

# Keeping Up With COMPASS

November 2022

**A newsletter for COMPASS members to keep abreast of COMPASS Board, committee, and workgroup actions.**

## **Board of Directors – October 17, 2022**

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Next meeting date: December 19, 2022; Nampa Civic Center

### **October Action Items:**

- CIM 2040 2.0 and TIP. Approved amendments to [Communities in Motion 2040 2.0](#) (CIM 2040 2.0) and the [FY2022-2028 Regional Transportation Improvement Program](#) (TIP) and approved the [FY2023-2029 TIP](#) and the associated [air quality conformity demonstration](#). Final federal approval of the FY2023-2029 TIP is expected by the end of December 2022. The FY2022-2028 TIP will remain in effect until that time.
- Resource Development Plan. Approved the [FY2023 Resource Development Plan](#). This plan will be used to guide COMPASS resource development activities, such as assisting member agencies in finding and applying for grants, throughout FY2023.
- Rural Project Priorities. Adopted a resolution demonstrating approval and support for rural project priorities in Ada and Canyon Counties. COMPASS support for these priorities will provide additional points in the Local Highway Technical Assistance Council's statewide prioritization process.
- Planning and Environmental Linkages Workgroup. Approved the charter for a [Planning and Environmental Linkages Workgroup](#), which will develop a scope of work for a high-capacity transit planning study.

### **October Information/Discussion Item:**

- CIM 2050. Received an overview and status report on the draft [Communities in Motion 2050](#) (CIM 2050) long-range transportation plan. The final plan will be brought to the COMPASS Board of Directors for action in its December 19, 2022, meeting.

# Regional Transportation Advisory Committee (RTAC) – October 26, 2022

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Next meeting date: November 16, 2022; COMPASS First Floor Board Room/Zoom

## October Action Item:

- TMA Balancing. Approved an action to balance the Surface Transportation Block Grant and Transportation Alternatives Programs in the Transportation Management Area (TMA), with modifications to the original staff recommendation.

## October Information/Discussion Items:

- Canyon County Planning Functional Classification Map. Reviewed the proposed process and timeline to update Canyon County's planning functional classification map.
- Building Permits. Reviewed how COMPASS uses member agency building permit data.
- Development Review Process/Fiscal Impact Tool. Provided feedback on proposed revisions to the COMPASS Development Review process/checklist and Fiscal Impact Tool. COMPASS staff will bring suggested revisions to the Development Review Checklist and protocol to RTAC for discussion in its December 14, 2022, meeting.
- CIM 2050. Received an overview of public comments received on the draft *Communities in Motion 2050* (CIM 2050) long-range transportation plan. The final plan will be brought to RTAC in its November 16, 2022, meeting for recommendation to the COMPASS Board of Directors.

## Workgroups

### Public Transportation Workgroup

Meeting date: October 18, 2022

#### Highlights:

- Reviewed the FY2023 Public Transportation Workgroup charter and roles and responsibilities of workgroup members.
- Received an overview of Valley Regional Transit's recently adopted *Transportation Development Plan 2023-2027*.

*Next meeting date:* November 2022

### Grant Resource Alignment Workgroup

Meeting date: October 27, 2022

#### Highlights:

- Reviewed the [FY2023 Resource Development Plan](#).
- Discussed member agency priority projects and paired them with known grant opportunities.

*Next meeting date:* January 2023

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