

# Barry County Rural Sub-Task Force Meeting

*December 1, 2010*

## *Microsoft Teams Meeting*

***In accordance with State of Michigan legislation and Health & Human Services orders regarding the COVID 19 pandemic, this meeting was held virtually***

### ***In Attendance***

BJ Donnini	Barry County Road Commission
Patricia Rayle	Village of Middleville
Bill Voigt	Barry County Transit
Josh Grabb	Michigan Department of Transportation – Rural Task Force Program Manager
Fred Featherly	Michigan Department of Transportation Office of Passenger Transportation
Steve Stepek	Kalamazoo Area Transportation Study
Ali Townshend	Kalamazoo Area Transportation Study
Fred Nagler	Kalamazoo Area Transportation Study

***Handouts: Meeting Packets were Posted to the Southcentral Michigan Planning Council website's Transportation page.***

### Agenda

Barry County Local Rural Task Force Meeting Minutes – November 29, 2018

2019 – 2023 RTF Region 3 TIP Spreadsheets

Draft Bylaws

The Barry County Local Rural Task Force Meeting was called to order at 1:07 p.m.

As there was not a currently approved slate of officers, Nagler began the meeting by suggesting that election of officer be moved to the third spot in the agenda ahead of other action items

### ***Introductions***

Attendees were recognized and introduced themselves

### ***Election of Officers***

A discussion of eligibility for being an officer of the sub-task force was held. Donnini stated that Jake Welch, who was unable to attend due to a conflicting appointment volunteered to be nominated as Chair.

MOTION by Voigt, SUPPORT by Rayle, ***“to elect Jake Welch from the Barry County Road Commission as Chair of the Barry County Rural Sub-Task Force.”*** Motion approved.

Rayle stated that she would be willing to act as Vice Chair.

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MOTION by Voigt, SUPPORT by Donnini, **“to elect Patricia Rayle from the Village of Middleville as Vice-Chair of the Barry County Rural Sub-Task Force.”** Motion approved.

It was agreed that the elected officials will serve until the next scheduled election in 2023

**Approval of Previous Local Rural Task Force Minutes**

There were no corrections to the minutes of the previous sub-task force meeting.

MOTION by Voigt, SUPPORT by Donnini, **“to approve the minutes of the November 29, 2018 Local Rural Task Force Meeting.”** Motion approved.

**Review of Approved RTF Region #3 Projects for 2021 - 2023**

There were no proposed changes to the approved projects for 2021-2023. Rayle inquired as to when Middleville might be able to propose projects for Rural funding. She is interested in having a roundabout installed. Nagler explained that currently, the Barry County Road Commission has projects programmed for all available federal funding for the remainder of the 2019-2023 TIP. He suggested that she contact Jake Welch to investigate the possibility of changing programming in future years. Grabb shared a screen image of which streets in Middleville are eligible for RTF funding and suggested that there are other possible sources of funding for a proposed roundabout. He will get her more information.

**Review of Draft Bylaws**

Nagler presented a synopsis of the draft Bylaws that were included in the meeting packet posted online and emailed to attenders

MOTION by Donnini, SUPPORT by Voigt, **“to approve the Barry County Rural Sub-Task Force Bylaws as presented.”** Motion approved

**Public Comments**

Grabb gave updates to the operation of the Rural Task Force from the Michigan Department of Transportation.

**Other Business**

There was no other business brought forward.

**Adjournment**

the meeting was adjourned at 1:48 p.m.

**Minutes Approved:** \_\_\_\_\_