Board update Board meeting: Nov. 15, 2023

Action items



<u>Select a representative to the</u> <u>Nominating Committee</u>

Presenter: Douglas W. Rex, executive director

Background: At the January Board meeting each year, the Board of Directors nominating committee will present to the Board its nominations for Executive Committee. Before that can happen, however, the Board of Directors is required to select one member and the Board chair selects one member to serve on the nominating committee.

Result: The Board unanimously selected Nicole Speer to serve on the nominating committee. Board chair Steve Conklin appointed John Diak.

Informational briefings



2023 Active Modes Crash Report

Presenter: Aaron Villere, transportation planner, Transportation Planning and Operations

Summary: The 2023 Active Modes Crash Report provides a detailed analysis of bicycleand pedestrian-involved crashes in the region between 2015 and 2019. The previous Bicycle and Pedestrian Crash Report, published as an appendix to the Active Transportation Plan in 2019, assessed crashes among active mode users between 2011 and 2015. The report provides both an analysis of crashes involving pedestrians and bicyclists, a summary of annual crash trends and an analysis of common crash causes. The report's findings complement the crash type analysis conducted for DRCOG's Taking Action on Regional Vision Zero plan. The report also includes an overview of crash trends during the first two years of the pandemic.

2022 Annual Report on Roadway Traffic Congestion

Summary: Max Monk, assistant transportation planner, Transportation Planning and Operations



Overview: Under federal requirements, DRCOG maintains a congestion management process. A component of the congestion management process is calculation of congestion measurements for roadways in the Denver region. DRCOG is also required to prepare

an annual report and presentation on traffic congestion. Continuing a series begun in 2006, Monk provided the Board with an overview of the 2022 Annual Report on Roadway Traffic Congestion in the Denver Region.

<u>Update on the Land Use and Transportation</u> <u>Connection Technical Assistance Pilot</u>



Presenters: Emily Daucher and Dillon McBride, planners, Regional Planning and Development

Summary: DRCOG staff piloted the Land Use and Transportation Connection Technical Assistance program with three DRCOG member governments from May 2022 through

May 2023. The pilot program provided consulting services to address land use planning implementation challenges in the communities. The program piloted a new approach for DRCOG to support local planning by connecting local planning departments with consulting services while removing the administrative burden of contracting and procurement. Daucher and McBride provided an overview of Adams County's Clear Creek transit-oriented development re-evaluation, Arvada's Ralston Road reassessment plan and Englewood's Englewood Station multimodal corridor plan, for which DRCOG staff worked with planning and transportation professionals to assess implementation barriers and revise strategies to implement the original vision of existing land use plans.

