

**Washington Area Highway Transportation Committee Meeting
Council Chambers of City Hall
405 Jefferson Street
Washington, Missouri 63090**

**Monday, March 25, 2019 at 9:00 AM
Minutes**

Present: Mark Wessels, Ed Fischer, Judy Wagner, Ray Frankenberg II, Bill Straatmann, Sandy Lucy, Joe Holtmeier, Danny Cassette, L.B. Eckelkamp, Bill Miller, Steve Sullentrup, John Nilges

Absent: Bob Engemann, Tim Brinker

Chairman Bill Straatmann opened the meeting with a roll call and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of the minutes from February 25, 2019. Motion made, seconded and passed without dissent.

1. Amtrak-Mark Wessels

- As of Friday, they shut down the River Runner due to flooding in the Midwest

2. Highway 47/Missouri River Bridge-Judy Wagner

- Barges are on their way
- Final call on demolition will be this Wednesday
- If it doesn't happen then, it will go another 7 days until they get the window needed
- Precutting going on now getting ready for blast
- Pouring north shoulder on Warrenton side
- The bridge will have girder lighting only, not like Hermann
- Waiting on UPRR for a good time to demo
- The button pusher will be at Third & Hwy 47
- Working close with the hospital
- Will need to have channel open within 24 hours
- Airport will halt air traffic
- River traffic will be closed minimum of 24 hours
- The boat ramp is closed in Washington
- After blast, MoDOT will do a full inspection of new bridge
- There will be a 2 hour closure of the new bridge
- Trail will be the last thing completed

Hwy 47 Corridor Committee-John Nilges

- No report

3. Franklin County Transportation Committee-John Nilges

- Met March 21, 2019
- Discussed Hwy 47 widening
- Looking at smaller projects
- Discussion of Sales Tax
- Salt Contract-July to July bid price

4. MoDOT Northeast District-Warren County

- No report

5. Airport-John Nilges

- Phase 2 of pavement removal
- Raineri file suit against the City
- 7 panels were damaged-will remove and replace those pieces
- 2 weeks, contract will be closed out with Raineri

7. Team Track-John Nilges

- No report

8. East-West Parkway-John Nilges-

- No report

9. Public Transportation-

- No report

10. Other Business-

11. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn, seconded and passed without dissent.