

**Transportation Policy Committee Meeting  
September 4, 2024  
Rapides Area Planning Commission Conference Room**

**Attendees:**

**Mayor Dupree  
Nathan Martin  
Rick Ranson**

**Lee Rubin  
Ralph Hennessy**

**Ben Russo  
Troy Roussell**

*Jonathan Bolen called the meeting to order, and it was determined that a quorum was present.*

**Agenda**

**Agenda Item #3:**

**Approval of Minutes**

A motion to approve the June 5, 2024, minutes as written by Nathan Martin, seconded by Troy Roussell. On vote the motion unanimously passed.

**MPO Housekeeping Projects for Approval:**

**Agenda Item #4:**

**a. FY 2025 Unified Planning Work Program**

A motion was made to approve the current UPWP update regarding implementation of projects specified by FY25 UPWP by Ben Russo, seconded by Ralph Hennessy. On vote the motion unanimously passed.

**b. FY 2023-2026 Transportation Improvement Program**

There was a discussion of Administrative Modification to the current TIP, update regarding implementation of TIP projects.

**Agenda Item #5:**

**Metropolitan Planning Area Vulnerable Road Users Safety Analysis**

Staff presented priority locations for VRU's inside the metropolitan planning area; and resources to local governments to implement safety improvements.

**Agenda Item #6:**

**RAPC Federal Funding Opportunities RFQ Update**

The committee reviewed the status of federal funding opportunities pursued by RAPC and the RFQ authorized November 2024.

**Agenda Item #8:**

A motion to adjourn by Nathan Martin, seconded by Ben Russo. On vote the motion unanimously passed.