

Waco Urban Transportation Study
Metropolitan Planning Organization Policy Board

Meeting Date: October 19, 2009

Agenda Item: Consideration and Action on appointing an MPO Representative to the Heart of Texas Regional Transportation Coordination Council for CY 2010 and 2011.

Comments:

To meet state requirements to coordinate public transportation services within the 6 county Heart of Texas region, the Heart of Texas Council of Governments has created the Regional Transportation Coordination Council. The RTCC is a formal policy recommending body making recommendations regarding public transportation projects and priorities for the region. According to the RTCC bylaws, the Waco MPO is provided one voting member. Voting members serve 2 year terms beginning in January. The Policy Board last appointed a member in 2008.

The role of the RTCC is solely to advise and provide recommendations to policy makers regarding public transportation policy within the region. The MPO Policy Board retains it's authority to determine public transportation policy within McLennan County.

The Policy Board appointed MPO Director, Chris Evilia as the MPO representative to the RTCC in 2008. During his tenure on the RTCC, Mr. Evilia has served as the chair of the planning subcommittee and currently serves as the chair of the RTCC.

RTCC members can be MPO staff, Policy Board members or other persons the Policy Board deems will adequately represent the interests of the MPO.

Action Required: Nominate and appoint an MPO representative to the Regional Transportation Coordination Council.

Motion By:

Seconded:

Content of Motion:

Vote: