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INTERIM MINUTES OF 07/09/2024

Technical Advisory Group Meeting (TAG)

1 Riverside Rd, Sandy Hook, CT 06482 475-323-2070 via Zoom: https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/89531093509

Bethel Director of Public Works Eric Swenson

• Bridgewater Absent

Brookfield Community Development Specialist Greg Dembowski

• Danbury Absent

• Darien Director of Public Works Ed Gentile

• Greenwich Deputy Commissioner of Public Works James Michel

New Canaan
 Director of Public works Tiger Mann

New Fairfield AbsentNew Milford AbsentNewtown Absent

Norwalk
 Asst. Dir. of Transportation, Mobility & Parking Garrett Bolella

ReddingRidgefieldShermanAbsentAbsent

• Stamford Transportation Bureau Chief Frank Petise

Weston Absent

Westport
 Town Engineer Keith Wilberg

Wilton
 Director of Public Works/Town Engineer Frank Smeriglio

Transit Representative SWR AbsentTransit Representative HV Absent

Others Attending: New Canaan Town Engineer Maria Coplit, CTDOT Intergovernmental Affairs Jane Dunbar, WestCOG Staff Members: Kristin Hadjstylianos, Francis Pickering, Kevin Mahoney, Mike Wilson, Todd Fontanella, Nicole Sullivan, and Cricket Carpenter. Also in attendance was Meg Haffner from the Kennedy Collective.

MEETING CALL TO ORDER: WestCOG Transportation Director Kristin Hadjstylianos called the meeting to order at 11:01 a.m.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: No member of the public spoke when asked to do so.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

Transportation Grant Opportunities: WestCOG Transportation Director Kristin Hadjstylianos and Principal Planner Todd Fontanella provided the overview.

Draft LOTCIP Solicitation: WestCOG Senior Project Manager Kevin Mahoney provided the update.

ACTION ITEMS

Approval of the June 11th 2024 meeting minutes: After review and on a motion made by Greenwich Deputy Commissioner of Public Works James Michel and seconded Brookfield Community Development Specialist Greg Dembowski the minutes of the June 11th 2024 meeting were unanimously approved.

LOTCIP Adjustments: WestCOG's Kevin Mahoney provided the overview. After review and on a motion made by Westport Town Engineer Keith Wilberg and seconded by Norwalk Assistant Director of Transportation, Mobility & Parking Garrett Bolella the LOTCIP adjustments were unanimously approved.

2021-2024HV/SWR Transportation Improvement Program Amendments: WestCOG Transportation Planner Nicole Sullivan provided the overview. After review and on a motion made by Stamford Transportation Bureau Chief Frank Petise and seconded by Brookfield Community Development Specialist Greg Dembowski the 2021-2024 HV/SWR TIP amendments were unanimously approved.

OTHER BUSINESS:

UPCOMING MEETINGS

MPO/COG/July 18th, 2024

TAG Meeting Wednesday, August 7th 2024

ADJOURNMENT: On a motion duly made, the meeting was unanimously adjourned at 11:28 a.m.