**TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING**

SCOTAC

June 16, 2026

## The following are the TAC members present ("X"):

| | ***Commissioners*** | | ***Appointed TAC Members 1*** | | ***Appointed TAC Members 2*** |
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| | Rodney Clouse | | Travis Cheyney | | Kirk Pueppke |
| X | Ralph Riggs | | Beverly Hicks | X | Chris Henson |
| X | David Stubblefield, ***Secretary*** | X | Jake Parker | | **Vacant** |
| | Terry Newton | | Layne Nance | | Jim Britt |
| | Beth Stewart-Long | X | Herman Kelly, ***Vice Chairman*** | X | David Trotter |
| X | Scott Long | | Ron Scheets | X | John Casey |
| X | Zachary Williams | X | Randy Pamperien, ***Chairman*** | X | Tommy Kingery |

***Multimodal Members***

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| X | Wes Parks | | Darryl Newcomb | | Daniel Smith |

## SCOCOG staff present:

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| Trent Courtney | - | Executive Director |
| Angie Ball | - | Marketing Coordinator |
| Brent Lidgard | - | Solid Waste Coordinator / Transportation Planner |

## MoDOT:

Malanie Elmore
Elquin Auala
Michael Brandon
Brackin Kuessner
Trey Scott

## Visitors:

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| Keith Elliott | - | Missouri State Representative |
| Travis Witzemann | - | City of Houston |
| Jeff Ledbetter | - | City of West Plains |

Randy Pamperien called the meeting to order at 11:00 AM. An introduction of guests and members was made at this time.

Motion to approve the April 21, 2026 minutes was made by Scott Long and seconded by Zach Williams. All were in favor. Motion carried.

## Old Business

### Discuss April 2026 Voting Results

Brent summarized the results of the Road and Bridge and Multimodal voting. Elquin said that some projects are already in scoping. Brent also made available the Tier 1 and Tier 2 lists.

Brent said that in December the Safe Streets and Roads for All Grant was awarded, and is now in Washington to get final approval. An engineer has been selected and will run for two years, beginning in September. This grant identifies roadway safety concerns, high-risk corridors, crash trends, pedestrian and bicycle needs, and local transportation priorities. This planning effort will help communities better understand where safety improvements are most needed and position the region to pursue future funding for projects. This grant gives SCOCOG and its local partners a roadmap to improve transportation safety, support future grant applications, and make travel safer. Trent added that the goal is to go after projects in the region.

## New Business

### Appoint new TAC Representatives

Brent said that the only vacancy is the Oregon County Member #2. David said that he would like to have Buzz Reynolds fill that spot. Motion to appoint Buzz Reynolds to the Member #2 position was made by Zach Williams and seconded by Herman Kelly. All were in favor. Motion carried.

### Southeast District Projects and Happenings – *MoDOT Reps.*

Elquin said that overlay work in occurring in the region. There is bridge replacement work in Wright County, as well as the Pine Creek Bridge in Texas County. Chip and seal work and the addition of shoulders is ongoing on Route M in Oregon County. Work on Route AF in Wright County starts soon, and overlay work was done on Route 63 between Pomona and Willow Springs, as well as 160 in front of Walmart in West Plains. She also made available a Cost Share Program handout.

### Approve FY27 MoDOT Work Plan

Brent said that this is done every year. Trent added that at MACOG all executive directors come up with an action plan. This is essentially an agreement between us and MoDOT. Trent added that this has already been approved by MoDOT. Motion to approve the FY27 MoDOT Work Plan was made by Scott Long and seconded by David Stubblefield. All were in favor. Motion carried.

## Open Discussion

The next TAC meeting will be held **August 18, 2026.**

There being no other business to discuss, motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Herman Kelly and seconded by Scott Long. All were in favor. The motion carried at 11:54 AM.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Angie Ball
Marketing Coordinator

Reviewed for Content,

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David Stubblefield
TAC Secretary