



WAMPO TPB Executive Committee meeting

Thursday, February 5, 2026, at 11:00 AM

271 W 3rd Street, MAPD Conference Room 237, Wichita, KS 67202, and via Zoom

Meeting Notes & Summary

02/05/2026	
Type of Meeting	Regular
Members Present:	<p>Russ Kessler, Haysville (Chair) George Liebe, Goddard (Vice Chair) Dan Woydziak, Butler County J.V. Johnston, Wichita Becky Tuttle, Wichita (Ex Officio) Pete Meitzner, Sedgwick County Nick Squires, KDOT District 5</p>
Members Absent:	None
WAMPO Staff:	Chad Parasa, Peter Mohr, Chris Sweeney, Kim Negrete, Markey Jonas, Laura VanBurkleo
WAMPO Attorney:	Unable to attend this meeting (Evan Hathaway, Hite, Fanning & Honeyman L.L.P.)
Other Attendees:	None
Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chair Kessler opened the meeting by reviewing the summary of the minutes from the previous Executive Committee meeting. • Elections for the TPB Chair and Vice Chair will be held on February 10, 2026. • Chris Sweeney, WAMPO Senior Accountant and Chad Parasa provided an update on the financial reports. • Chad sought approval for up to 20% local match funds to support Mobility Manager position budget we receive from KDOT. Committee members supportively agreed and approved. • Chad Parasa, Markey Jonas, and Peter Mohr provided an update on the Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) tasks, staff activities to date for 2025, and potential priorities for 2026. • Chad shared the Project Selection Committee (PSC) members' recommendations of suballocated funds for TIP projects. Chad also shared the timeline for call for projects for the FFY2027-FFY2030 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). • Committee members unanimously recommended approving a 4% salary increase for the WAMPO Executive Director, retroactive to January 1, 2026. As a next step this will be presented at the next TPB meeting on February 10, 2026.