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To: Transportation Committee and Transportation Technical Committee

From: William Dickinson, Chairman, Transportation Committee

Date: May 6, 2020

Subject: Wednesday, May 13, 2020 Meeting of the Transportation Committee and Transportation Technical Committee to be held remotely @ 12:00 Noon via Zoom.

Log-on Information is provided here:

Use this link to join the Meeting: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86957971286

Call-In Number: +1-929-205-6099
Meeting ID: 869 5797 1286

Action Items:

1. Meeting Minutes of March 11, 2020  
2. 2018-2021 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment Twenty-three Recommend to SCRCOG adoption of Resolution- James Rode

Informational Items:

4. Other Business
Transportation and Transportation Technical Committee Distribution List
*All Receiving Agenda Notice via Email or Fax*

**Municipalities**

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¹voting Technical Transportation Committee member appointed by chief elected official

**Non-Municipalities**

- ARCADIS: R. Deitz
- Cardinal Engineering: J. Cermola
- Center for Disability Rights: M. Gallucci
- CDM Smith: J. Balskus
- CME Associates: J. Koolis
- CTDOT: J. Giulietti, M. Rolfe, G. Wright, D. Larosa, R. Etuka, K. Chukwa, E. Wynkoop
- Connecticut League of Women Voters (New Haven Chapter): Miriam Brody
- Connecticut Transit: S. Willis, B. Diggs, J. Rickman
- CT Latino News
- CTRIDES: J. Cavadini, C. Zeifman
- Dewberry: A. Zysk
- FHWA: A. Jackson-Grove, E. Shortell, K. Salmoiraghi
- GEI Consultants: K. Brady
- Greater New Haven Convention and Visitors Bureau: G. Kozlowski
- Greater New Haven Transit District: M. Marrero
- GM2 Inc.: R. Armstrong
- Hartford Courant
- Inner City News
- Integrated Management Controls: S. Gale
- Kennedy Center: A. Gagliardo
- La Voz Hispana
- Luchs Associates: R. Dagan
MaGrann Associates J. Ball
Masters Manna: C. Trzcinski
Milford Transit District: H. Jadach
New Haven Parking Authority: J. Staniewicz, M. Fortunata
New Haven Register: M. Zaretsky
Office of Congresswoman Rosa DeLauro: L. Mangini
Office of Senator Richard Blumenthal: E. Graham
Office of Senator Chris Murphy: E. Johnson
PBAmericas (Glastonbury): A. Moretti, J. Kulpa
PelicanCorp: N. Holly
PRIME AE Group D. Imig
RBA Group D. Lapping
Spanish Community of Wallingford: M. Harlow
Technical Planning Associates: B. Sacco
UCONN: S. Levy
United Illuminating Company: S. Saczynski
Wallingford Committee on Aging: W. Viola
Wallingford Youth and Social Services: C. Turner
Website Signups
West Haven Chamber of Commerce: N. DeMatties
Transportation Committee Members
Wallingford, Mayor William Dickinson, Chairman
Guilford, FS Matthew Hoey
New Haven, Giovanni Zinn Proxy for Mayor Elicker
Milford, Justin Rosen Proxy for Mayor Blake

Guests
Laurie McElwee, John Wardzala, Kennedy Center
Edgar Wynkoop, CTDOT
Jennifer Carrier, FHWA
Jim Mesner, Hamden
Lou Mangini, Congresswoman Rosa DeLauro’s office

Transportation Technical Committee
Branford, John Hoefferle
Guilford, Janice Plaziak
Hamden, Mark Austin
Madison, John Ianocco
North Haven, Andrew Bevilacqua
Orange, Bob Brinton
West Haven, Abdul Quadir

SCRCOG
Stephen Dudley, Chris Rappa, James Rode, Rebecca Andreucci

Mayor Dickinson called the meeting to order at 12:10 PM

Action Item #1: Meeting Minutes of March 11, 2020
J Plaziak made a motion to approve the Minutes of the March 11, 2020 meeting M Austin seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Action Item #2 2018-2021 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment 22
J. Rode introduced Amendment 21, which included 4 Project changes. FS Hoey made a motion to recommend approval of Amendment 22. M Austin seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Information Item #3: New Haven-Meriden STP-Urban Program and LOTCIP
S. Dudley reminded those present to get their LOTCIP applications completed so that they can be submitted to CTDOT.

J. Plaziak made and a motion to adjourn. J. Hoefferle seconded and the meeting adjourned at 12:19 PM.
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<td>0092-0686 2020-A23-2 Install MASH Metal Beam Rail</td>
<td>Amendment 23 adds new project</td>
<td>This project is needed to address the crashes that are occurring where vehicles are impacting the existing three-cable guiderail, as well as crashes where the vehicle has penetrated the guiderail. 28, crashes occurred between 1/1/2015 and 12/31/2018 where the vehicle impacted the existing three-cable guiderail and 5 of them penetrated the guiderail. No geometric deficiencies have been identified as the cause of the crashes and, although no fatalities have been reported, the existing three-cable guiderail requires immediate repair following an impact and is not the appropriate guiderail treatment with the steep roadway embankment behind it.</td>
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<td>0100-0180 2019-A17-1 REPLACE HIGHWAY SIGNS &amp; SUPPORTS</td>
<td>Amendment 23 moves FD</td>
<td>Action is necessary to move FD funding based on a revised schedule.</td>
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<td>0173-0510 2020-A23-1 Replace traffic control signals Various Locations</td>
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<td>Funding is required to replace traffic control signals to meet current standards at various locations in District 3. Signal locations in our area are Milford @ I-95 NB Ramps at Plains Rd and in Wallingford @ Route 150 at RR Underpass</td>
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<td>0301-XXXX 2017-A0-21 NHL-SIGNAL SYSTEM REPLACEMENT</td>
<td>Amendment 23 moves FD</td>
<td>Action is necessary to move funding from FY2019 into the current FY2020. This action will also change the funding source from 5307C to 5337P.</td>
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### South Central Regional Council of Governments

**FFY2018-FFY2021 Transportation Improvement Program**

**Amendment 23**

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**Proposed Amendment Notes**

**Project Name** Install MASH Metal Beam Rail

**Description** This project is to install MASH metal beam rail to upgrade the existing substandard roadside three-cable guiderail asset on Route 15 in New Haven.

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**TIP Funds** $1,840

**Amendment Notes**

FY18 TIP Amend 23 adds new project
FFY2018-FFY2021 Transportation Improvement Program
Amendment 23

State Project #0100-0180
Municipality North Haven
Project Name REPLACE HIGHWAY SIGNS & SUPPORTS
Description Replacement of highway signs and sign supports along I-91 and CT Route 40 from North Haven to Meriden.

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Amendment Notes
FY18 TIP Amend 17 adds project. FY18 TIP Amend 23 moves FD

State Project #0173-0510
Municipality District 3
Project Name Replace traffic control signals Various Locations
Description Funding is required to replace traffic control signals to meet current standards at various locations in District 3 as shown on the attached list. Project is eligible for 100% Federal funding. PE estimate includes a PD/FD split.

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Amendment Notes
FY18 TIP Amend 23 adds new project
**Municipality**: New Haven

**Project Name**: NHL-SIGNAL SYSTEM REPLACEMENT

**Description**: This project will replace the existing communications and signaling system along the Connecticut section of the New Haven Line (NHL

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**Total Cost**: $54,375

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**TIP Funds**: $54,375

### Amendment Notes

FY18 TIP Amend 23 Moves funds and changes funding source
Resolution
Fiscal Year 2018-Fiscal Year 2021 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment Twenty-three

Whereas: U.S. Department of Transportation “Metropolitan Planning Regulations” (23 CFR 450) prescribe that each metropolitan planning organization maintain a financially constrained multi-modal transportation improvement program consistent with a State Implementation Plan for Air Quality (SIP) conforming to both U.S. Environmental Protection Administration-established air quality guidelines and SIP-established mobile source emissions budgets; and

Whereas: The Council, per 23 CFR 450.324 and in cooperation with the Connecticut Department of Transportation (ConnDOT) and public transit operators and relying upon financial constraints offered by ConnDOT, adopted a Fiscal Year 2018-Fiscal Year 2021 Transportation Improvement Program on July 26, 2017, after finding the Program conforming per U.S. Environmental Protection Administration (U.S. EPA) final conformity rule (40 CFR 51 and 93) and relevant Connecticut Department of Transportation air quality conformity determinations: Air Quality Conformity Reports: Fiscal Year 2018-2021 Transportation Improvement Program and the Region’s Metropolitan Transportation Plans—2019 to 2045, (April, 2019); and

Whereas: The Council, on July 26, 2017, indicated that periodic Program adjustment or amendment was possible; and

Whereas: Projects referenced in the Program amendment (below) are consistent with the region’s long-range transportation plan (South Central Regional Metropolitan Transportation Plan—2019 to 2045, (April, 2019)); and

Whereas: Council Public Participation Guidelines: Transportation Planning have been observed during the development of the proposed Program amendment (below); and

Whereas: By agreement between the Council and the Connecticut Department of Transportation, public involvement activities carried out by the South Central Regional Council of Governments in response to U.S. Department of Transportation metropolitan planning requirements are intended to satisfy the requirements associated with development of a Statewide Transportation Improvement Program and/or its amendment; and

Whereas: Council of Governments’ review of transportation goals, projects and opportunities may result in further adjustment or amendment of the Program.
Resolution
Fiscal Year 2018-Fiscal Year 2021 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment Twenty three (continued)

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved By the Council of Governments:

The Program Amendment Twenty Three shall be transmitted to the Connecticut Department of Transportation, for inclusion in the State Transportation Improvement Program

The undersigned duly qualified and acting Secretary of the South Central Regional Council of Governments certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted at a legally convened meeting of the South Central Regional Council of Governments on May 27, 2020.

Date May 27, 2020

By: ____________________________
First Selectman Matthew Hoey, Secretary
South Central Regional Council of Governments