

A Quarterly Review of the
Lubbock Metropolitan
Planning Organization

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Chamber of Commerce Business Expo

On May 12, 2011, the Lubbock Metropolitan Planning Organization closed down the office and headed to the 2011 Chamber of Commerce Business Expo. The MPO handed out posters, pens, note pads, and a lot of information for the “Faces of Distracted Driving” and “Put It Down”. We created and ran a movie slideshow with TxDOT public service announcements for “Click It or Ticket”, interspersed into the slideshow, along with posters and other information from Distracted Driving, Teens in the Driver’s Seat, Remember Alex Brown, See Us, Save Us, Share the Road, Text.Talk.Crash, Drink, Drive, Go to Jail and Work Zone Safety. When available, the posters were represented in both English and Spanish.

Over 7,000 people attended the Business Expo.



At the Chamber of Commerce Business Expo on May 12, 2011.

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MPO News

Citibus—Dump the Pump Day

On June 16, 2011 Citibus had their first “Dump the Pump” day. Mayor Tom Martin made the proclamation on June 13, 2011 at Citibus’ Downtown Transfer Plaza. With the return of high gas prices, Citibus announced that it will join with other public transportation systems nationwide to participate in the sixth annual National Dump the Pump Day on Thursday, June 16. The slogan of this year’s National Dump the Pump Day is “Dump the Pump. Save Money. Ride Transit.” Citibus offered free rides all day to anyone who wanted to ride. The Lubbock MPO participated by choosing and riding a Citibus route. Mr. John Wilson, General Manager of Citibus, said that 1,000 additional people rode the bus that day.



John Wilson announces the Dump the Pump Day.



Mayor Tom Martin proclaims June 16, 2011 to be Dump the Pump Day.



Posters in the Downtown Transfer Plaza



MPO staff prepare to board the Citibus.

Citibus announces the “Dump the Pump” 2. The first “Dump the Pump” was so successful that Citibus is announcing a second day to ride Citibus FREE all day!

DTP2

September 20th, 2011

RIDE FREE

Holiday Closings



Independence Day, Monday July 4, 2011.



Labor Day, Monday, September 5, 2011.



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If you would like to be added to the electronic mailing list for the Lubbock Metropolitan Planning Organization, please send us your email address. You can either email Tera Davis at tbdavis@mylubbock.us with the address or you can call our office at (806) 775-1MPO (1676). We would love to add you to our list to receive newsletters, agenda listings and other news of the LMPO wherever you are.



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COMMITTEE MEETING

SCHEDULE

May, June, July meetings

TPC meetings will be held in Committee Room 103 in the City of Lubbock Municipal Building, 1625 13th Street. TAC meetings will be held in the 2nd Floor Auditorium of the Courthouse Annex Building, 916 Main Street.

Transportation Policy Committee

July 19, 2011 — 8:30 a.m.

August 16, 2011 — 8:30 a.m.

September 20, 2011 — 8:30 a.m.

Transportation Advisory Committee

July 5, 2011 — 2:00 p.m.

August 2, 2011 — 2:00 p.m.

September 6, 2011 — 2:00 p.m.

COMMITTEE CORNER



Wood Franklin is the newest member of the Transportation Advisory Committee. L. Wood Franklin, P. E., is currently the City Engineer for the City of Lubbock. Wood has been employed with the City of Lubbock Engineering Department since 1998. He previously held the position of Chief Water Utilities Engineer from 2005 through 2011. As the City Engineer, Mr. Franklin is responsible for the oversight of the Water Engineering, Stormwater Engineering, and Streets Engineering Departments. Wood is a Lubbock native and holds a Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering from Texas Tech University. Wood and his wife Missy have three daughters.



Tom Head was elected as Chair of the LMPO for the 2010—2012 period. Tom has been the County Judge for Lubbock County since 1999. He served as Justice of the Peace Precinct 2 for Lubbock County from 1992 to 1998. Tom also worked in Law Enforcement with the Texas Tech Police for six and one half years, Lubbock County Sheriff's Department Reserve Deputy Association, and the Lubbock City Marshall's Office for eight and one half years. He is a member of the Local Law Enforcement Block Grant Advisory Board, the Vice Chair of the Law Enforcement Training Committee for the South Plains Association of Governments as well as a board member. Tom is a Commissioned Texas Police Officer through a local county police department and a member of the Guardianship Advisory Board of the Guardianship Alliance of Texas/Secretary of the Board. Tom has been married to Cherri for 32 years and they have three children.

Meeting dates and times are subject to change. Notices are posted at the City of Lubbock, Lubbock County, the City of Wolfforth and public libraries. You may also call our office at