



September 13, 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, 5th Floor
Frankfort, KY 40622

Dear Ms. Emery and Ms. Spencer:

The Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization has amended the FY 2018-2021 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) to include/revise the following projects.

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

Des# 1400157 SR 68 Small Structure Replacement, 0.08 miles W of SR 61 junction (Contract R-38721). Add Right-of-way (RW) in FY 2020 at a total cost of \$134,100. RW will be funded with 80% Federal NHPP funding and a 20% State match.

Warrick County requested the following amendment:

Various Des# Bridge Inspections: Inspection of all county bridges over 20 ft. in length. Add Preliminary (PE) in FY2022 for a total of \$198,000, in FY2023 for a total of \$22,000 and FY2024 for a total of \$172,000. PE costs will be funded with 80% Federal funding and a 20% local match.

The Evansville MPO Policy Committee approved the amendments at their September 12, 2019 meeting. The amendment resolution and public notice information are attached. The revised document is available at 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,

Seyed Shokouhzadeh
Executive Director

SS/PSD

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RESOLUTION NO. 20-24 TIP-02

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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ADOPTED by the Policy Committee of the Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization on this 12th day of September, 2019.



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



Press Release: 8/28/19

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:

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The proposed amendment will be acted on at the Evansville MPO Policy Committee Meeting to be held at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 12, 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 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 September 11, 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, 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.