

DRAFT MINUTES OF THE MARYLAND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
March 3, 2021

I. Call to Order

Chair Jim Calderwood called the Maryland Transportation Commission meeting to order on Wednesday, March 3, 2021 at 10:30 AM via virtual Teams meeting.

II. Roll Call

The following individuals were present:

James A. Calderwood, Chair
William Callahan, Member
Debra Farrar-Dyke, Member
Thomas Hampton, Member
Elmer Horsey, Member
Natasha Iheme, Member
George Littrell, Jr., Member
Lisa Weimin Liu, Member
Ben Neil, Member
Barbara Richman-Kahn, Member
Rizwan Siddiqi, Member
Greg Snook, Member
Mario VillaSanta, Member
MDOT Staff Ian Beam
MDOT Staff Brittany Brothers
MDOT Staff Sandy Hertz

III. Approval of Meeting Minutes

Mr. Calderwood asked for a motion to approve the minutes from the February 3, 2021 meeting. Mr. Snook made a motion to approve the minutes and Mr. Callahan seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

IV. MDOT Climate Change Vulnerability Application Briefing

Mr. Beam introduced Ms. Sandy Hertz, Assistant Director, Office of Environment, MDOT TSO, who provided members with an overview of MDOT's tools and applications that help the decision-making process for environmental considerations throughout the State. Ms. Hertz's briefing included a demonstration of how the Climate Change Vulnerability Map can be used, as

well as information on environmental issues and considerations in Maryland. At the conclusion of her presentation, she fielded questions from the members.

V. I-81 INFRA Letter of Support Request

Mr. Bean informed members of a letter of support request for continued infrastructure construction on I-81. He asked members to consider supporting and signing the joint Commission letter that is currently being drafted.

VI. Dedication Requests

There were no dedication requests.

VII. Adjournment

Mr. Calderwood asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting and reconvene on April 7, 2021. Ms. Farrar-Dyke made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Mr. Siddiqi seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously and the meeting was adjourned.