

Ogden – Layton
Regional Growth Committee | Technical Advisory Committee
September 15, 2021

Via Zoom

2:00 PM – 3:30 PM

Meeting Summary

AGENDA ITEM	DISCUSSION	ACTION
<p>Welcome and Introductions</p> <p>Greg Montgomery, Ogden City Planning Manager</p>	<p>Greg Montgomery, Ogden City Planning Manager sat in as chair for Spencer Brimley. Greg gave opening remarks and went through introductions. The O-L RGC TAC was held via Zoom.</p>	<p>None Required</p>
<p>Meeting Summary</p> <p>July 21, 2021 Minutes</p>	<p>Greg Montgomery, Ogden City Planning Manager, called for a motion to approve the July 21, 2021 Minutes. Motion to approve by Mayor Joy Petro, Layton City, second motion given by Marcus Wager, Box Elder County.</p>	<p>Approved</p>
<p>Discussion - Integrating Green Infrastructure, Parks, and open Space into the Wasatch Choice Vision</p> <p>Mikala Jordan, WFRC Community & Economic Development Planner</p>	<p>Mikala Jordan, WFRC Community & Economic Development Planner, opened the discussion about green infrastructure and how it ties into the Wasatch Choice goals. Mikala touched on the varying degrees of definitions of green infrastructure and how it can have a different definition depending on the scale it is implemented (regional scale vs. local scale). Mikala asked the question of what our role as a committee can be in green infrastructure in regional planning. Zac Covington, Bear River AOG, brought up there being a need to have a regional discussion about this. Mayor Joy Petro, Layton City, added that the stage has already been set and we can apply the success of the Rail Trail project to others moving forward. There is a need for a regional set of definitions that will help with collecting and maintaining existing and planned green infrastructure.</p> <p>Mikala will send out an informal poll to suggest ideas on how to move forward with this before the next meeting.</p> <p>Contact Mikala Jordan at mikala@wfr.org for additional information.</p>	<p>None Required</p>
<p>ATO Webmap and Planning Applications</p> <p>Ted Knowlton, WFRC Deputy Director</p>	<p>Ted Knowlton, WFRC Deputy Director, opened with the Wasatch Choice Centers Boundary updates now being incorporated into the Wasatch Choice Map that took place last summer.</p> <p>Ted then highlighted a new resource that WFRC has, the Access to Opportunities Map, which shows how many destinations a household can get to in a reasonable commute or how many jobs you can access by car/transit.</p>	<p>None Required</p>

	<p>These concepts are extremely valuable to planning, WFRC offered a zoom or sit down to discuss the opportunities and resources presented in this mapping resource.</p> <p>For additional information, please contact Bert Granberg at bgranberg@wfr.org</p>	
<p>Regional Transportation Plan (amendment process update, amendment #4 report, fall workshops, equity in the RTP)</p> <p>Jory Johner, WFRC Director of Long-Range Planning</p> <p>Nikki Navio, WFRC Transportation Planner</p> <p>Lauren Victor, WFRC Transportation Planner</p>	<p>Amendment Process Update: periodic adjustments are needed to the Regional Transportation Plan which is done through our amendment process. In the Spring of 2020, WFRC updated the amendment process to streamline and recategorize a handful of project types. This latest update was adopted by the Regional Council at their August 2021 board meeting. There were two main modifications - first was the inclusion of consultation from the FHWA in the making of RTP project revisions and second was to provide more flexibility and responsiveness in updating Wasatch Choice Vision Centers.</p> <p>To view the 2019-2050 RTP Amendments and to review the amendment process update, follow this link.</p> <p>Contact Jory Johner, Director of Long Range Planning, at jjohner@wfr.org for more information on the Amendment Process Update.</p> <p>Amendment #4 to the 2019-2050 RTP Report: WFRC staff worked with local communities and planners to refine and update the Wasatch Choice Vision Centers this last summer. This work on Amendment #4 was recently adopted by the Regional Council in August 2021 and included refinements and updates to the Wasatch Choice Vision. These updates are a Level 1 Staff Modification and are now live on all WFRC interactive maps, a .pdf of the Vision poster is available, and the center's data is available as a shapefile in the data portal on the WFRC website.</p> <p>Contact Jory Johner at jjohner@wfr.org for more information on the Amendment #4 to the 2019-2050 RTP.</p> <p>Fall Workshops: Nikki Navio, WFRC Long Range Planner, gave an overview of the 2023-2050 RTP planning process, detailing the work to be done in the next year and a half. Nikki discussed WFRC convening a series of Wasatch Choice Workshops this fall to craft a preferred scenario through discussions about resiliency and local and regional policy responses, but mainly through exploration of active transportation, road, and transit projects. The workshop information should be sent out and added on calendars.</p> <p>Contact Jory Johner at jjohner@wfr.org for additional information.</p> <p>Equity in the RTP: Lauren Victor, Long Range Planner, discussed current equity efforts that WFRC is undertaking. Lauren reported on the equity specific work that was being done in the RTP. This included; human scaling, benefits and impacts analysis, external forces and policy responses to equity, furthering equity conversations, and education of transportation equity issues.</p>	<p>None Required</p>

	<p>Contact Lauren Victor at lauren@wfr.org for more information on Equity in the RTP.</p>	
<p>WFRC Programs and Upcoming Letter of Intent Deadline</p> <p>Wayne Bennion, WFRC Director of Short-Range Planning and Programming</p>	<p>Wayne Bennion, WFRC Director of Short-Range Planning and Programming, briefly introduced the WFRC Planning Programs.</p> <p>Surface Transportation Program: Ben Wuthrich, WFRC Senior Transportation Engineer and Transportation Improvement Program Coordinator, gave an overview of the STP Program and outlined eligible projects.</p> <p>For more information on the STP Program, contact Ben Wuthrich at bwuthrich@wfr.org</p> <p>Congestion Mitigation Air Quality: Ben gave an overview of the CMAQ Program and outlined eligible projects.</p> <p>For more information on the CMAQ Program, contact Ben Wuthrich at bwuthrich@wfr.org</p> <p>Transportation Alternatives Program: Ben gave an overview of the TAP Program and outlined eligible projects.</p> <p>For more information on the TAP Program, contact Ben Wuthrich at bwuthrich@wfr.org</p> <p>Transportation and Land Use Connection Program: Christy Dahlberg, WFRC Community development Planner, gave an overview of the TLC Program and outlined its goals. Christy outlined eligible project types.</p> <p>For more information on the TLC Program, contact Megan Townsend, Community and Economic Development Director, at mtownsend@wfr.org</p> <p>Wasatch Front Economic Development District: Marcia White, WFRC Regional Economic Development Planner, gave an overview of the WFEDD and covered its mission and strategies.</p> <p>For more information on the WFEDD, contact Martia White at mwhite@wfr.org</p> <p>Community Development Block Grant Program: Christy gave an overview of the CDBG Program and its purpose and eligible project types.</p> <p>For more information on CDBG Program, contact Christy Dahlberg at christy@wfr.org</p> <p>WFRC Funding Program Deadlines: Letters of Intent are due at the end of September 2021, applications are due December 2021, and projects recommended in the Spring of 2022.</p>	<p>None Required</p>
<p>Other Business and Call for Agenda Items</p>	<p>The next meeting will be December 15, 2021. Please contact Jory Johner at jjohner@wfr.org for additional information or agenda suggestions.</p>	<p>None Required</p>

NAME	REPRESENTING
Marcus Weger	Box Elder County
Paul Larsen	Brigham City
Mike Carlson	Centerville
Valeria Claussen	Clinton
Lyle Gibson	Kaysville
Joy Petro	Layton
Brandon Rypien	Layton
Liz Felix	Layton
Ali Avery	North Salt Lake
Sherrie Pace	North Salt Lake
Mike Eggett	Riverdale
Dave Petersen	Farmington
Troy Moyes	West Point
Tim Stephens	Woods Cross
David Williamsen	MIDA
Vern Keesler	Parametrix
Zac Covington	Bear River AOG
Christopher Chesnut	UDOT
Elden Bingham	UDOT
Kayla Kinhead	UTA
Ted Knowlton	WFRC
Wayne Bennion	WFRC
Marcia White	WFRC
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