



Waco Metropolitan Planning Organization

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WACO – The Waco Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) is accepting comments regarding proposed 2019-2022 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and a draft recommendation report concerning the McLennan County Transit Need Study.

The TIP identifies transportation projects for which funds have been committed to begin engineering studies, right of way acquisition, construction or project implementation during for the next 4 fiscal years.

The McLennan County Transit Need Study is intended to evaluate the public transportation needs of McLennan County residents and those who travel through the County. This study assists the Waco MPO and Waco Transit in planning for current and future public transportation needs of the Waco Region.

Drafts of the 2019-2022 TIP and recommendation report for the Transit Need Study have been completed and the MPO is requesting interested citizens review and provide input regarding their recommendations. These documents can be viewed online at <http://www.waco-texas.com/cms-mpo/> and at the following locations between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday:

Waco MPO Offices, City of Waco / Dr. Mae Jackson Development Center, 401 Franklin Avenue

Waco Transit Administration Center, 301 South 8th St, Suite 100

The MPO will be conducting 3 public informational meetings to give interested persons the opportunity to view the draft recommendations and to solicit comments regarding these recommendations. The meetings are scheduled as follows:

Monday, April 30, 2018, 6 p.m.
South Waco Community Center

Thursday, May 3, 2018, 12 noon
Waco Transit Administrative Building

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Waco Transit Administrative Building

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The MPO is accepting comments for both the TIP and the Transit Need Study through **June 7, 2018**. Comments may be sent by fax (254) 750-1605, e-mail to mpo@ci.waco.tx.us, or by mail to Waco MPO, P.O. Box 2570, Waco, TX, 76702-2570. When submitting your comments, please note which action is being referenced. Verbal comments will also be accepted at (254) 750-5651 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Persons with disabilities who plan to attend these meetings and who may need auxiliary aids or services should contact the MPO at 254-750-5650 at least twenty-four (24) hours before these hearings so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

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