

CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

October 24, 2023

There was a meeting of the Citizens Advisory Committee of the Lima-Allen County Regional Planning Commission on **Tuesday, October 24, 2023**, at 10:00 a.m. in the Conference Room of the Commission office located at 130 West North Street, Lima, Ohio.

Shaunna Basinger brought the meeting to order and proceeded with the agenda.

1. ROLL CALL

- Alice Curth, virtual Delphos Senior Citizens
- Shane Coleman, virtual City of Lima
- Charles Schrek, virtual Citizen
- Mike Hensley Allen Council on Aging
- Brandon Fischer, virtual Allen County Health Department
- Carole Enneking, virtual Family & Children First Council
- Jessie Doyle OJFS

STAFF

- Shaunna Basinger Lima-Allen County Regional Planning Commission
- Rebecca Phillips Lima-Allen County Regional Planning Commission

2. APPROVAL OF CAC MINUTES – July 25, 2023

Ms. Basinger presented the July 25, 2023 minutes.

3. STAFF INTRODUCTION

Ms. Phillips briefly introduced herself as the new Finance Director of LACRPC stating that she was looking forward to working with our various partners for the betterment of Allen County.

4. RTA UPDATE

Ms. Basinger presented the September RTA reports stating that further questions can be directly to Karen Garland of Allen Co. RTA.

5. FINAL 2022 ALLEN COUNTY TRAFFIC CRASH SUMMARY

Ms. Basinger presented the FINAL 2022 Allen County Traffic Crash Summary stating that it is available on the LACRPC website in the “Recently at RPC...” The comment period concluded with no comments received and the report will go before the TCC on Thursday for final approval.

6. URBAN AREA MAP

Ms. Basinger shared that the Census Bureau sets the urban area boundary for census purposes. The census omits several areas that may have low housing density, but do have traffic generators that significantly impact the roadway networks. LACRPC gets an opportunity to rectify those omissions by adding areas to the urban area. Once the revisions are made they will be submitted to ODOT for approval. If they are approved by the State, Allen County will benefit because those roadways are

eligible for additional funding down the line. Ms. Basinger further clarified that these maps are completely separate from the MS4 (Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System).

7. SAFETY PERFORMANCE MEASURES

Ms. Basinger shared the recently TCC approved Safety Performance Measures for 2024 which includes, 12 fatalities, 74 serious injuries, a fatality rate of 0.94 per MVM, and a serious injury rate of 5.45 per MVM, and nonmotorized fatalities and non-motorized serious injuries.

8. OTHER

9. ADJOURNMENT