

MINUTES

JACTS POLICY COMMITTEE

Jackson County Tower Bldg.
120 W. Michigan Ave. – 5th Floor
Jackson, MI 49201

Thursday, August 20, 2026

Members Present: Hunter Causie, JATA (Alt.)
Pete Jancek, Blackman Charter Township (Vice-Chair)
Lane Masoud, MDOT – Statewide Planning
Mike Overton, JCDOT
Tim Pickett, City of Jackson
Mike Trudell, Summit Township
Margie Walz, R2PC Executive Committee
Troy White, JACTS TAC (Alt.)

Members Absent: Michael Brown, JATA
Cameron Carr, Jackson County Airport Board
Jonathan Greene, City of Jackson
David Herlein, Spring Arbor Township
Mike Jester, Leoni Township
Angela Kline, JACTS TAC
James Shotwell, Jackson Co. Board of Commissioners (Chair)
Dan Wymer, Napoleon Township
Juan Zapata, Jackson County Airport Board (Alt.)

Others Present: Tine Beagle, Public
Charlie Briner, JCDOT
Brett Gatz, Region 2 Planning Commission
Jacob Hurt, Region 2 Planning Commission
Kelby Wallace, MDOT – Jackson TSC

ITEM 1 **CALL TO ORDER**

Vice-Chair Jancek called the meeting to order at 8:01 a.m. A quorum was present.

ITEM 2 **PUBLIC COMMENT**

No public comments were received.

ITEM 3 **APPROVE MINUTES OF THE POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING OF JULY 16, 2026 AND RECEIVE THE TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES OF JULY 8, 2026**

A motion was made by Ms. Walz, supported by Mr. Pickett, to approve the Policy Committee meeting minutes of July 16, 2026, and receive the Technical Advisory Committee meeting minutes of July 8, 2026, as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

ITEM 4 **AGENCY STATUS REPORTS**

Project status updates were presented by the City of Jackson (Mr. White), Jackson Area Transportation Authority (Mr. Causie), Jackson County Department of Transportation (Mr. Briner), and Michigan Department of Transportation (Mr. Wallace).

ITEM 5 **APPROVAL OF AMENDMENTS TO THE JACTS FY 2026-2029 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP)**

The following amendments to the JACTS FY 2026-2029 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) were presented to the committee:

FY	Job #/ Phase	Agency	Project Name	Project Description	Federal Budget	State Budget	Local Budget	Total Phase Cost	Amendment Type
2026	211703 CON	JCDOT	Horton Rd	Roundabout	\$265,918	\$0	\$29,547	\$295,465	Phase Abandoned
2027	213382 CON	MDOT	Regionwide	Pavement marking retro-reflectivity readings	\$5,184	\$576	\$0	\$40,000	Phase Budget
2027	226402 CON	MDOT	Regionwide	Application of permanent pavement markings	\$966,816	\$107,424	\$0	\$7,460,000	Phase Budget
2028	227027 CON	MDOT	Regionwide	Pavement marking retro-reflectivity readings	\$5,184	\$576	\$0	\$40,000	Phase Add
2028	227215 PE	MDOT	Regionwide	Application of permanent pavement markings	\$5,184	\$576	\$0	\$40,000	Phase Add
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A motion was made by Mr. Trudell, supported by Ms. Walz, to approve the amendments to the JACTS FY 2026-2029 TIP as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

ITEM 6 **OTHER BUSINESS**

No other business was presented.

ITEM 7 **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Ms. Beagle said she has questions on if the Parnall Rd sidewalk will be extended to Rives Junction Rd.

ITEM 8 **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, Vice-Chair Jancek adjourned the meeting at 8:15 a.m.

Brett Gatz, Recording Secretary
Region 2 Planning Commission