

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

February 9, 2023

Attendees: York, Brad Ragazzo, Gary Strome

Staff: Alex Gordon, AnnaRose Cunningham, Medora Bornhoft

Congestion Management Process

Bornhoft introduced the Congestion Management Process, which ties together data analysis and strategies to address congestion in the region. The CMP is flexible but must contain methods to monitor and evaluate performance; define objectives and measures; monitor and collect data; evaluate anticipated performance and expected benefits; implementation schedule, responsibilities, and funding sources; and an assessment process to see how the strategies work. Federal regulations define types of CMP strategies, which the NFRMPO has categorized into six tiers, with increased system capacity being the last strategy. Bornhoft explained some of the performance measures, including Travel Time Index (TTI), Travel Time Reliability (TTR), and Truck Travel Time Reliability (TTTR).

York asked if the crash performance measure was all crashes or categorized by severity. Bornhoft stated the CMP looks at all crashes while the RTP looks at serious injury and/or fatality. York asked if the CMP would relate to vision zero efforts. Bornhoft and Cunningham explained the Safety Vision: Toward Zero Death policy. Ragazzo asked if there are plans in place to address choke points, specifically the area around I-25 and Harmony Road. He suggested looking at key intersections and identify potential improvements. York suggested tying together the presentation slides with parts of the CMP to make it easier to digest.

Data in Transportation Planning

Gordon and Cunningham explained some sources of data the NFRMPO uses, including Streetlight, National Performance Management Research Data Set (NPMRDS), household travel surveys, and outreach. Ragazzo suggested comparing INRIX/NPMRDS data to where and when crashes are happening.

2050 RTP: Corridor Visioning

Cunningham walked through the Corridor Visioning exercise that NFRMPO staff have been working on. A new generic survey allows people to provide feedback without having to go through the entire exercise. Cunningham noted NFRMPO staff will be going throughout the region to promote the Corridor Visioning exercise, including by tabling events and through social media.

Cunningham reviewed upcoming meeting topics, including a possible event at Library Trivia in Windsor on March 9 in lieu of the normal CAC meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 7:05 p.m.