

## PMPC Asphalt Task Group (TG+STG Chairs/Leads) Meeting Minutes

Date: May 4, 2022

Time: 1:00 – 3:00 PM

Location: Webex

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Facilitator: Kelly Lorah

Attendees: Douglas Mason, Jacquelyn Wong, Pat Imhoff, Phil Reader, Dennis McElroy, Kee Foo, Steve Lee, Todd Vargason, Allen King, Marco Estrada, Cathrina Barros, Joseph Dongo, Tony Limas, Chu Wei, Kelly Lorah

Not in Attendance: Scott Dmytrow

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1. Introductions/Review Agenda
2. Review Past Action Items (see action items at the bottom of the minutes)
3. Introductory Urgent/Emerging Issues
  - NCAT BMD Overview Training – June 21<sup>st</sup> @ Translab (Cathrina)
    - We're working on developing an agenda. Placeholder invites are going out soon as well. There are "140" slots available for districts and industry and they're looking into allowing a remote option.
  - Adhoc Group Updates – Zero Speed Inertial Profiler (Allen) & CT 125/306 (Kee)
4. Asphalt Subtask Group Work Products
  - A. Use RAP up to 40% in HMA
    - a. We're still at the pilot project phase and trying to secure pilot projects.
  - B. RAS up to 3%
    - a. UCPRC is working on the report for the RAS project in D3.
    - b. Applies to both RAP/RAS: OAP representatives will meet with WGs to discuss recommended revised testing protocols from UCPRC for pilot projects.
    - c. Industry raised concern regarding the changes to the aging protocol for the ideal CT testing in high rap and RAS projects. As an action item industry is requesting/recommending that Caltrans/industry/UCPRC get together to iron out the aging protocol prior to collecting Ideal CT data on pilot projects.
  - C. Post Plant Gradation
    - a. Data collection under way.
  - D. 10% RAP in RHMA-G
    - a. ATG's memo was received by the STG. The STG addressed questions from the WG to clarify the memo. The STG created recommendations for the WG and they are working through the recommendation.

- E. Short Scoping Document: Implementation of BMD
    - a. There were comments from METS and FHWA and they're working to address them. This is on hold until the BMD training is performed. A post-training workshop should occur as soon as possible after the training to discuss. A possible mock WG may be created to develop the scoping document.
    - b. There's also currently a hold on this until METS gets stable resourcing.
  - 5. Pavement Preservation Subtask Group Work Products
    - A. Section 37 Update
      - a. Kelly will format and send out the final report soon™.
  - 6. In-Place Recycling Subtask Group Work Products
    - A. Write nSSPs and Pilot CCPR on Caltrans Projects
      - a. Kelly will format and send out the final report soon™.
    - B. Scoping Document: Test for FDR-C and Update Specification for UCS and Terminology
      - a. On hold
    - C. Scoping Document: Explore PDR as Surface Wearing Course
      - a. On hold
  - 7. EC Updates for ATG
    - a. Bin lists and scoping document discussions will occur at tomorrow's meeting.
  - 8. Roundtable / Review Action Items / Next Meeting
    - a. Binder content pay equations – Incentive funding should be addressed by the EC.
  - 9. Review bin lists
  - 10. Feedback
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**Action Items from TG+STG Chairs/Leads on 05/04/22:**

- 1. Add Adhoc Group Updates to Monthly Update Tracker – Kelly
- 2. Add footnotes to the nSSP to define whether the testing responsibility is on the contractor or UCPRC – Tony & Saeed
- 3. Route Milestone Extension for 10% RAP in RHMA-G for approval – Kelly
- 4. Identify the WG and have them develop a thorough short scoping document for Implementation of BMD – Kee & Tony
- 5. Continue routing all 3 scoping documents; get new milestones from originators; route as a package to EC (move forward without milestones if necessary) – Kelly
- 6. Send Kelly the new milestones soon (milestones start no earlier than 6/1) – Steve & Allen

7. Industry is requesting/recommending that Caltrans/industry/UCPRC get together to iron out the aging protocol prior to collecting Ideal CT data on pilot projects

**Action Items from TG 3+4 on 04/05/22:**

1. Tell the 125/306 adhoc group to scrap the training and redevelop 306; may need to consider a CPD to use CT 125 and R47 temporarily would be preferable until 306 is improved – Jackie
2. Verify with Maged that he will provide a 1-pager memo to cancel milestone 9 and justify – Jackie
3. Send Caltrans memo template to Dennis – Kelly
4. Discuss with Allen what the final report and it's purpose regarding CCPR – Cathrina

**Action Items from STG+TG Chairs/Leads on 02/07/22:**

1. Pavement Preservation STG to send bin list to ATG for approval – Steve – **Complete**