a part of it. This is an opportunity to listen and ask those important questions, so we as TRAC, understand the project facts and why they are important.

The TRAC Application Presentations were as follows:

ODOT District: 7

CLA-70-06.75
(2010D07-04)

Brad Lightle, ODOT, District 7
Scott Schmidt, CCTCC, Transp. Dir.

Springfield Downtown
Intermodal Facility (2010D07-01)

Jim Bodenmiller, City of Springfield

Champaign Co. US Route 68
(2010D07-05)

Fereidoun Shokouhi, Engineer, CHP Co.
Michael Morris, CHP, Economic Director

MPO Priority List Presentations

MVRPC

Don Spang, Executive Director

Tech Connect Corridor
(2010D07-03)

Steve Finke, Dayton, Public Works
John Gower, Dayton, Dir of Planning

Dayton Regional Multi-Modal
Rail Extension (2010D07-02)

Erik Collins, MOT, Economic
Development Manager

IR 75 SR41 to CR15 (2010D07-06)
IR 75 CR15 to CR25A (2010D07-07)

Chris Schmiesing, Piqua, City Planner

Mound Access Project (2010D07-08)

Joe Litvin, MOT, Engineer
Mike Grauwelman, Mound Advanced
Technology Ctr, President

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MPO Priority List Presentations

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Mark Policinski, Executive Director

ODOT District: 8

IR 71/75 Brent Spence Bridge
(2010D08-06)

Stefan Spinosa, ODOT, District 8

IR 275-8.95
(2010D08-05)

David Spinney, Clermont Co Administrator

GE Parkway (2010D08-09)

Jay Hamilton, ODOT, District 8

Lick Run Transit Alternatives
Analysis (2010D08-08)

Colin Groth, SORTA, Director
MaryLynn Lodor, Metropolitan Sewer Dist.

Cincinnati Streetcar
(2010D08-01)

Chris Eilerman, City of Cincinnati, Proj Mgr

Cincinnati Uptown Streetcar
(2010D08-02)

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Director Molitoris thanked everyone for presenting their projects. This was the last of four regional TRAC Public Hearings held in Akron, Lima, Middletown, and at the ODOT Central Office.

Director Molitoris asked if there was any additional old or new business. There was none. As such, the Director motioned to adjourn the meeting at 3:15 p.m. The motion was seconded.

Minutes Prepared by:

Chair:
