

**Henderson County
TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

The Transportation Advisory Committee held a regularly scheduled meeting on August 19, 2026, at 4:00 p.m. in the King Street Meeting Room and online via Microsoft Teams. Voting members present online are denoted with the letter "O".

Voting Member	Present	Absent
Beau Waddell, Chair at-large	√	
Candi Guffey, at-large	√	
Lauren Mabin, at-large		√
Warren Ladbrook, at-large	√	
Sheila Franklin, Henderson County		√
Jay Egolf, Henderson County	√	
Jennifer Hensley, City of Hendersonville	√	
Emily Whitmire, Village of Flat Rock	√	
Shanon Gonce, Town of Mills River	√	
George Banta, Town of Laurel Park	√	
Tyler Morrow, Town of Fletcher	√	

Also present at the table: Autumn Radcliff, Planning Director; Janna Bianculli, Assistant Planning Director; Troy Wilson, NCDOT; and Chuck McGrady, NCDOT BOT

Mr. Beau Waddell, Chair at large, called the meeting to order at 4:01 p.m.

Public Comment:

Public comment was received regarding noise and heavy truck use on Sheperd St. Three others gave comment regarding the nuisance of the unpaved John Delk Rd.

Approval of Agenda and Minutes:

Mayor Pro Tem Hensley moved to add Shepherd St. as discussion item number six on the agenda. Mayor Gonce seconded the motion. Motion carried. Councilman Banta moved to approve the June meeting summary and Commissioner Egolf seconded. Motion carried.

Discussion:

October TAC Rescheduled Meeting Date

Mayor Gonce motioned to approve the amended TAC calendar, which moves the October meeting to the second Wednesday. Mayor Pro Tem Hensley seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Vice Chair Election

Commissioner Egolf nominated Warren Ladbrook for the vacant vice-chair position. Mr. Ladbrook accepted. Mayor Pro Tem Hensley seconded the nomination. All voted in favor.

John Delk Road

NCDOT District Engineer Troy Wilson gave a presentation on the process for paving secondary roads in the state. Informational item - no action was taken.

Formal Recommendation to BOC: Traffic Noise Complaint

Mayor Gonce motioned to send the Board of Commissioners the memo as presented. Mayor Pro Tem Hensley agreed. Motion passed.

Shepherd Street

Noting the time, Mayor Pro Tem Hensley requested the discussion item be tabled until next month's meeting. Chair Waddell agreed.

Updates:

Laurel Park, Mills River, and Flat Rock gave updates. Mr. Waddell welcomed Candi Guffey, the newest TAC member. Chuck McGrady announced his retirement from his position and thanked Mr. Waddell for taking his place on the NCDOT BOT.

Next Meeting:

The next TAC meeting is scheduled for September 16, 2026.

The meeting adjourned at 5:15 PM.

Note:

The meeting recording failed. This document serves as the official minutes of the meeting.

Beau Waddell, Chair