

SUN CORRIDOR METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION

2017 Supplement to the CAG Coordination Plan

RELATING TO TRANSIT PLANNING
IN THE SUN CORRIDOR METROPOLITAN PLANNING
ORGANIZATION'S REGION

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I. Introduction

As a result of the 2010 Census, the City of Casa Grande's population reached 50,000, and was designated a small urban area by federal mandate. In 2013 the Sun Corridor MPO was formed to provide transportation planning services to the designated planning region. It encompasses 1,155 square miles, and provides transportation planning services to the cities of Casa Grande, Coolidge, Eloy, and small urban and rural portions of Pinal County. The population of the Sun Corridor MPO is approximately 118,503.

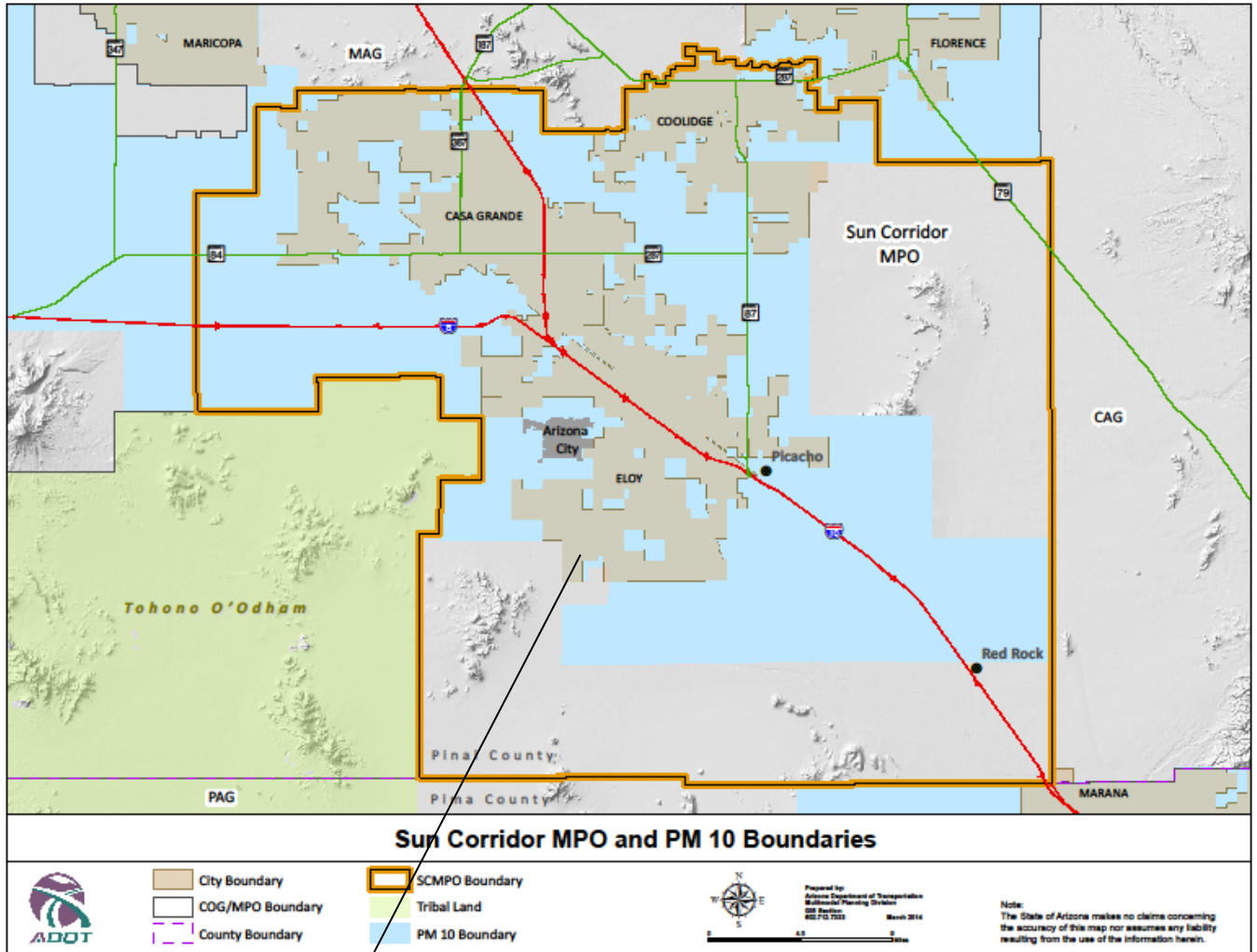
The Sun Corridor MPO is in the process of developing a Regional Transportation Plan, a Strategic Safety Plan, and a Transit Implementation and Coordination Plan. These plans will help determine the needs, and prioritize projects within the planning boundaries.

Nestled between two Transportation Management Areas; Maricopa Association of Governments (MAG) and Pima Association of Governments (PAG), along with three Native American Tribes; the Sun Corridor MPO is in a unique position of developing relationships that will enhance the corridor's ability to provide goods, services, economic development strategies, improve local regionally significant roads, regional and local transit systems, and identify transportation needs and improvements along I-8, I-10, (the future I-11), and working with our rail roads.

The Transit activities within the Sun Corridor MPO consists of one (1) Rural Public Transportation Program (5311) in the City of Coolidge, and nine (9) identified Enhanced Mobility of Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities (5310) programs. At this time, the Central Arizona Governments (CAG) will be providing the FTA/ADOT required Mobility Management and Coordination activities for the Sun Corridor MPO, which is detailed in the Joint Project Agreement (JPA) between CAG and the Sun Corridor MPO.

This is a supplement to the CAG Transportation Human Services Coordination Plan.

II. Sun Corridor Regional Boundaries



The Sun Corridor MPO provides transportation planning services to the cities of Casa Grande, Coolidge, Eloy, and the small urban and rural portions of Pinal County.

It encompasses 1,115 square miles, and has an estimated population of 118,503.

III. Sun Corridor MPO Demographics

The information below was provided through the Arizona COG & MPO State Demographic Viewer, located at: geo.azmag.gov/map/azdemographics/

Geographic Area	Total Pop	White	Black	American Indian	Asian	Hispanic
Casa Grande	48,571	32,687	2,245	2,232	875	18,932
Coolidge	11,825	7,418	928	670	115	4,962
Eloy	16,631	6,856	1,685	571	755	9,648
Arizona City	10,475	7,715	436	364	56	3,583
*Pinal County within the MPO	31,316					
Total	118,818	54,676	5,294	3,837	1,801	37,125

Source: 2010 U.S. Census

*At this time the portion of Pinal County within the MPO is not separated out by general population, or specific demographics. The total population for Pinal County within the Sun Corridor MPO is an estimate.

** Individual demographic reports are available in the Sun Corridor MPO Title VI and Public Participation Plan at www.scmpo.org.

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IV. Listing of 5300 Transit Programs

Below are the identified programs that reside within the MPO planning boundaries. Most all programs travel throughout the CAG, PAG and MAG region, and will also be identified within those plans:

Contact Name	Program	Contact Address	Phone Number	Email	Program
Marsha Ashcroft	Horizon Human Services	210 E Cottonwood Lane Casa Grande, AZ 85122	520-836-1688	mashcroft@horizonhumanservices.org	5310
David Maestas	COMET - City of Maricopa		520-316-6948 520-316-6959	david.maestas@maricopa-az.gov	5310
Gary Quill	Gila River Indian Community	PO Box 427, Sacaton, AZ 85247		gary.quill@gric.nsn.us	
Jill Dusenberry	City of Coolidge Cotton Express/CART	130 W Central Ave Coolidge, AZ 85128	520-723-6014	jilld@coolidgeaz.com	5311
Mike Meyer	Cotton Express - CART	395 W Palo Verde Ave. Coolidge, AZ 85128	520-723-7195	michaelm@coolidgeaz.com	5311
Mary Clement	Pinal County (CAG or MAG)	971 Jason Lopez Cir Florence, AZ 85123	520-866-7312	mary.clement@pinalcountyaz.gov	5310
Mary Lou Rosales	CAHRA	311 N Main St Eloy, AZ 85231	520-466-1112	mrosales@cahrapinal.org	5310
Olga Delsi	Cenpatico	211 N Florence St, Ste. 2 Casa Grande, AZ 85122	866-495-6738 x 26404	ODELSI@cenpatico.com	5310
Olivia Guerreo	Pinal-Gila Council for SC	8969 W McCartney Road Casa Grande, AZ 85194	520-836-2758	oliviah@pgcsc.org	5310
Victor Gomez	Pinal Gila Council for Senior Citizens	8969 W McCartney Road Casa Grande, AZ 85194	520-836-2758	victorg@pgcsc.org	
Sue Anderson	Dorothy Powell Senior Center	406 E 6th Street Casa Grande, AZ 85122	520-421-8765	sanderson@casagrandeaz.gov	5310
Tanya Cruz	Pinal Hispanic Council	107 E 4th St. Eloy, AZ	520-466-0921	tcruz@pinalhispaniccouncil.org	5310
Jacqueline Ibarra	Pinal Hispanic Council	107 E 4th St. Eloy, AZ	520-466-0921	jibarra@pinalhispaniccouncil.org	
Maggie Harris	Eloy Senior Center	3655 W Shedd Road Eloy, AZ 85131	520-466-3166	mharris@ci.elyo.az.us	
Maggie Harris	Toltec Community Center & Senior Center	3650 West Shedd Road	520-466-3166	mharris@ci.elyo.az.us	
Sepi Hoff	Achieve Health Services	Casa Grande	(928) 503-0366	shoff@achievehs.org	5310
Deena Fetzer	Achieve Health Services	Yuma - Head Office	(928) 341-4111	dfetzer@achievehs.org	5310
Ivan Velasco	Achieve Health Services		928-341-0335	ivelasco@achievehs.org	5310
Maria Elena Ochoah	Against Abuse		480-734-7496	meochoa@icloud.com	
	<u>Suggested Programs</u>				
	AFH - Arizona Foundation for the Handicapped	208 W. Main, Casa Grande AZ 85222	520-836-9798		
	Banner Casa Grande Medical Center	1800 E Florence Blvd, Casa Grande 85122	520-381-6300		
	Central Arizona Colledge	8407 Overfield Rd., Coolidge AZ 85228	800-237-9814		
	Pinal Connections	PO Box 12114, Casa Grande, AZ 85230	800-427-1271		

***Bolded names are voting members for the Coordinated Council.**

V. 2017 Sun Corridor MPO Funding Requests

Within the Sun Corridor MPO region, the following agencies/programs have indicated they will be submitting an application through the ADOT E-Grants system for 2017:

5310 Capital Funds

Applicant	Quantity	Request Type	Federal Request	Local Match	Project Total
Horizon Human Services	4	12-Passenger Vans as replacement vehicles	\$92,894	\$25,546	\$118,440
Horizon Human Services	1	ADA Accessible Ford Transit as replacement	\$46,400	\$11,600	\$58,000
Pinal Hispanic Council	1	7-Passenger Mini van (no ramp)	\$20,823	\$5,726	\$26,549
Pinal Hispanic Council	2	12-passenger van (no lift)	\$46,447	\$12,773	\$59,220
Pinal Hispanic Council	1	Computerized vehicle tracking system	\$24,000	\$6,000	\$30,000

5311 Capital Funds

Applicant	Quantity	Request Type	Federal Request	Local Match	Project Total
City of Coolidge	1	CART Bus	\$220,000	\$55,000	\$275,000
City of Coolidge	5	Bus Shelters	\$45,000	\$5,000	\$50,000
City of Coolidge	1	Copier	\$12,000	\$3,000	\$15,000

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5311 Operating Funds

Applicant	Request Type	Federal Request	Local Match	Project Total
City of Coolidge	Administration	\$240,000	\$60,000	\$300,000
City of Coolidge	Operating-Intercity (Regional)	\$117,000	\$108,000	\$225,000
City of Coolidge	Operating – Local (Coolidge)	\$234,000	\$216,000	\$450,000

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VI. Sun Corridor MPO Title VI Assurance

The Sun Corridor MPO has an approved Title VI Plan, ensuring that all programs, activities, facilities and contractors are providing services that do not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, national origin, disability, gender, age, or veteran status within the Sun Corridor MPO planning boundaries.

Federal-aid Highway Program Assurance

The **Sun Corridor Metropolitan Organization (Sun Corridor MPO)** HEREBY AGREES THAT as a condition to receiving any Federal financial assistance from the Department of Transportation it will comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. 2000d-42 U.S.C. 2000d-4 (hereinafter referred to as the Act), the Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987 (Public Law 100.259) and all requirements imposed by or pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation - Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations) and other pertinent directives, to the end that in accordance with the Act, Regulations, and other pertinent directives, no person in the United States shall, on the grounds of race, color, national origin, disability, gender, age, or veteran status, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity for which the Recipient receives Federal financial assistance from the Department of Transportation, including the Federal Highway Administration, and HEREBY GIVES ASSURANCE THAT it will promptly take any measures necessary to effectuate this agreement. This assurance is required by subsection 21.7(a) (1) of the Regulations, a copy of which is attached.

By _____

Date: _____

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*(*Full assurance is located in the Sun Corridor MPO Title VI plan for 2017, located at www.scmpo.org.)*

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