



EVANSVILLE METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION TECHNICAL COMMITTEE MINUTES

Regular meeting held at 10:00 a.m. in Room 318
Civic Center Complex – Administration Building
Evansville, Indiana

May 14, 2026

The following are minutes and not intended to be a verbatim transcript. An audio version of the proceedings can be heard or viewed on our website at www.evansvillempo.com.

1. ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Technical Members	Organization	In Person	Webex/ Phone
Nate Hahn	EVV Regional Airport	X	
Matthew Bullock	INDOT	X	
Luke Hill	INDOT	X	
Emily Sprinkle	INDOT	X	
Thomas Witt	KYTC	X	
Brian Mundy	City of Evansville; City Engineer	X	
Chai Mamidala	SJCA	X	
David Broderhausen	INDOT		X
Karen Brooks	Easterseals Rehabilitation Center		X
Nick Hall	KYTC		X
Camille Robinson	FHWA		X
Jonathan Siebeking	METS		X
Lorie Van Hook	Evansville Trails Coalition		X
Jessica Waddle	KYTC		X
Crystal Windhaus	HART		X

Evansville MPO Staff Present:

EMPO Staff	In Person	Webex/ Phone
Pam Drach	X	
Matt Schriefer	X	
Erin Schriefer	X	
Amir Varshochi	X	
Jennifer Scott	X	
Kari Akin	X	

Nate Hahn directed the meeting.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Lorie Van Hook made a motion for approval and Thomas Witt seconded the motion; motion carried.

3. OLD BUSINESS

a. Project Update – presented by Jennifer Scott

Project	Description	Most Current Status Information
City of Evansville		
Third St: Court St to Parrett St	Road reconstruction with multi-modal improvements	Consultant revising design contract to reflect phasing the project: Court to Walnut as Phase 1 and Walnut to 3 rd as Phase 2.
Vanderburgh County		
Oak Hill Rd: Lynch Rd to St George Rd	Road widening with bike and pedestrian accommodations	Construction activities began on March 9. Oak Hill Rd closure has been established. Working to install the water line from Lynch going north. Utility relocations are underway.
Wimberg Rd: Bridge over Locust Creek	Bridge replacement	Stream and wetland mitigation credits have been purchased.
Warrick County		
Telephone Rd: Bell Rd to Fuquay Rd	Road widening with bike and pedestrian accommodations	BBI is working on completing subgrade operations between Coal Mine and Fuquay. Storm is close to being completed on Fuquay. Asphalt (except surface), curb and gutter, and drives are complete from Bell to, and including, Coal Mine.
Epworth Rd Phase 1: Tecumseh Dr to south of SR 66	Road widening with bike and pedestrian accommodations	22 of the 25 parcels have had offers accepted. MOT coordination with City of Evansville, INDOT and the hospital is ongoing. Utility work plans being finalized. Permit applications being finalized as Stage 3 plans are at 75% complete.
Epworth Rd Phase 2: SR 662 to Tecumseh Dr	Road widening with bike and pedestrian accommodations	Historic Properties Short Report submitted 03/24/26. Working with the cemetery property owner to schedule field work.
Oak Grove Rd Phase IV: SR 261 to Anderson Rd	Road widening with bike and pedestrian accommodations	Right-of-way engineering is underway. Received approval to submit draft environmental document before having MPPA approval. INDOT will check on the status of the MPPA review and approval.
KYTC		
KY 2183 and KY 1539	Intersection project to improve safety	Current project scope includes purchasing right-of-way to maintain appropriate intersection sight distance. KYTC design section is working on determining the size of the sight distance triangles to develop cost estimates for potential acquisition.

INDOT Updates – presented by Luke Hill

Contract	Project	Description	Most Current Status Information
INDOT			
R-44898	SR 66 At 1.79 mi E of US-41 (Vann Ave)	Intersection Improvement	Working on pavement removal and subgrade treatment.
	SR 66 At 1.20 mi W of I-69 (Burkhardt Rd)	Intersection Improvement	
	SR 66 At 0.58 mi W of I-69 (Cross Pointe Blvd)	Intersection Improvement	
	SR 66 At 2.25 mi E of US 41 (Stockwell Rd)	Intersection Improvement	
R-42287	SR 62 Pedestrian Walk at SR-62 EB/WB	Bridge Replacement	Working on bridge foundations. Pavement work has started.
	SR 62 At 6.62 mi W of US-41 (Schutte Rd)	Intersection Improvement	
	SR 62 At 4.58 mi W of US-41 (Rosenberger Ave)	Intersection Improvement	
	SR 62 From Rosenberger Rd (4.59 mi W of S Jct US-41) to 3.92 mi W of S Jct US-41 (Ingle Ave)	Road Reconstruction (3R/4R Standards)	
	SR 62 From 8.56 mi W US 41 to 4.59 mi W of US 41 (East of Posey/Vanderburgh Count Line to Rosenberger Rd)	Rubblize PCCP & HMA Overlay	
	SR 62 At McDowell Road, 7.75 mi W of US41	Intersection Improvement	

R-45152	SR 62 from 3.92 mi W of S Jct US 41 (Ingle Ave) to 2.72 mi W of Jct US 41 (Wabash Ave)	Pavement Replacement	Pre-construction conference was held. Waiting to receive start date from contractor.
	SR 62 At 3.09 mi W of US-41 (St. Joseph Ave.)	Intersection Improvement	
	SR 62 2.72 mi W of US 41 (Wabash Ave)	Intersection Improvement	
R-45753	US 41 0.66 miles S of SR 57 at Petersburg Rd	Intersection Improvement	Having to redo the title work for this project to capture the correct number of parcels for this project. Will most likely need to be moved back a few months to include this extra work.
R-44013	SR 62 (Morgan Ave.) At Boeke Road, 1.01 mi E of US 41	Intersect. Improv. W/ Added Turn Lanes	Final field check held on 5/11/26. ROW parcels going through the condemnation process. Stage 3 documents will be submitted by early to mid-June. Working through the utility conflicts.
	SR 62 At Stockwell Road, 2.01 mi E of US 41	Intersect. Improv. W/ Added Turn Lanes	
	SR 62 SR 62 Bridge over HARPER DITCH, 01.78 mi E US 41	Bridge Deck Overlay	
R-45274	From 3.30 mi N SR-57 (0.20 mi N Boonville/New Harmony Road) to 0.85 mi S. SR 168 (0.20 mi N. Coal Mi	Rubblize PCCP & HMA Overlay	Stage 2 plans have been submitted, working permit determinations, utility coordination, and doing title research. Geometric review meeting was held, addressing comments.
	From 3.30 mi N SR-57 (0.20 mi N Boonville/New Harmony Road) to 0.85 mi S. SR 168 (0.20 mi N. Coal Mi	Small Structures & Drains Construction	
	US 41 NB over Pond Flat Ditch 02.01 miles S of I-64	Bridge Replacement	
	US 41 SB over Pond Flat Ditch 02.01 miles S of I-64	Bridge Replacement	
R-44500	SR 66 2.23 miles W of SR 65 at University Parkway Intersection	Intersection Improvement	For University Parkway working through environmental comments and working on stage 2 design. For SR 57 in Daylight working with county on detour route and finalizing what maintenance of traffic will look like for the project.
	SR 57 3.36 mi S of I-69 (N. Green River Rd. Intersection)	Intersection Improvement	
	SR 57 3.36 mi S of I-69 (N. Green River Rd. Intersection)	ADA Sidewalk Ramp Construction	
R-39923	US 41 At Lynch Road, 1.0 mi N of SR-66	Intersection Improvement. Added left turn lane on SB US 41. No improvements on Lynch other than resurface.	Railroad coordination and utility coordination is on-going. Environmental meeting took place in March to try and limit impacts to require a lower level environmental document.
R-45795	US 41 1.09 mi N of I 69 interchange (Covert Ave)	Intersection Improvement	Stage 1 design plan is underway.
R-45035	SR 62 1.50 mi W of I-69 (Green River Rd)	Other Intersection Improvement	Geometric review is complete, working on addressing comments.
R-46290	SR 66 SR 66 FROM .2mi W of SR 61 TO .2mi E of SR 61	Intersect. Improv. W/ New Signals	Waiting final fee negotiations.
	SR 66 SR 66 at Bell Road in Evansville	Other Intersection Improvement	
	SR 62 SR 62 at Epworth Road in Evansville	Intersect. Improv. W/ New Signals	
R-44499 (Des# 2200044)	US 41 1.57 miles S of SR 57 At St. George Road	Intersection Improvement	Waiting on new engineering report from the consultant to go with a new alternative for the design. New engineering report will be back around September.

This item was informational and did not require committee action.

4. NEW BUSINESS

a. 2023-2030 TIP Modifications – presented by Erin Schriefer

The Evansville MPO modified the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program with the following:

2026-2030 TIP Modifications - FHWA

Date Processed	Sponsor	Contract	Des#/ID#	Road	Description	County	Work Type	Funding Type	% Split	Action	Fiscal Year	Phase/ Source	Current TIP Entry	New TIP Entry		
														Total	Federal	State/Local
														All amounts in thousands		
23-Mar-26	KYTC	N/A	2-943.01	KY 416	Striping improvements from MP 10.7 to MP 15.7	Henderson	Pavement Striping	HSIP	100%	Add Project	2026	CN	\$0	\$55	\$55	\$0
		Grouped Project: (Pavement markers and striping)														
	KYTC	N/A	2-943.02	KY 416	Guardrail improvements from MP 10.7 to MP 15.7	Henderson	Guardrail Installation	HSIP	100%	Add Project	2026	CN	\$0	\$200	\$200	\$0
		Grouped Project: (Median/guardrail/cable projects with no change to access)														
14-Apr-26	INDOT	46483	2501127	Various	Various locations in the Vincennes District	Various	Pavement Patching	NHPP	80/20	Revise Funding	2027	CN	\$1,000	\$1,500	\$1,200	\$300
		Grouped Project: (Pavement Preservation)														
	INDOT	46664	2600213	I-64	Over UNT, 9.0 mi E of JCT SR 61	Warrick	Small Structure Pipe Lining	BR	80/20	Add Project	2029	CN	\$0	\$900	\$720	\$180
		Grouped Project: (Bridge, Culvert and Small Structure Preservation) Includes Des# 2600213, 2600214														
	INDOT	46285	2500802	SR 62	at Posey County Line Rd	Vanderburgh	Intersection Improvement Project	HSIP	80/20	Revise FY	2026	PE	\$511	\$0	\$0	\$0
	INDOT	45274	2301147	US 41	3.3 miles N SR 57 to 0.85 mi S SR 168	Vanderburgh	Rubblize PCCP & HMA Overlay	NHPP, HSIP, BR	80/20	Revise Funding	2028	CN	\$87,500	\$55,700	\$44,560	\$11,140
		Includes Des# 2301147, 2301093, 2200649, 2200650, 2500077, 2500089, 2500826, 2500827, 2500828, 2200033, 2501080, 2501081, 2501082, 2501079														
21-Apr-26	INDOT	46664	2600213	I-64	Over UNT, 9.0 mi E of JCT SR 61	Warrick	Small Structure Pipe Lining	BR	80/20	Add Project	2027	PE	\$0	\$625	\$500	\$125
		Grouped Project: (Bridge, Culvert and Small Structure Preservation) Includes Des# 2600213, 2600214														
23-Apr-26	Vanderburgh County	N/A	2300131	Various	Inspection of all county bridges over 20 ft. in length (152)	Vanderburgh	Bridge Inspections	STBG-B	80/20	Revise FY	2026	PE	\$254	\$0	\$0	\$0
30-Apr-26	INDOT	46317	2500798	US 41	Intersections with Walnut St, Lincoln Ave and Bellemeade Ave	Vanderburgh	Intersection Improvement with new signals	HSIP	80/20	Revise FY	2026	PE	\$820	\$0	\$0	\$0
2026-2030 TIP Modifications - Transit: April 30, 2026																

Sponsor	Des#/ ID#	Work Type	County	Description	Action	Fiscal Year	Funding Type	Current TIP Entry	New TIP Entry
								All amounts in thousands	
METS	N/A	Capital Assistance	Vanderburgh	Includes preventive maintenance and other capital projects	Revise Funding	2026	5307	\$1,812	\$1,862
						2026	Local	\$453	\$465
METS	N/A	Fixed Route Bus	Vanderburgh	Fixed Route Bus	Revise Funding	2026	5307	\$1,141	\$777
						2026	Local	\$291	\$200

This item was informational and did not require committee action.

b. 2026-2030 TIP Amendments – presented by Erin Schriefer

The Evansville MPO amended the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program with the following:

Sponsor	Contract	Des#/ID#	Road	Description	County	Work Type	Funding Type	% Split	Action	Fiscal Year	Phase/ Source	Current TIP Entry	New TIP Entry		
													Total	Federal	State/Local
KYTC/INDOT	N/A	1601700, 2300092, 02.1088.5, 1088.52	I-69	Interstate 69, Section 2: New four-lane river crossing	Henderson/ Vanderburgh	New Bridge Construction		-	Revise FY and Funding	2026	CN	\$203	\$0	\$0	\$0
										All amounts in millions					

David Broderhausen made a motion for approval and Matthew Bullock seconded the motion; motion carried.

5. OTHER BUSINESS

None.

6. PUBLIC COMMENTS

None.

7. UPCOMING DATES

- CY 2026 EMPO Technical Meetings:
 - July 9
 - September 10
 - November 12

Meeting adjourned.