Meeting Minutes

GPTQ Bridge Sub-committee Meeting

May 29, 2019 • 10:00 am– 12:00 pm • GDOT Bridge Office

Attendance:
George Manning - Michael Baker International (Co-Chairman)
Steve Gaston – GDOT Bridge
Greg Grant – RS&H
Tom Tran – Gresham Smith Partners
Masood Shabazaz – Heath & Lineback Engineers
Joshua Orton – CDM Smith
David Stricklin – Kimley – Horn

Meeting started at about 10 AM

Items Discussed:
1. Review of Meeting Minutes from December.
2. CONSPAN Taskforce:
   a. No Updates
3. RC Pier Taskforce:
   a. No Updates
4. ABC Matrix/Procedure:
   a. Flowchart update
   b. Matrix Update
   c. Summary of other state DOT’s presented to the group
   d. Goal is to establish a series of “Yes/No” questions instead of a number scoring system.
   e. Overall tiered process:
      i. Go/No Go Determination – Early in Concept Report Process
      ii. Preferred ABC Approach –
          1. Included in final Concept Report.
          2. ABC available methods listed.
          3. Alternative approaches used to document ABC decision process (closure versus no closure).
          4. Cost and schedule need to be developed.
      iii. Develop ABC Method –
          1. Determine feasibility of preferred alternative during Preliminary Plans.
   f. At next meeting, group will consolidate and review available pool of questions.
5. Bridge Hydraulic Report Checklist: Available in revised Bridge Design Policy Manual (Chapter 1, Appendix 1B)

6. Sample Prelim Bridge, H&H Study, and Final Bridge Plans:

**Action Items:**

1. George to consolidate questions for group to review.
2. Josh to develop mission statement for ABC task force.

Meeting ended at about 12 PM

Next Meeting – August 07, 2019 at 10 AM