



October 10, 2019

Ms. Sharon Emery, Transportation Planner  
Technical Planning and Programming  
Indiana Department of Transportation  
100 N. Senate Avenue, Room N955-PL  
Indianapolis, IN 46204

Ms. Amanda Spencer, P.E.  
Director - Division of Planning  
Kentucky Transportation Cabinet  
200 Mero Street, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Frankfort, KY 40622

Dear Ms. Emery and Ms. Spencer:

The Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization has amended the FY 2020-2024 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) to include/revise the following projects.

The Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT) requested the following amendments:

Des# 1902105 DNR Recreational Trails Program at Interlake State Recreation Area: Add project for Construction (CN) in FY2020 for a total of \$1,096,000. The project will be funded with 80% Federal Recreational Trails Program (RTP) Funds and 20% State Match.

Des# 1593068 I-64 Over Plum Creek, 3.92 miles west of SR 61: District bridge rehabilitation project. Add Preliminary Engineering (PE) in FY2020 for a total of \$289,000. PE costs will be funded with 80% Federal NHPP funding and a 20% State match.

The Evansville MPO Policy Committee approved the amendment at their October 10, 2019 meeting. The amendment resolution and public notice information are attached. The revised document is available at [www.evansvillempo.com](http://www.evansvillempo.com).

Thank you for your assistance and should you have any questions or require additional information, please call me at (812) 436-7833.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Seyed Shokouhzadeh'.

Seyed Shokouhzadeh  
Executive Director

SS/PSD

cc: Erica Tait, IN – FHWA  
Cecilia Crenshaw, FTA – Region 5  
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**RESOLUTION NO. 20-24 TIP-03**

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO THE EVANSVILLE METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION'S FY 2020 - 2024 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM**

*WHEREAS*, the Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization is the organization designated by the Governor as the Metropolitan Planning Organization responsible, together with the State, for carrying out the provisions of 23 U.S.C. 134 (Federal-Aid Highway planning requirements), and capable of meeting the requirements of 49 U.S.C. 5303 (Federal Transit planning requirements) in the Evansville Urbanized Area; and

*WHEREAS*, the Policy Committee is the policy body of the Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization; and

*WHEREAS*, all federally funded highway and transit improvements within the MPO planning area must be included in the MPO Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) prior to the expenditure of federal funds; and

*WHEREAS*, the MPO Public Participation Plan does not require a separate public involvement meeting for TIP amendments, and the public participation procedure was followed; and

*WHEREAS*, this amendment will result in a TIP that remains fiscally constrained; and

*WHEREAS*, any changes to Kentucky non-dedicated funds projects have been requested by KYTC. The required funds will become part of the KY STIP end of fiscal year "fiscal constraint" recalculations; and

*WHEREAS*, the Policy Committee of the Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization from time to time amends its TIP;

*BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED*, that the Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization's FY 2020 – 2024 Transportation Improvement Program is amended as follows:

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Des# 1593068 I-64 Over Plum Creek, 3.92 miles west of SR 61: District bridge rehabilitation project. Added Preliminary Engineering (PE) in FY2020 for a total of \$289,000. PE costs will be funded with 80% Federal NHPP funding and a 20% State match.

ADOPTED by the Policy Committee of the Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization on this 10<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2019.



Mr. Jack Corn, Jr., Chairperson  
Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization  
Policy Committee



**Press Release: 9/20/19**

**Evansville MPO Transportation Improvement Program Amendment:**

Public review and comment is being sought by the Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) concerning proposed amendments to the 2020-2024 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for the Evansville-Henderson Urbanized Area as described below:

The Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT) requested the following amendments:

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Des# 1593068 I-64 Over Plum Creek, 3.92 miles west of SR 61(Contract B-39367): District bridge rehabilitation project. Add Preliminary Engineering (PE) in FY2020 for a total of \$289,000. PE costs will be funded with 80% Federal NHPP funding and a 20% State match.

The proposed amendments will be acted on at the Evansville MPO Policy Committee Meeting to be held at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 10, 2019. The meeting is open to the public and will be held in Room 301 of the Evansville Civic Center Complex located at 1 N.W. MLK Jr. Blvd., Evansville, IN 47708.

Public comments on the proposed amendment may be made by phone to the EMPO office at (812) 436-7833, by e-mail at [comments@evansvillempo.com](mailto:comments@evansvillempo.com) or by mail addressed to Pamela Drach, Evansville MPO, Civic Center Complex, Room 316, 1 N.W. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., Evansville, IN 47708-1833. Comments will be received until October 9, 2019.

The Evansville MPO will provide reasonable accommodations to individuals with a disability or who require language assistance that wish to attend the Evansville MPO Policy Committee Meeting. Because this may require outside assistance, please make requests one week prior to the meeting by calling the MPO office at 812-436-7833, by email at [mschriefer@evansvillempo.com](mailto:mschriefer@evansvillempo.com), or by writing to: Evansville MPO, Civic Center Complex Room 316, 1 N.W. Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd, Evansville, Indiana 47708. If you require any additional assistance in acquiring or reviewing a document, please contact the office by phone or email and we will do our best to accommodate your needs.