

**RIO GRANDE VALLEY METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION  
TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING  
Thursday June 12, 2025 - Minutes**

**1. Call meeting to order**

Ben Worsham – Chairman (Cameron County) called the TAC Meeting to order at 10:00 AM.

**2. Roll Call**

**RGVTAC Representatives in attendance were as follows:**

<b>MEMBERS PRESENT</b>	
<b>ENTITY</b>	<b>VOTING MEMBERS</b>
Cameron County	Ben Worsham
Hidalgo County RMA	Ramon Navarro
Hidalgo County	Velinda Reyes
City of Brownsville	Joel Garza
City of McAllen	Rene Gonzalez
City of Edinburg	Tomas D. Reyna
City of Harlingen	Luis Vargas
City of Mission	Absent
City of Pharr	Maria Rangel
City of San Benito	Monica Rodriguez
Starr County	Absent
TxDot Pharr District	Dora E. Robles - virtual
Valley Metro	Nancy Sanchez
Cameron County RMA	Eric Davila
Brownsville Metro	Gennie Garcia
McAllen Metro	Jon Ray Bocanegra
Port of Brownville	Absent
Port of Harlingen	Absent
Port Isabel-San Benito Navigation District	Absent
Cameron County Spaceport Dev Corp.	Absent
<b>GUESTS/STAFF</b>	
RGVMPO Executive Director	Michael Medina
Caso Law	Jose Caso
RGVMPO Staff	

**3. Open comment period:**

None

**DISCUSSION AND ACTION**

**4. Consider approval of the minutes of May 8, 2025.**

Presenter: Ben Worsham, TAC Chairman

**Ramon Navarro from Hidalgo County RMA made a motion to approve the minutes as presented, which was seconded by Joel Garza from the City of Brownsville.**

**5. Discussion and action to recommend the approval of the Unified Planning Work Plan**

Presenter: RGVMPPO Staff

**Joel Garza from the City of Brownsville made a motion to recommend the approval of the Unified Planning Work Plan as presented. The motion was seconded by Rene Gonzalez from the City of McAllen.**

**6. Discussion and action to recommend the approval of the Public Participation Plan.**

Presenter: RGVMPPO Staff

**Tomas Reyna from the City of Edinburg made a motion recommend the approval of the Public Participation Plan as presented. The motion was seconded by Eric Davila from Cameron County RMA.**

**7. Discussion and action to recommend the approval of the use of an electronic project request form, project readiness report, project schedule, project financial summary, and sponsoring agency resolution.**

Presenter: RGVMPPO Staff

**Ramon Navarro from Hidalgo County RMA made a motion to approve as presented. The motion was seconded by Nancy Sanchez from Valley Metro.**

**8. Discussion and action to recommend the approval of a joint application with Cameron County for the “Rural Roadway Departure Reduction Project” regarding the USDOT FY25 Safe Streets and Roads for all Notice of Funding Opportunity.**

Presenter: RGVMPPO Staff

**Tomas D. Reyna from the City of Edinburg made a motion to approve as presented. The motion was seconded by Eric Davila from Cameron County RMA.**

**PRESENTATIONS & REPORTS**

**9. Agencies Reports**

TxDOT Letting Report

**10. Adjournment**

There being no further business to come before the RGVMPPO TAC Members, Chairman Ben Worsham called for a motion to adjourn. Nancy Sanchez from Valley Metro made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 11:30am. The motion was seconded by Eric Davila with the Cameron County RMA, the meeting was adjourned.