# Executive Summary of the North Front Range Metropolitan Planning Organization Community Advisory Committee

August 11, 2022

Attendees: Brad Ragazzo, Cliff Moore, Cindy Beemer, Diego Lopez, Louisa Andersen

Staff: Alex Gordon, AnnaRose Cunningham

#### **Pre-Meeting Introduction**

Cunningham provided a general outline of the NFRMPO and its programs, plans, and initiatives. Ragazzo asked for guidance about what the expectation for the CAC is. Cunningham explained the CAC meets once per month with some requests for review in-between meetings.

#### **Introductions**

Cunningham introduced the new members of the Community Advisory Committee (CAC) through a GIF activity and asking members about their thoughts on transportation around the world.

### **Public Involvement Plan (PIP)**

Cunningham reviewed the purpose, guiding principles, and strategies from the <u>2019 Public Involvement Plan</u> as a basis for the <u>2023 Public Involvement Plan</u>. Lopez recommended working with utilities (Xcel Energy) and the universities as partners for events. Andersen recommended attending a Friday Fest in Greeley. Cunningham reviewed implemented 2019 strategies and added lessons learned from COVID. Beemer noted online meetings can sometimes lead to less attention from participants compared to inperson meetings but expands the opportunities for people to participate. In-person meetings should still be the default.

## **Transportation Demand Management (TDM)**

Gordon reviewed the TDM recommendations from the TDM Action Plan. Ragazzo asked if there is a forum for people to share rides. Other CAC members highlighted the need for schoolpooling. Lopez asked if the Via project is moving forward.

#### **GHG Transportation Report**

Gordon reviewed the results from the GHG Transportation Report the NFRMPO staff has been working on. There is a fact sheet on the NFRMPO website at <a href="mailto:nfrmpo.org/air-quality/ghg-rulemaking">nfrmpo.org/air-quality/ghg-rulemaking</a>.

#### **Next Steps**

Cunningham reviewed possible ideas for future meetings, including tours of construction projects, walk audits, and Cycling Without Age demonstrations. The group stated the <u>2045 Regional Transportation Plan</u> (RTP) is an important topic.