

TO: UTAB Members

FROM: Dan Avery

RE: February 3, 2026 - Meeting

DATE: January 29, 2026

**\*\*\*Notice\*\*\***

The next regular meeting of the Urban Transportation Advisory Board is scheduled for 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 3, 2026. The meeting will be held in the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor conference room 220, Citizens Square, 200 East Berry Street or virtual via MS Teams. The agenda for February's meeting and the minutes from the November 4, 2025, are attached. If you cannot attend, please consider sending a proxy to the meeting. Please do not hesitate to call if we can provide any assistance or answer any questions.

URBAN TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY BOARD

Voting Membership

Board Member	Appointing Authority	Term of Appointment	
		Beginning Date	Expiration Date
Commissioner Therese Brown	Allen County Board of Commissioners	1/3/2025	N/A <sup>1</sup>
Councilwoman Lindsey Hammond	Allen County Council	1/9/2025	N/A <sup>1</sup>
William Hartman	NIRCC-Allen County Highway Director	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>
Mike Fruchey	Allen County Plan Commission	1/23/2025	N/A <sup>1</sup>
Scott Hinderman	NIRCC-Ft. Wayne Allen County Airport Authority, Executive Director	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>
Patrick Zaharako	NIRCC-Fort Wayne City Engineer	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>
Shan Gunawardena	NIRCC-Fort Wayne Public Works Director	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>
Paul Spoelhof	Fort Wayne Mayor	4/22/2024	N/A <sup>1</sup>
Chris Beebe	Fort Wayne Plan Commission	1/27/2025	N/A <sup>1</sup>
John Metzinger	NIRCC-Ft. Wayne Public Transportation Corporation, General Manager	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>
Dana Plattner	NIRCC-Indiana Department of Transportation Ft. Wayne District Deputy Commissioner	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>
Richard Kruchten	Mayor, City of New Haven	6/23/2025	N/A <sup>1</sup>
Hannah Walker	Hunertown Town Council	9/5/2024	N/A <sup>1</sup>

N/A<sup>1</sup> serve until replaced by Appointing Authority

N/A<sup>2</sup> membership determined by NIRCC, linked to specific position within an organization

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