IOWA TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

Workshop Overview

February 8, 2022

Iowa DOT – Materials Conference Room

(One hour and 45 minutes)

Begin at 9:30 am

1. Commission Input Commission 10 min.

* **Purpose:** Commission discussion of items.
* **Requested Action:** N/A

2. Director’s Welcome Scott Marler 10 min.

* **Purpose:** Director update of activities at the DOT.
* **Requested Action:** N/A

3. Future Commission Meeting Dates 5 min.

Danielle Madden

Traffic Operations Bureau

* **Purpose:** A draft schedule for Commission meetings from July 2022 to June 2023 will be provided.
* **Requested Action:** Be prepared to discuss meeting dates. This will come back for action at the March business meeting.

4. Administrative Rules 5 min.

- Chapter 411 – Persons with Disabilities Melissa Gillett, Director

Parking Permits Motor Vehicle Division

- Chapter 400 – Vehicle Registration and

Certificate of Title

- Chapter 405 - Salvage

- Chapter 400 – Vehicle Registration and

Certificate of Title

- Chapter 450 – Motor Vehicle Equipment

* **Purpose:** Provide an overview of proposed rule amendments. The proposed rule amendments and notice of intended action were previously emailed to the Commission.
* **Requested Action:** Review the proposed rule changes prior to the workshop as action will be requested on these rules at the business meeting.

5. COVID-19 Transportation Impact Update 5 min.

Stu Anderson, Director

Transportation Development

Division

* **Purpose:** Provide a status report on COVID-19 transportation impacts.
* **Requested Action:** N/A

6. 2022 Highway Program Balance Report 5 min.

Shawn Majors

Program Management

* **Purpose:** Present the latest FY 2022 monthly highway program balance report. We began FY 2022 over-programmed by $24.3 million. Through December, receipts to the Primary Road Fund have come in $15.2 million above forecast. Through the January letting, project costs are $44.1 million above programmed amounts. When all combined, the current highway program balance is $53.2 million over-programmed.
* **Requested Action:** N/A

7. Railroad Revolving Loan and Grant 5 min.

Program Amendment Tamara Nicholson, Director

Modal Transportation Bureau

* **Purpose:** Last month, a funding recommendation was presented to amend a project awarded Railroad Revolving Loan and Grant Program funds in October 2021. No questions or comments were received regarding the recommendation and no changes have been made to the recommendation. This item is included on the agenda in case there are any questions.
* **Requested Action:** Be prepared to ask any remaining questions as action will be requested at the business meeting.

8. RISE Projects 5 min.

- Butler County Project Modification Craig Markley, Director

- Pleasantville Local Development Systems Planning Bureau

- Cedar Rapids Immediate Opportunity

* **Purpose:** Provide an overview of two RISE projects and one RISE project modification. The RISE material is available on the Commission material website for your review. If you have any questions that you would like responses prior to the workshop, please contact Craig Markley at 515-239-1027 or at [craig.markley@iowadot.](mailto:craig.markley@iowadot.)us by Thursday, February 3, at 5:00 pm.
* **Requested Action:** Review the project summary material prior to the workshop as action on the RISE grant will be requested at the business meeting.

9. RISE Policy – Cost per job annual review 5 min.

Craig Markley, Director

Systems Planning Bureau

* **Purpose:** Per Commission guidance, after every calendar year when the latest construction cost index information is available, the department provides analysis and a recommendation on changes to the maximum RISE participation per job figure. The department is not recommending a change this year. If a change was recommended, action would be requested at the March meeting.
* **Requested Action:** Provide input and comments during the workshop.

10. Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2023 Federal Aviation 10 min.

Administration Funding Preapplications Shane Wright

Modal Transportation Bureau

* **Purpose:** Every year, the Iowa DOT must submit a list of airport project preapplications to the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA). This is for projects at all FAA eligible general aviation and commercial service airports that do not receive primary entitlement funds. The funding decisions are the responsibility of the FAA; however, the Commission approves the list of preapplications that are submitted to FAA.
* **Requested Action:** Provide comments during the workshop. Because this is not an action to award funding but rather to submit a list of preapplications to FAA, action will be requested at the afternoon business meeting.

11. Five-Year Program – Integrated Corridor 20 min.

Management Update Neal Fobian

Location and Environment

Bureau

Ben Hucker, Traffic Operations

Engineer, District 1

* **Purpose:** Provide an update on Integrated Corridor Management goals and initiatives with a focus on the ongoing study in the Des Moines area.
* **Requested Action:** Provide input and comments during the workshop.

12. Five-Year Program Discussion 20 min.

Stu Anderson, Director

Transportation Development

Division

Shawn Majors

Program Management

* **Purpose:** Program development discussion for the 2023-2027 Highway Program will begin with detailed discussion regarding program development process/schedule, program balances, federal funding, statewide line items, and program objectives/considerations. A recommendation for statewide line items will be presented for Commission consideration for action at the March meeting.
* **Requested Action:** Provide comments and guidance during the workshop.