



Michigan
State Transportation Innovation Council
Meeting Minutes
August 23, 2021, 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.
Teams Virtual Meeting

Present:

Monica Ackerson (MRPA)	Daniel DeGraff (MCA)	Doug Needham (MAA)
Carol Aldrich (MDOT)	Andrea Dewey (FHWA)	Andy Pickard (FHWA)
Ron Brenke (ACEC)	Wayne Harrall (CRA)	Steve Puuri (CRA)
Gregg Brunner (MDOT)	Penny Hunt (MDOT)	Wayne Schoonover (NACE)
Glenn Bukoski (MITA)	Russell Jorgenson (FHWA)	Christine Simon (MI Senate)
Ted Burch (FHWA)	Tony Kratofil (MDOT)	Brett Stanton (APAM)
Daniel DeGraaf (MCA)	Laura Mester (MDOT)	Brad Wieferich (MDOT)

Absent:

Paul Ajegba (MDOT)	Tim Colling (LTAP)	Chuck Mills (APAM)
Tom Barrett (MI Senate)	Denise Donohue (CRA)	Jack O'Malley (MI House)
Matt Chynoweth (MDOT)	Bob Lindbeck (CRA)	Jean Ruestman (MDOT)

Guests:

Art Martinez, Maggie McManus, Steve Brooks, & Jordon Stoll (Great Lakes Aggregates)
Suzie Holycross & Diana Dorough (Command Alkon)

1) Opening Remarks – Tony Kratofil and Russ Jorgenson

- Tony mentioned the upcoming STIC Highlight Presentation just under a month away. It is MDOT heavy for the fall and would like to encourage more industry partners' participation in the future.
- Russ mentioned starting to plan for next year's EDC-7 (fall 2022).

2) STIC Highlights Presentations – Brad Wieferich

- Fall Highlight Presentation Session is scheduled for September 15, 2021, 9:30 a.m.-noon.
- Cindy Robinson sent out the STIC Highlights link last week. Brad asked that the information be shared within our organizations/areas.

Overview of STIC Highlights Presentation Topics:

- Liquid Deicing Route Pilot Project – Justin Droste/County Road Commission Presenter (Transportation Systems Management and Operations/Montcalm County Road Commission)
- Michigan Transportation Program Portal (STIP/5YTP) and the Rebuilding Michigan Dashboard – Kyle Nelson/Joe Thicke (Bureau of Transportation Planning)
- Use of Ultraviolet Cured-in-Place Pipe Liners – Mike Lusk (Superior Region)
- Extending Life of Side-by-Side Box Beam Bridge Superstructures – Wayne Harral (Kent County Road Commission)
- Using Light Detection and Ranging to Monitor Deflection of M-10 Retaining Walls – Christopher James/Ashok Punjabi (Metro Region/Bureau of Bridges and Structures)
- Autonomous Wheelchair Securement – Janet Geissler (Office of Passenger Transportation)
- US-31 at I-94 Connection Alternative Analysis – Dharmesh Valsadia/Ellen Nightingale (Bureau of Development (BOD)) – Innovative Contracting/Southwest Region (HNTB))
- Michigan Transportation Construction Price Index – Brad Wieferich/or delegate (BOD-Design)

3) Presentation: Michigan Aggregates Association - Doug Needham, Apex Software, Automation, and Ticketing Process (***this presentation was recorded***).