

**Twin Cities Area Transportation Study (TwinCATS)**

**TwinCATS Technical Advisory Committee (TAC)**

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The purpose of the Technical Advisory Committee shall be to provide technical advice to the TwinCATS Policy Committee in all aspects of the continuing, comprehensive and cooperative transportation planning process carried out by the Southwest Michigan Planning Commission (SWMPC). The Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) responsible for coordinating the transportation planning process in the Benton Harbor-St. Joseph Urbanized Area as it relates to TwinCATS. Such advisory services shall be provided in cooperation with SWMPC staff level transportation planning activities for the TwinCATS area.

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| <b>TWINCATS MEMBER ORGANIZATION/POSITION</b> | <b>MEMBERS (2019)</b>  | <b>TAC</b> |
|--|------------------------|------------|
| Benton Charter Township                      | Kelli Smith            | x          |
| Berrien Co. Community Dev. Dept.             | Evan Smith             | x          |
| Berrien Co. Road Dept.                       | Brian Berndt (TAC Ch.) | x          |
| City of Benton Harbor                        | Chris Cook             | x          |
| City of Bridgman                             | Juan Ganum             | x          |
| City of St. Joseph                           | Tim Zebell             | x          |
| Cornerstone Alliance                         | Sue Wyman              | x          |
| Disability Network of SW Mich.               | (vacant)               | x          |
| Hagar Township                               | (vacant)               | x          |
| Kinexus                                      | (vacant)               | x          |
| Lake Charter Township                        | Gloria Payne           | x          |
| Lincoln Charter Township                     | Terrie Smith           | x          |
| MDOT – Bureau of Trans. Planning             | Jim Sturdevant         | x          |
| MDOT – Southwest Region                      | Amy Lipset             | x          |
| MDOT – Trans. Service Center                 | Jonathon Smith         | x          |
| Royalton Township                            | Steve Tilly            | x          |
| Sodus Township                               | David Chandler         | x          |
| Southwest Mich. Regional Airport             | Vince Desjardins       | x          |
| St. Joseph Charter Township                  | Roger Seeley           | x          |
| St. Joseph Charter Township                  | Jonathan Fisk          | Alt        |
| Twin Cities Area Trans. Authority            | (vacant)               | x          |
| Village of Grand Beach                       | (vacant)               | x          |
| Village of Shoreham                          | Bob Lawrence           | x          |
| Village of Stevensville                      | Chris Cook             | x          |
| Berrien Co. Coordinated Trans. Coalition     | (vacant)               | NV         |
| Federal Highway Administration               | Andrea Dewey           | NV         |
| Federal Transit Administration               | Angelica Salgado       | NV         |

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| MDEQ - Air Quality                        | Breanna Bukowski | NV |
| MDOT - Modeling                           | Katie Beck       | NV |
| MDOT - Multi-Modal                        | (vacant)         | NV |
| MDOT - Passenger Division                 | Fred Featherly   | NV |
| Northwestern Ind. Reg. Plan. Comm.        | Scott Weber      | NV |
| Southwest Michigan Planning Comm.         | Kim Gallagher    | NV |
| Regional Interagency Consumers Committee. | (vacant)         | NV |

P. Ch.: Policy Chair; Alt: Alternate; NV: Non-voting; P: Present; N: Not present; A: Absent-Alternate attending; V: Vacant.