



BOWLING GREEN & WARREN COUNTY
**Metropolitan Planning
 Organization**



TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE
June 22, 2026 | 1:00 PM CT/2:00 PM ET
Summary Notes - Hybrid Meeting

In-Person | City-County Planning Commission, 922 State Street, Suite 200

Zoom Public Meeting | Meeting ID: 820 353 8399 <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8203538399>

PRESENT:

Christopher Walden – KYTC D3

Joe Plunk – KYTC D3

Wes Watt – KYTC D3

Ben Hunt – KYTC D3

Brooke Robison – BG Chamber

Seth Carter – Warren County Public Works

Amanda Harard – Inno Engine

Kevin Jackson – Dist. 20 House Rep

Melissa Cansler – Bowling Green Public Works

Kyle Hunt – Bowling Green Public Works

Chris Higgins – Scotty's

Dana Beasley Brown – City Commission

Jennifer Tougas – WKU

Kim Meyers – SKYCTC (v)

Amber Kelleher – Citizen (v)

Greg Cook – Kimley-Horn (v)

Ethan Bates – BRADD (v)

Susan Harmon – BG WC Regional Airport (v)

Christopher McIntyre – Warren Co Public Schools (v)

John Higgins (v) – Bluegrass Supply Chain Services

Tonya Higdon – FHWA (v)

CCPC/MPO Staff – Natasha Smith, Ben Peterson,
 Carroll Duckworth

1. Call Meeting to Order and Introductions

2. Approval of April 27, 2026 Summary Notes - Ben Hunt asked if there were any additions or corrections to the summary notes from the 4/27/26 TAC meeting. There were none. Notes were approved. <https://www.warrenpc.org/wp-content/uploads/2026/04/04-27-26-Summary-Notes.pdf>

3. MPO – Working Items – Carroll Duckworth provided the following updates.

A. Transit Development Plan - Recommendation of Transit Development Plan Contract to Policy Committee for approval <https://www.warrenpc.org/mpo/resources/#RFP>

B. MPO Policy Committee bylaws amendment eliminating MPO Policy committee officer elections.

4. Informational Items – Carroll Duckworth provided the following updates.

A. MPO

- a. GoBG Transit Marketing Plan has completed contractor Passage Creative for FY 2026. Making plans for FY 2027.
- b. Quarterly CCPC/MPO newsletter published on 04/09/26 <https://conta.cc/4sv5SBO>. Next one publishes 07/10/26
- c. Smart Growth America Complete Streets Academy –Two projects awaiting updates on artwork. More info: https://www.warrenpc.org/mpo/resources/#Quick_Build Kyle Hunt stated that the artwork is scheduled to begin this week weather pending.
- d. The Strategic Highway Investment Formula for Tomorrow (SHIFT) process will begin in January (odd-numbered years)
- e. The City and GoBG Transit are working to inventory and address bus stops that are not ADA compliant.

- f. Title VI annual training completed for all CCPC/MPO staff.
- B. Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC)
- a. Last meeting was conducted on 6/8/26. Summary Notes: <https://www.warrenpc.org/wp-content/uploads/2026/06/BPAC-Summary-Notes-06-08-2026.pdf>
 - b. The League of American Bicyclists named Bowling Green a bronze level, 2025-2029, Bicycle Friendly Community. Celebration included proclamation, ribbon cutting, free movie night at Capitol and Mayor's Bike Ride.
 - c. Duncan Hines Days FREE Stroll & Roll Parade, FREE community bike ride - Ride n' Dine/Atomic Kitchen, Friday Noon Cake Walk
 - d. BikeWalkBG School Bike Education – conducted programs at 11 schools, involving 38 classes and approx. 1,000 students during 2025-2026 school year. Will gear up for 2026-2027 this summer.
 - e. Greenway Master Plan – Annual review and progress report due in October. Project prioritization also due in October (on even number years). An update is scheduled for every five (5) years (due next in 2027).
 - 2022 Master Plan: <https://www.warrenpc.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/10/Bicycle-and-Pedestrian-Master-Plan-FINAL.pdf>
 - 2024 Prioritization: <https://www.warrenpc.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/12/2024-Bike-Ped-Greenway-Prioritization-Wksht-12-2-24.pdf>
 - f. The City has provided the updated ADA Transition Plan – Amber Keller stated that the surveys in the plan are from 2016 and have not been updated. She is working with the Center of Accessible Living to develop and conduct surveys.
https://drive.google.com/file/d/1gfoFRD45z6RAVzXYiem6nCXwsA_Ju8a/view?usp=sharing
 - g. Weekly Free community bike rides - targeted groups (women, seniors, advance, families)
 - h. Natasha Smith provided an update on the Bowling Green Active Mobility Leadership LAB
- C. Other Updates
- a. BRADD – Ethan Bates provided updates on the following items:
 - Steering Committee Strategic Plan meetings for Warren Co.: 7/21, 9/15, 11/17 @ 10AM CT/11AM ET
 - BG-Mammoth Cave Feasibility Study <https://www.bradd.org/bgmc/>
 - Regional Greenways Feasibility Study <https://www.bradd.org/greenways-feasibility-study/>
 - b. WKU – Jennifer Tougas provided updates on Topper Transit plans for the fall as well as bus hardware/software technology changes.
 - c. City Public Works/Parks – Kyle Hunt provided the following updates: Scottsville Rd and Highland greenway projects; Ridgecrest, Sherwood, Pasco sidewalk projects; Greenhills extension; Roundabout at the waterpark. Melissa Cansler provided the following updates: Public Works has relocated from the Annex to the 3rd floor of the US Bank building; FY 2026 and FY2027 overlay; pavement preservation; signal equipment updates.
 - d. Kevin Jackson, Dist. 20 House Rep expressed his appreciation for the work of the committee and provided updates on the Highway Plan.
 - e. State KYTC-D3 – Joe Plunk provided the following updates: Three Springs Rd; Bypass widening, Nashville Rd; Woodburn roundabout; Transpark; Hwy 185.
 - f. Dana Beasley Brown expressed her appreciation for the road surface conditions we have in the area compared to another town she recently visited out of state. She also inquired who is responsibility is it to maintain the grass in the work zones on Nashville Rd. Joe Plunk confirmed that is would not be the property owner's responsibility as it was part of the work zone.
 - g. Warren County Public Works – Seth Carter provided the following updates: new streets and sidewalks in developing subdivisions; resurfacing; Dillard Rd.

5. Public Concern –Carroll Duckworth provided the following updates.

- A. Citizen inquired about GoBG Transit bus stop in front of Big Lots that lacks paved pad for loading. Citizen witnessed wheelchair user navigating through the grass. The City is aware of this issue and is working to inventory and assess bus stops. See item 4Ae above. Natasha Smith inquired who maintained access roads. Kyle Hunt confirmed it was the City.
- B. Citizen inquired about the Transit Advisory Council as it has not met in sometime. Transit has been notified and has this under consideration.

6. Adjournment

***NEXT MEETINGS: MPO Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC) – 8/10/26, 3PM CT/4PM ET
MPO Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) – 8/24/26, 1PM CT/2PM ET
MPO Policy Committee (PC) – 6/30/26, 3PM/CT/4PM ET***

Meeting materials, maps, studies, plans and additional information online: www.bgareampo.org

1. **BG 2050 Comprehensive Plan Transportation Working Committee** – Ben Peterson and Amanda Harvard lead a discussion on the agenda item of Transportation Goals & Objectives.