MID-OHIO REGIONAL
MORPC
PLANNING COMMISSION

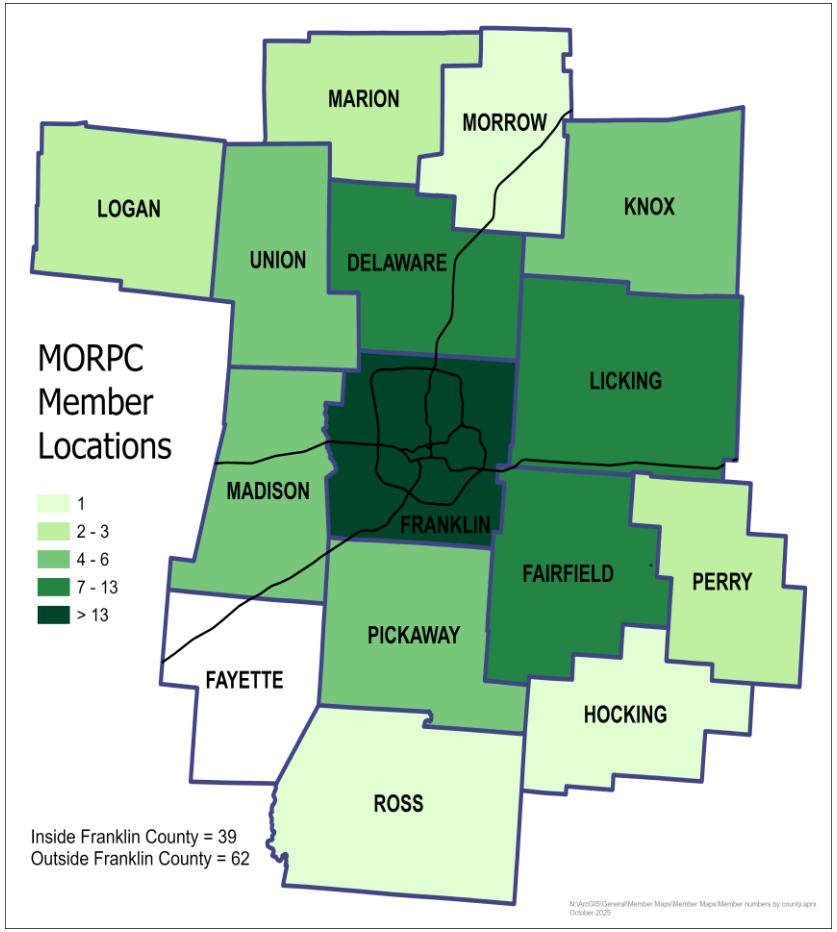
EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS REPORT

March 5, 2026

DIRECTOR'S NOTES

Creating an environment for prosperity

MORPC IS MADE UP OF ALL OF CENTRAL OHIO



- **Over 70 Local Elected Officials on Board**
- **Decision-Making Board approves:**
  - Projects, Programs, & Policies
- **MORPC is *RURAL – SUBURBAN – URBAN***
  - No Community has a majority on board
- **94 Member Communities**
  - Cities, Townships, Counties & Villages
  - 50% Franklin Co. & 50% Surrounding
  - Large Presence in Delaware, Fairfield, Licking & Union (MPO counties)
  - 8 Other Rural County Members

MORPC BY THE NUMBERS – FEBRUARY 2026

COMMUNICATIONS & ENGAGEMENT

Media Hits

8

EXTERNAL RELATIONS

SOTR Registrants

773

MOBILITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

LEAP Applications

6

PLANNING: DATA & MAPPING

Data Day Registrants

216

RESIDENTIAL SERVICES

New Home Repair Proposal

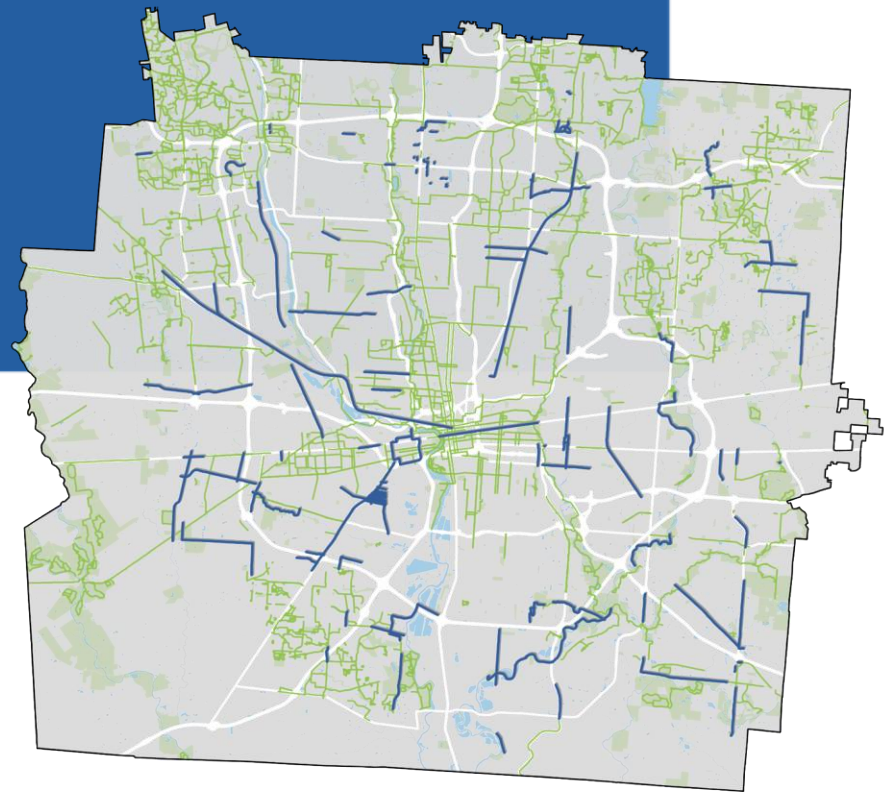
1

COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGE PROJECTS (CAP)

- Advances regional growth and economic well-being by assisting Central Ohio communities drive investments toward strategic and transformative projects

MORPC ADVANCE FUND

2026-2030 CIP
APPROVED PROGRAM



83 PROJECTS
$262M (2024 $)

150+ MILES OF IMPROVEMENTS

57 MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL PROJECTS

65 PROJECTS UNDER CONSTRUCTION BY 2030

35 JURISDICTIONS

Link US
Moving our region. Together.

PASSENGER RAIL

REGIONAL HOUSING

MORPC Pre-Commission Lunch

March 12, 2026 | 12:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

FEATURING

Steve Stivers

CEO, Ohio Chamber of Commerce

OHIO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

STATE OF THE REGION 2026

FUTURE FORWARD
BUILDING A REGION READY TO COMPETE

FIRESIDE CHAT ANNOUNCED

Marcia Hale
Public Policy Leader

Ray LaHood
Former United States Secretary of Transportation

REGISTER NOW

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