

Minutes of the RPA 15 Policy Board meeting
Thursday, June 25, 2026
11:00AM
612 S Madison Ave, Ottumwa, IA 52501

Policy Board Members Present:

Daryl Wood
Lee Dimmit
Ben Foote
Dale House
Shawn Mecalf

Steve Wanders
Bryan Ziegler
Dale House
Doug Reinert

Others Present

Hector Hernandez-Morales – RPA 15
Chris Kukla – Iowa DOT

Call to Order. Woods called the Policy Board to order at 11:02AM

Action Items

Approve Minutes of May 28, 2026, Policy Board Meeting. Minutes approved as issued. All aye, motion approved.

Review and adopt the FY2027-FY2030 Transportation Improvement Program –No public comments were received prior to the meeting or during the meeting. Hernandez-Morales presented the Transportation Improvement Plan. The TIP is an annual document which is updated annually that outlines the project program within the region for Jefferson, Keokuk, Mahaka, Van Buren, and Wapello County and all the budget programed for FY27-FY30. Hernandez-Morales went over all the projects and requirements for the TIP/STIP projects. **Dimmit made the motion to Approve and adopt the FY2027-FY2030 Transportation Improvement Plan. House seconded the motion. All Aye, Motion carried.**

Other

Status updates on active STBG/SWAP and TAP projects. No project updates.

Regional Trails Plan for Area 15 RPC—Hernandez-Morales went over the Regional Trail Plan with the board members. Regional Trail Plan will public comment period will be from July 13 to August 26, will a public hearing on August 27 for policy board meeting.

Next Meeting. August 27 will be the next policy board meeting to approve the Regional Trail Plan.

Adjourn. With no further business to discuss it with the Board adjourned at 11:25AM

Hector Hernandez-Morales, Area 15 RPC