

**TECHNICAL ADVISORY  
COMMITTEE  
REGULAR MEETING AGENDA**

*Local Governments and Citizens Working Together*

**TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE (TAC)  
Regular Meeting  
Thursday, November 8, 2018, 9:00 AM**

**Yuma County – Aldrich Auditorium  
2351 West 26th Street  
Yuma, Arizona 85364**

**YMPO TAC MEMBERS**

- Chairwoman Jennifer Albers, Principal Planner, City of Yuma
- Vice-Chair Maggie Castro, Planning & Zoning Director, Yuma County
- Member Samuel Palacios, Public Works Director, City of Somerton
- Member Omar Heredia, Planner, Cocopah Indian Tribe
- Member Mark Hoffman, Senior Planner, ADOT
- Member Susan Cowey, CIP Administrator, City of Yuma
- Member Joseph Grant, Public Works Director, Town of Wellton
- Member Roger Patterson, Yuma County Engineer
- Member Eulogio Vera, Public Works Director City of San Luis
- Member Jeff Kramer, City Engineer, City of Yuma

**YMPO TAC EX-OFFICIOS**

- YCIPTA Shelly Kreger
- CALTRANS Jacob Armstrong
- FHWA Romare Truly
- FTA Alex Smith
- EPA Jerry Wamsley

**1. Call to Order and Declaration of Votes**

The meeting will be called to order and the City of Yuma will declare the number, and the distribution, of their votes.

**2. Call to the Public**

This item is to provide an opportunity for comments by the public. Individuals wishing to address the committee need not request permission in advance and are limited to three (3) minutes.

**3. Approval of Minutes ..... Discussion and Possible Action**

The draft minutes of October 11, 2018 TAC meeting are provided for information, discussion, and possible approval.

4. **YMPO Activity** .....**Discussion and Information**  
YMPO has a briefing to update the TAC
5. **YMPO Safety Plan Update**.....**Information and Discussion**  
Greenlight Traffic Engineering will provide a status on work that has been completed.
6. **STBG Call for Projects and Funding Availability** .....**Information and Discussion**  
YMPO Staff will provide further information regarding the programming of YMPO available Federal Surface Transportation Block Grant STBG Funds in the FY 2019-23 Draft YMPO TIP.
7. **Rural Transportation Summit** .....**Information and Discussion**  
YMPO Senior Planning/Mobility Manager, Charles Gutierrez will present the video that will be presented at the AZ Rural Transportation Summit.
8. **Project Updates** .....**Information and Discussion**  
YMPO staff and ADOT will provide any updates on the status of the current PARA program and any ongoing YMPO studies and projects that have not already been reported on.
9. **In-kind Match Forms** .....**Information and Discussion**  
YMPO uses In-Kind Match for the projects, studies, and all work that YMPO does that includes some type of matching funds.
10. **TAC Status Reports** .....**Information and Discussion**  
Member agencies will have the opportunity to report the status of their projects (Local or Federal). A list of ongoing projects is shown in the information below.

Town of Wellton:

Coyote Wash Bridge.

Yuma County:

County 14th Street overlay, Avenue A to Avenue D.

City of San Luis:

Juan Sanchez Boulevard.

City of Yuma:

1<sup>st</sup> Avenue, 16<sup>th</sup> Street to Orange-

16<sup>th</sup> Street, Avenue B to Avenue C-

Avenue 9E Bike Lanes, North Frontage Road to 24<sup>th</sup> Street-

4<sup>th</sup> Avenue, 32<sup>nd</sup> Street to 40<sup>th</sup> Street-

City of Somerton:

ADOT:

Araby Road Roundabout (South).

Cocopah Indian Tribe:

**11. Future Agenda Items .....Discussion**

Members will have the opportunity to suggest future items for the TAC agenda.

- A. Functional Classification.
- B. TIP Amendments

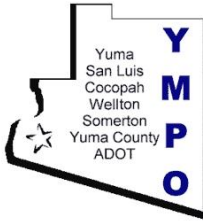
**12. Progress Reports .....Discussion**

YMPO staff will provide a summary of recent activities.

- A. October 11 – YMPO TAC Meeting, Charles Gutierrez, Melissa Ramos, De'Laurien McKenzie attended
- B. October 15-16 – FHWA Peer to Peer Exchange, Paul Ward Attended
- C. October 22 – ADOT/YMPO Coordination Meeting, Paul Ward attended
- D. October 23-26– Rural Transportation Summit, Charles Gutierrez, Crystal Figueroa, Melissa Ramos, and De'Laurien attended.
- E. October 29 – Saguaro Transportation MOU Meeting, Paul; Ward, Crystal Figueroa, Charles Gutierrez, attended
- F. October 30 – Russ Clark Show, Paul Ward attended
- G. October 30 – November 1 – Financial Planning in Transportation, Charles Gutierrez, Crystal Figueroa, Melissa Ramos, De'Laurien McKenzie, attended

**13. Adjournment**

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Member Mark Hoffman, Senior Planner, ADOT  
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Member Roman Vega for Roger Patterson, Yuma County Engineer  
Member Jeff Kramer, City Engineer, City of Yuma

**YMPO TAC MEMBERS ABSENT**

Member Omar Heredia, Planner, Cocopah Indian Tribe  
Member Eulogio Vera, Public Works Director City of San Luis

**YMPO STAFF PRESENT**

Senior Planning/Mobility Manager Charles Gutierrez  
Administrative Assistant Melissa Ramos  
Associate Planner De' Laurien McKenzie

**1. Call to Order and Declaration of Votes**

YMPO TAC Chairwoman, Jennifer Albers, called the meeting to order at 9:05 am. The City of Yuma declaration of votes: Jeff Kramer, 2 votes; Susan Cowey, 2 votes; and Jennifer Albers, 1 vote.

**2. Call to the Public**

This item is to provide an opportunity for comments by the public. Individuals wishing to address the committee need not request permission in advance and are limited to three (3) minutes.

Gene Dalbey greeted everyone present.

3. **Approval of Minutes** ..... **Discussion and Possible Action**

Mark Hoffman made corrections to the minutes of September 13, 2018. Under item 8 Project Updates for ADOT the correction should be Storm *Water* Study. Under item 8 Project Updates for YMPO the correction should be Planning to *Program* process.

Mark Hoffman motioned to approve the September 13, 2018 TAC minutes with corrections noted.

Joseph Grant seconded

Motioned carried unanimously

4. **YMPO Safety Plan Update**.....**Information and Discussion**

Mike Blankenship, Greenlight Traffic Engineering, supplied the TAC with examples from Lake Havasu MPO's Public Bicycle Survey and Pinal County's Strategic Transportation Safety Survey. Mike Blankenship asked the TAC to review the surveys and to submit comments by October 25.

Mike Blankenship shared data that includes fatal crashes and the types of crashes that has occurred in the Yuma region.

4<sup>th</sup> Avenue had 5 fatal crashes: 3 occurred between 1<sup>st</sup> Street and 8<sup>th</sup> Street 2 pedestrian crashes and 1 was an angle crash at Giss. Between 8<sup>th</sup> Street and 16<sup>th</sup> Street on 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue there was a fatal pedestrian crash. On 37<sup>th</sup> Street there was a fatal angle crash. County 16<sup>th</sup> had 4 fatal crashes: 2 were near Avenue C 1 crash was a head on and the other was a pedestrian, both occurred at night.

Avenue G had 5 fatal crashes: 2 fatal crashes at County 14<sup>th</sup> and County 11<sup>th</sup> had a few fatal crashes.

8<sup>th</sup> Street between Avenue A and B there was a pedestrian fatal crash and 1 bicycle fatal crash at Magnolia Avenue.

County 11<sup>th</sup> and Frontage Road had 5 fatal crashes: 1 was an angle, 1 was a pedestrian and 3 were single vehicle crashes.

32<sup>nd</sup> Street had 6 fatal crashes: 2 crashes were near Catalina and the big curve including a pedestrian and an angle crash, a few left turn crashes, single vehicle, and pedestrian crash.

5. **STBG Funds Loaned to ADOT**.....**Information and Discussion**

Charles Gutierrez informed the TAC of the Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG) funds that were credited to the YMPO Ledger, in late September 2018. The credit was for \$61,559 and came from the San Luis Juan Sanchez Blvd Project (10<sup>th</sup> Ave to SR 195). Due to timing YMPO could not successfully program the funds in FY 2018. During the September 2018 YMPO Executive Board Meeting, the Board approved to loan funds to ADOT and return the funds to the YMPO in FY 2019.

**6. STBG Call for Projects and Funding Availability .....Information and Discussion**

Charles Gutierrez gave an update on the YMPO available Federal Surface Transportation Block Grant STBG Funds in the FY 2019-23 Draft YMPO TIP. Below is the updated availability:

	<b>FY 18</b>	STBG/Match	Pay In	Pay Out	Loan
	Various STBG Funds Returned		\$194,712		\$194,712
	San Luis Juan Sanchez Blvd		\$61,559		\$61,559
	<b>FY 19</b>				
WEL-14-01C	Coyote Wash	\$1,031,191			
YC-BR-05C	Bridge Rehab/7751	\$795,334			
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		Total	\$256,721	\$185,000	
		STBG Available	\$71,271	-\$18,000 ADOT	\$53,271

**7. Adoption of Arizona MAP-21 Performance Targets.....**

**Information, Discussion, and Action**

The TAC had an opportunity to review and discuss the adoption letter for the Arizona MAP-21 Performance Targets. Chairwomen Albers had a few questions that Mark Hoffman was able to answer. The TAC agreed the letter need more support, but agreed on the targets for the performance measures as shown below:

- Percent of National Highway System (NHS) Bridges Classified as in Good Condition based on deck are: 2 and 4-year targets – 52%
- Percent of NHS Bridges Classified in Poor Condition based on deck area: 2 and 4-year targets – 4%
- Percent of Interstate Pavements in Good Condition: 4-year target – 48%
- Percent of Interstate Pavements in Poor Condition: 4-year target – 2%
- Percent of Non-Interstate NHS Pavements in Good Condition: 2 and 4-year targets – 31%

- Percent of Non-Interstate NHS Pavement in Poor Condition: 2 and 4-year target – 6%
- Freight Reliability on the Interstate (Truck Travel Time Reliability Index): 2-year target – 1.21%; 4-year target 1.23%
- Interstate Travel Time Reliability (Percent of person-miles that have Reliable Travel Times on the Interstate): 2-year target 86%; 4-year target 85.8%
- Non-Interstate NHS Travel Time Reliability (Percent of person-miles that have Reliable Travel Times on the Non-Interstate NHS): 4-year target 74.9%
- Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality (CMAQ) Emissions Reductions (Kilograms per day)
  - Volatile Organic Compounds: 2-year target – 210; 4-year target – 385
  - Carbon Monoxide: 2-year target – 3,720; 4-year target – 6,985
  - Nitrogen Oxides: 2-year target – 418; 4-year target – 761
  - Particulate Matter (≤10 microns): 2-year target – 873; 4-year target – 1,399
  - Particulate Matter (≤2.5 microns): 2-year target – 69; 4-year target – 112

Charles Gutierrez will create a letter, including the added support the TAC asked, and send via email, to the TAC, for approval.

Maggie Castro motioned

Susan Cowey seconded

Motioned carried unanimously

**8. Rural Transportation Summit Video.....Information and Discussion**

Charles Gutierrez previewed the video that will be presented at the AZ Rural Transportation Summit, in Lake Havasu. With the help of Brian Brady and Tom Valente, both drone pilots, the video highlighted the YMPO regions roadway construction projects.

**9. Project Updates .....Information and Discussion**

YMPO- Paul Ward has given the final contract to Greenlight Traffic Engineering and is working on the Traffic Count Study contract for Kimley Horn. Charles Gutierrez will meet with Gene Dalbey to discuss some public outreach material, for the Bike and Pedestrian Study.

ADOT- The Storm Water Study is a state-wide study.

**10. In-kind Match Forms .....Information and Discussion**

This item will remain on all future YMPO TAC agendas. Charles Gutierrez reminded all TAC members to please keep track and submit In-Kind Match forms, when working on YMPO material.

11. **TAC Status Reports.....Information and Discussion**  
Member agencies had the opportunity to report the status of their projects (Local or Federal).

Town of Wellton:

**Coyote Wash Bridge-** Sent the IGA back to ADOT.

Yuma County:

**County 12th Street and Avenue D Bridge replacement-**

This project is completed and will be removed from the TAC Status Reports list.

**North Frontage Road, Avenues 11E to 13E-**

This project is completed and will be removed from the TAC Status Reports list.

**County 14th Street overlay, Avenue A to Avenue D-**

Construction for this project will start this week.

City of San Luis:

**Juan Sanchez Boulevard-** No updates available.

City of Yuma:

**1<sup>st</sup> Avenue, 16<sup>th</sup> Street to Orange-**

Roadway reconstruction, water and sewer improvements and communications infrastructure. Final plan updates still being completed. Anticipate release for bids in late October with construction from January through July.

**16<sup>th</sup> Street, Avenue B to Avenue C-**

Pavement replacement and communications infrastructure. 60% design in review. Anticipate construction in spring 2019.

**Avenue 9E Bike Lanes, North Frontage Road to 24<sup>th</sup> Street-**

60% design in review

**4<sup>th</sup> Avenue, 32<sup>nd</sup> Street to 40<sup>th</sup> Street-**

Project was awarded to DPE Construction. Anticipate construction starting October/early November and lasting into April.

City of Somerton:

ADOT:

**Araby Road Roundabout (South)-** No updates available.

Cocopah Indian Tribe:

No updates available.



**12. Future Agenda Items .....Discussion**

Members will have the opportunity to suggest future items for the TAC agenda.

- A. Functional Classification.
- B. TIP Amendments

**13. Progress Reports.....Discussion**

YMPO staff will provide a summary of recent activities.

- A. September 13 – YMPO TAC Meeting, Charles Gutierrez, Melissa Ramos, De'Laurien McKenzie participated
- B. September 17– Grant Writing Workshop, Charles Gutierrez attended.
- C. September 17 – Yuma County Board of Supervisors Meeting, Paul Ward participated
- D. September 19 – City of Somerton Meeting with Mayor and Manager, Paul Ward attended.
- E. September 21 – AZ State Transportation Board Meeting, Paul Ward attended.
- F. September 25-26 – 5310 Implementation Workshop, Melissa Ramos and Crystal Figueroa attended.
- G. September 26 – ADOT's Planning to Programming (P2P) Meeting Southwest District, Paul Ward attended.
- H. September 27 – YMPO Executive Board Meeting, Paul Ward, Crystal Figueroa, De'Laurien McKenzie, and Charles Gutierrez participated
- I. September 26– Rural Transportation Summit Final Walk-Thru, Charles Gutierrez attended.
- J. September 27 – Traffic Count Safety Meeting, Paul Ward, Charles Gutierrez, Robert Aguilar participated.
- K. September 28 – Drone Flight various location, Charles Gutierrez participated.
- L. September 28 – City of Somerton GIS Department, De'Laurien McKenzie attended.
- M. October 1 – City of Yuma Media for video production, Charles Gutierrez and De'Laurien McKenzie attended.
- N. October 1 – City of Yuma Meeting with Mayor and Administrator, Paul Ward participated
- O. October 2 – Participant Statistical Areas Program (PSAP), Charles Gutierrez and De'Laurien McKenzie attended.
- P. October 2 – City of San Luis Meeting with Administrator, Paul Ward attended
- Q. October 2 – ASRS City of Yuma Meeting, Crystal Figueroa attended.
- R. October 4 – Round Table with Arizona State Governor, Paul Ward attended.
- S. October 9 – Non-Motorized Users Team Meeting, Charles Gutierrez and De'Laurien McKenzie participated.
- T. October 10-13 – OMB Super Circular Training, Paul Ward and Crystal Figueroa, attended

#### **14. Adjournment**

The TAC Meeting was adjourned at 10:19 am by Chairwomen Jennifer Albers.

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Minutes Prepared By:

Minutes Submitted by:

Minutes approved by:

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Melissa Ramos, YMPO  
Administrative Assistant

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Charles Gutierrez, YMPO  
Senior Planning Manager

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Jennifer Albers, YMPO  
TAC Chairwoman

# **YMPO INFORMATION SUMMARY for Agenda Item #4**

## **YMPO ACTIVITY**

**DATE:** November 5, 2018

**SUBJECT:** YMPO Activity

**SUMMARY:**

The YMPO will be briefing the TAC on a Special Activity

**PUBLIC INPUT:**

There have been no public comments on this process, to date.

**TECHNICAL & POLICY IMPLICATIONS:**

TECHNICAL: N/A at this time until further technical issues are explored, and the process agreed upon by all members.

**ACTION NEEDED:**

This item is on the agenda for information and discussion

**PRIOR BOARD/COMMITTEE ACTIONS:**

N/A

**CONTACT PERSON:**

Charles A. Gutierrez, Senior Planning/Mobility Manager, 928-783-8911

# **YMPO INFORMATION SUMMARY for Agenda Item #5**

## **YMPO ACTIVITY**

**DATE:** November 5, 2018

**SUBJECT:** YMPO Safety Plan Update

**SUMMARY:**

The YMPO has asked Greenlight Traffic Engineering to update the TAC on work that has been completed to this point for the Safety Plan Update

**PUBLIC INPUT:**

There have been no public comments on this process, to date.

**TECHNICAL & POLICY IMPLICATIONS:**

TECHNICAL: N/A at this time until further technical issues are explored, and the process agreed upon by all members.

**ACTION NEEDED:**

This item is on the agenda for information and discussion

**PRIOR BOARD/COMMITTEE ACTIONS:**

October 11, 2018 last update to the TAC

**CONTACT PERSON:**

Charles A. Gutierrez, Senior Planning/Mobility Manager, 928-783-8911

<b>Road</b>	<b>Fatal Crashes</b>	<b>Notes</b>
I-8	18	9 rollover, 8 night
32nd St	6	5 night, 2 pedestrian
4th Ave	5	3 pedestrian, 3 night
Avenue G	5	4 night, 3 run-off-road
County 11th St/Frontage Rd	5	3 run-off-road
US 95 (ADOT sections)	4	2 run-off-road, 1 head-on
24th St	4	3 pedestrian
Avenue A	4	2 angle, 2 run-off-road
County 16th St	3	3 night
Avenue B	3	3 night, 2 pedestrian
Juan Sanchez Blvd	3	2 night
16th St	3	2 pedestrian
County 18th St	3	3 angle, 3 night
Levee Rd	3	3 rollover, 2 night
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**From:** Michael Blankenship <[mikeb@greenlightte.com](mailto:mikeb@greenlightte.com)>  
**Sent:** Monday, November 5, 2018 7:06 AM  
**To:** CGutierrez <[cgutierrez@ympo.org](mailto:cgutierrez@ympo.org)>  
**Subject:** RE: TAC NOV 8 2018

Hi Charles,

Below is a link to a Google Map with the YMPO region fatal crashes for 2013-2017. Can you share this with the TAC for Thursday's meeting – we want to discuss potential HSIP project corridors with them.

[https://drive.google.com/open?id=10yZrRGB8zWb8zXhGZkuGePppi5ezx\\_T1&usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/open?id=10yZrRGB8zWb8zXhGZkuGePppi5ezx_T1&usp=sharing)

Thanks.  
Mike

# YMPO INFORMATION SUMMARY for Agenda Item #6

## STBG Call for Projects and Funding Availability

**DATE:** November 5, 2018

**SUBJECT:** STBG Call for Projects and Funding Availability

**SUMMARY:**

The YMPO is evolving to be doing a Transportation Improvement Program every year and will be going out to the TAC and finally approval to the Executive Board. Each year the YMPO receives approximately \$1,080,229 of Apportionment and with Obligation Authority (OA) Rate at 94.9% in the amount of \$1,025,137 or a HURF Exchange rate of 90/10% Split which equates to \$922,656.

Currently, YMPO will be paying a loan to Northern Arizona Council of Governments (NACOG) for a loan for SOM-TE-02 Main St: Somerton Ave to Bingham for \$185,000 that occurred on the 2014-2018 TIP Amendment #2 t on June 26, 2014.

YMPO loaned to ADOT in the current TIP for payback in FY 2019, \$256,271 total and payout \$185,000, STBG total for FY 2019 of \$71,271 of extra funds. In the last agenda item, you heard that it is possible that ADOT could be asking for approximately \$18,000 for the San Luis Project on Juan Sanchez Blvd that closed already in which YMPO received \$61,559 back and was loaned to ADOT. So, the approximate amount of funds that can be utilized over and above the available unprogrammed is \$53,271 of STBG funds This amount can be used for a FY 19 project on Urban Minor Collector and Rural Major Collector for design/construction or added to any project in the current fiscal year of the TIP.

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**PUBLIC INPUT:**

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**TECHNICAL & POLICY IMPLICATIONS:**

TECHNICAL: N/A at this time until further technical issues are explored, and the process agreed upon by all members.

**ACTION NEEDED:**

This item is on the agenda for information, discussion, and action

**PRIOR BOARD/COMMITTEE ACTIONS:**

**CONTACT PERSON:**

Charles A. Gutierrez, Senior Planning/Mobility Manager, 928-783-8911



# **YMPO INFORMATION SUMMARY for Agenda Item #7**

## **AZ Rural Transportation Summit**

**DATE:** November 5, 2018

**SUBJECT:** AZ Rural Transportation Summit (RTS)

### **SUMMARY:**

The YMPO participated in and with the RTS. We were coordination and logistics, labor, and participants of the RTS. YMPO also had members of the Executive Board and TAC present. YMPO will give a brief description on events of the RTS. We thank those who participated.

- Mayor Cecilia McCollough, Town of Wellton, Chair YMPO Executive Board
- Deputy Mayor Gary Knight, City of Yuma, YMPO Executive Board Member, AZ State Transportation Board Member
- Vice Chair J. Deal. Begay, Cocopah Indian Tribe, YMPO Executive Board Treasurer
- Supervisor Lynne Pancrazi, Yuma County, YMPO Executive Board Member
- Supervisor Russell McCloud, Yuma County
- City Engineer Eulogio Vera, City of San Luis, YMPO TAC Member
- Manuel Rojas, City of San Luis, attended on Behalf of Deputy Mayor Maria Ramos, YMPO Executive Board Member
- Minerva Peters, YPG Chief of Staff
- Donnie Lucas, YPG Chief of Police
- YMPO Staff
  - ❖ Charles Gutierrez
  - ❖ Melissa Ramos
  - ❖ Crystal Figueroa
  - ❖ De'Laurien McKenzie

### **PUBLIC INPUT:**

There have been no public comments on this process, to date.

### **TECHNICAL & POLICY IMPLICATIONS:**

TECHNICAL: N/A at this time until further technical issues are explored, and the process agreed upon by all members.

### **ACTION NEEDED:**

This item is on the agenda for information and discussion

### **PRIOR BOARD/COMMITTEE ACTIONS:**

October 11, 2018 last update to the TAC

### **CONTACT PERSON:**

Charles A. Gutierrez, Senior Planning/Mobility Manager, 928-783-8911

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October 2018

Southwest District update of on-going and up-coming construction projects  
The construction activity in the Southwest District is progressing steadily. Below are some short updates of each of the On-going and up-coming projects within the District.

On-Going Projects

Interstate 8

- **I-8 @ Araby Interchange Spot Improvements-** Project consists of constructing roundabouts at the Araby Road and I-8 ramp intersections. J. Banicki Construction, Inc. was awarded the project. Contractor has completed all the work on phase I of the project which included the construction of the north roundabout. Contractor working on Phase II, construction of the south roundabout. They are installing signs, fence, placing decomposed granite & rock mulch, painting bridges and bridge barrier. Contractor scheduled to have the project complete by next week.
- **Statewide DMS Ph. 11** – Project is complete.
- **Statewide Weigh-In-Motion Project-** Project consists of installing weigh-in-motion systems that include installation of loop detectors, quartz piezoelectric sensors, poles, cabinets, foundations, equipment and solar panels. Project was awarded to Roadway Electric, LLC. Contractor has completed work on SR 85. The contractor will be coming back to the locations on I-8 and SR 85 to calibrate the WIM systems.
- **I-8, Gila Bend Rest Area to I-10 Sign Rehab (MP 125-178)** – Project complete
- **I-8, MP 96-Paloma Road Pavement Preservation-** project consists of milling and replacing existing pavement. FNF construction Inc. was awarded the project. Contractor is working on slope paving, shoulder build-up, and cattle guard installation.

Interstate 10

- **I-10 Ehrenberg Port of Entry Phase II** – The proposed work consists of reconstructing the existing Port of Entry building, constructing new operations building, new satellite credential booths, building canopy, and new PCCP pavement. Additional items of work include constructing sewer and roadway lighting systems, concrete sidewalks, pavement markings, signing, and other misc. items. Project was awarded to FNF Construction, Inc. Contractor is placing PCCP in the truck parking lot, placing curb & gutter, pouring barrier wall, and installing security fence.

US/SR 95

- **SR 95 @ Mohave Road Intersection Improvement Project-**Project consists of installing a new traffic signal at the intersection. Project was awarded to Paveco. Project is on hold, waiting for the traffic signal poles and mast arms to be delivered in late November.

- **US 95 @ Ave 8E Intersection**- Consists of constructing a traffic signal at the intersection of US 95 & Ave 8E. The project is advertised and will bid open on Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>.
- **SR 95, Beacon Road – E. of Riverside Dr. Pav. Preservation** – Pavement preservation project for full width roadway. Project bid opened and is scheduled to go before the Transportation Board for award consideration on Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>.

#### SR 72

- **SR 72, MP 29.86-49.91 Pavement Preservation**- the final project assessment has been submitted for the project. Project consists of 3" overlay on the roadway and drainage improvements. Project is advertised and bid opens on 11/9/18.
- **SR 72 & Joshua Drive Intersection Improvement**- Intersection improvement project to added left and right turn lanes. Project is advertised and will bid open on 11/9/18.

#### Local Projects

- **County 12<sup>th</sup> Street @ Ave D over Central Canal Bridge Replacement project**- Project is complete.
- **Texas Hill Bridges** – project consists of bridge rehabilitation. Project was awarded to Pulice Construction, Inc. Contractor is working on pouring the abutments, installing the voided slabs, and constructing the bridge barrier for structure # 7753.
- **8<sup>th</sup> St. & 21<sup>st</sup> Ave Pedestrian Hybrid Beacon** – project consists of installing a pedestrian hybrid beacon at the intersection of 8<sup>th</sup> Street and 21<sup>st</sup> Ave. Project was awarded to AJP Electric, Inc. The contractor waiting on poles and cabinet to be delivered to the project site.
- **Juan Sanchez Boulevard, 10<sup>th</sup> St.-Ave E Centerline Rumble Strip**- Project consists of placing centerline rumble strip and new pavement markings. Project was awarded to Sunline Contracting, LLC. Work is complete just waiting on final striping to take place.

#### Upcoming Projects

##### Interstate 8

- **Coyote Wash Multi-use Pathway**- project consists of extending a multi-use pathway across the Coyote Wash in Wellton. The 100% comments submitted and C&S reviewing the project. Project is scheduled to advertise by Nov. 2018.
- **I-8, MP 141-147.6 Micro Seal Project**- The project funding has been moved to fiscal year 2020. Pre-scoping document complete.
- **I-8, MP 0.1 – 31 Various Bridges Deck Rehab**– Bridge deck rehabilitation project. Final design funding is in place and will have a kick-off meeting in a few weeks.
- **I-8, Avenue 36E to MP 46 Pav. Preservation**- Project consists of pavement rehabilitation from milepost 37 to 46 on I-8. Design will kick-off meeting was held. The designer is working on finalizing the project assessment. Construction is programmed for FY 20'.
- **I-8, MP 82-96, E. of Yuma/Maricopa County Line** – Pavement preservation project for EB & WB roadways. Construction programmed for FY 20', but the project may be moved into FY 19'. 100% plans submitted for final review and comments sent back.
- **I-8, Aztec to County Line (MP 71-82) Pav. Pres.**- The pre-design scoping document is complete. The Pre-scoping document is being revised and has been completed.
- **I-8, MP 134.6 – 141 Pavement Preservation**- The pre-design scoping document is complete.
- **I-8, MP 46 SW of Dateland Pavement Preservation**- project consists of milling and paving mainline and crossroads on I-8 for 20 miles. Construction funding programmed

in fiscal year 2019. Final Project Assessment is complete. 60% plan submittal has been submitted for review and comments are due back 10/25/18.

- **I-8, Sentinel Rest Area-** Design and construct waste water and water repairs. Design in FY 21' and construction programmed in FY 22'.
- **Statewide Port of Entry Truck Screening Project-** Consists of design and construction of truck screening systems at the port of entry's statewide. This is a design-build project. Roadway Electric was the lowest bidder for this project.
- **Statewide LED Project-** Project consists of replacing lighting statewide and installing new LED lights. Designated locations have been identified. 60% plans submitted for review.
- **Statewide Pavement Treatment Projects-** Includes fog sealing 7 locations on I-10 & I-8 and chip sealing on US 95 MP 29.34-34 & SR 85 South MP 16-32.5. Both projects schedule to advertise by the end of Oct. and work will start Feb./March 2019.

### **Interstate 10**

- **I-10, Tyson Wash Bridge Scour Protection-** project consists of completing scour protection work around the wash bridge structures and deck joint replacement work on the bridge deck. Draft Final Project Assessment complete. Construction funding programmed in fiscal year 2020. Project kick-off meeting is scheduled for this week to discuss final design.
- **I-10, MP 11.7-24 Pavement Preservation-** Pre-scoping document is complete.
- **I-10, MP 80-90 Pavement Preservation -** Pre-scoping document is complete.
- **I-10, MP 90-105.95 Pavement Preservation -** Pre-scoping document is complete.
- **I-10, MP 105.95-112.33 Pavement Preservation -** Pre-scoping document is complete.
- **I-10, Hassayampa Bridge –Sun Valley Parkway (Spot Repair) -** Mill and replace AC lanes and Spot Repairs on PCCP test panels. Design will begin in FY 2017.
- **I-10, W. Quartzsite TI (Exit 17) Pre-scoping –** Pre-scoping document will be developed to identify scoping elements and construction costs for a new interchange that includes a wider bridge. Pre-scoping document complete.
- **I-10, Bouse Wash Rest Area Rehabilitation Project-** rehabilitating the rest area. Project programmed for FY 22'. Team met at the site. Designer will put together a scope of work proposal for the project and final design will kick-off in Dec. 2018/Jan. 2019.
- **I-10, MP 105.95-Jct. SR 85 Pavement Preservation-** pavement preservation project from MP 105.95-114. Construction programmed in FY 21'.
- **I-10, SR 85 to Verrado Way Widening –** project is in the initial design stages. Designer is working on finalizing the DCR.

### **US 95**

- **US 95, Ave 9E to Aberdeen Road-** Corridor is in the beginning design stage. 30% design of the corridor is complete. Project consists of widening US 95 to a 5 lane section for the southern portion and a divided roadway further north. Phase I was split into two projects. Fortuna Wash Bridge project has been completed. Additional funding will need to be established to move forward with r/w and utility work for the second half of phase I.
- **US 95, MP 42-Cibola Lake Road-** The design concept report for the project has been finalized.
- **US 95, MP 98-104 Corridor Study-** The study will look at widening the roadway to a five lane section (2 lanes in each direction with 1 continuous left turn lane) with drainage

improvements. The design kick-off meeting was held 11/6/12. Project assessment has been finalized.

- **Juan Sanchez Boulevard Corridor Study-** The study will look at widening Juan Sanchez Boulevard to a four lane facility with concrete median separation. Design will look at drainage and evaluate intersections. Design Kick-off meeting was held 11/14/12. Draft 30% plans have been submitted for review and comments sent back. Environmental team will begin their survey work and finish up the clearance. Once complete, geotechnical work can begin and the 30% plans can be finalized.
- **Wellton Mohawk Canal Bridge Rehab-** project consists of rehabilitation of the existing bridges. Design Kick-off meeting held. Project expected to advertise in Jan. 2019. The 60% comment resolution meeting held. 95% plans expected in October 2018.
- **US 95 & Dome Valley Road Intersection Improvement –** project funding approved. Project design will kick off sometime in FY 19’.

#### **SR 85**

- **SR 85, Warner Street Bridge-** Construction of new bridge. Project is 5-year program for construction in FY 2019.
- **SR 85, MP 142.3-148.85 Pavement Preservation -** Pre-scoping document is complete. Project in the new 5-year program. Design funds in FY 19’.

#### **SR 95**

- **SR 95, MP 116 to MP 135 Double Chip Seal-** Project is programmed in FY 20’.
- **SR 95 Colorado River Indian Tribe Sidewalk Improvement Project-** construction of 10’ sidewalk pathway with lighting. Locations along Airport Road, 4<sup>th</sup> Street/SR 95, and Bluewater Resort. Pre-scoping document complete.
- **Farmers Bridge-** Bridge rehabilitation project. Construction programmed in FY 20’.

#### **SR 195**

- **Ave E, SR 195 to Co. 18<sup>th</sup> Street Corridor Study-** This is a Local Government project. The study will look at continuing Ave E from SR 195 intersection through to County 18<sup>th</sup> Street. Final Design Concept Report has been sent out. Working to get the environmental clearance finalized.