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WMPO Technical Coordinating Committee (TCC) Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, February 11, 2026
525 N 4th Street
Wilmington, NC 28401

Members Present, In person

Virginia Norris, Pender County
Carolyn Caggia, WMPO TDM/Go Coast
Denys Vielkanowitz, City of Wilmington
Sam Boswell, Cape Fear Rural Planning
Organization
Eric Ritzel, NCDOT
Mike Kozlosky, (Chair) WMPO Executive
Director
Robert O'Quinn, Town of Wrightsville
Beach

Members' Present, Remote

Mark Hairr, Cape Fear Public Transportation
Authority
Karlene Ellis Vitalis, New Hanover County
Nazia Sarder (Vice Chair), NCDOT TPD
Adrienne Harrington, Town of Belville
Gloria Abbotts, Town of Carolina Beach
Granseur Dick, Wilmington Internation
Airport

Helen Bunch, Brunswick County Planning
Department
Liam Mikael, Town of Leland
Stephanie Ayers, NC Ports Authority

Others Present, In Person

Abby Lorenzo, WMPO
Krysdyn Burden, WMPO
Regina Hopkins, WMPO
Luke Hutson, WMPO
Amanda Halbert, WMPO
Greer Templer, WMPO
Ronda Hogan, WMPO
Caitlin Cerza, WMPO

Others Present, Remote

Chad Staradumsky, Town of Belville
Zach Bugg, Kittelson & Associates
Kim Nguyen, NCDOT IMD

1. Call to Order

Mike Kozlosky called the meeting to order at 10:00am and took roll call.

2. Approval of the Agenda

Mike Kozlosky stated that Ben Andrea had a conflict come up and would not be able to give his presentation. Mr. Kozlosky would like to remove the presentation and item j., Resolution adopting the Town of Leland's Integrated Mobility Plan, from the Consent

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Agenda. Sam Boswell made a motion to approve the amended agenda, seconded by Virginia Norris. The motion passed unanimously.

3. Presentations

- a. Town of Leland Integrated Mobility Plan – Ben Andrerera, Town of Leland
This presentation was removed from the agenda due to the absence of the presenter.

4. Consent Agenda

- a. Approval of TCC Meeting Minutes- January 14, 2026
- b. Resolution approving 2026-2035 STIP/MPO Administrative Modification #26-2
- c. Opening of a 30-day public comment period for 2026-2035 STIP/MPO Amendment #26-2
- d. Resolution approving the Wilmington Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization’s 2026 Legislative Agenda
- e. Resolution adopting the Wilmington Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization’s Prioritization 8.0 Local Input Methodology
- f. Resolution endorsing the Cape Fear Trails Trail Etiquette Campaign and Signage Guide
- g. Resolution adopting the Cape Fear Public Transportation Authority’s Public Transportation Safety Action Plan and Transit Safety Performance Measures and Targets
- h. Resolution adopting the Cape Fear Public Transportation Authority’s Transit Asset Management Plan and Transit Asset Performance Measures and Targets
- i. Resolution supporting the Terry Benjey Bicycling Foundation’s application for the North Carolina Department of Transportation’s Bicycle Helmet Initiative
- ~~j. Resolution adopting the Town of Leland’s Integrated Mobility Plan~~

Helen Bunch made a motion to approve the amended consent agenda with item j. Resolution adopting the Town of Leland’s Integrated Mobility Plan removed, Robert O’Quinn seconded the motion, the motion passed unanimously.

5. Regular Agenda

- a. Resolution approving Amendment #2 to the FY26 Unified Planning Work Program
Regina Hopkins, WMPO Accounting Manager, explained that this amendment to the FY26 UPWP is just a narrative change, it is not a funding change, and the details of the narrative change are in the packet.

Granseur Dick made a motion to recommend approval of the resolution to the Board. Virginia Norris seconded the motion, the motion passed unanimously.

6. Discussion

- a. 2026-2035 STIP/MPO Transportation Improvement Program Administrative Modifications #26-3

Mike Kozlosky stated this item is for informational purposes only and will be brought back for approval at the next TCC meeting. Mr. Kozlosky opened the floor for questions, there were none.

b. Proposed FY27 Unified Planning Work Program

Mike Kozlosky stated that this was added to the agenda for members to have the opportunity to ask questions or submit comments. There were no questions or comments.

7. Updates

a. Wilmington Urban Area MPO

Updates are in the packet.

b. Cape Fear Public Transportation Authority

Updates are in the packet.

c. NCDOT Division 3

Eric Ritzel gave a quick overview of the Division 3 updates that are in the packet.

d. NCDOT Transportation Planning Division

Nazia Sarder mentioned that although the MTP has just been completed, NCDOT Transportation Planning Division is already working with WMPO staff on the next Travel Demand Model.

8. Announcements

a. Wilmington MPO 101 Training-February 10, 2026

b. Active Transportation Advisory Committee- February 17, 2026

c. LAPP Training – February 19, 2026

d. Go Coast Committee-February 19, 2026

9. Next meeting – March 11, 2026

10. Adjournment

Sam Boswell made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Robert O’Quinn seconded the motion, the meeting was adjourned at 10:11am.

Respectfully submitted,

Mike Kozlosky

Executive Director

Wilmington Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization

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