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To: Transportation Committee and Transportation Technical Committee
From: William Dickinson, Chairman, Transportation Committee
Date: October 28, 2020
Subject: Wednesday, November 4, 2020 **Special Meeting** of the Transportation Committee and Transportation Technical Committee **to be held remotely @ 12:00 Noon** via Zoom.

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Action Items:

- 1. Meeting Minutes of October 15, 2020 Page 4
- 2. 2021-2024 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment Two Pages 5-8
Recommend to SCRCOG adoption of Resolution- James Rode

Informational Items:

- 1. New Haven-Meriden STP-Urban Program and LOTCIP
Stephen Dudley
- 2. Other Business

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Transportation Committee Minutes – October 15, 2020

Transportation Committee Members

Wallingford, Mayor William Dickinson, Chairman
Branford, FS Cosgrove
Guilford, FS Matthew Hoey
Milford, Justin Rosen Proxy for Mayor Blake

Guests

John Wardzala, Kennedy Center
Erik Shortell, FHWA
Jim Mesner, Hamden
Lou Mangini, *Congresswoman Rosa DeLauro's office*
Lynn DiGiovanni, Luchs

Transportation Technical Committee

Branford, John Hoefflerle
Guilford, Janice Plaziak
Hamden, Mark Austin
Madison, John Ianocco
Meriden, Howard Weisberg
New Haven, Giovanni Zinn
North Haven, Andrew Bevilacqua
Orange, Bob Brinton
Wallingford Alison Kapushinski

SCRCOG

Stephen Dudley, James Rode, Andy Cirioli, Daria Larson

Mayor Dickinson called the meeting to order at 12:09 PM

Action Item #1: Meeting Minutes of September 9, 2020

FS Hoey made a motion to approve the Minutes of the September 9, 2020 meeting B. Brinton seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Action Item #2: 2021-2024 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment One

J. Rode introduced Amendment 1, which included 6 Project changes. FS Hoey made a motion to recommend approval. M. Austin seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Action Item #3: Annual Endorsement of CTDOT Targets for Safety Performance Measures.

S. Dudley reviewed the targets for safety performance measures as established by CTDOT and he explained the need for their endorsement. G Zinn noted that the targeted measure for fatalities could be lower and that the State should be doing more to reduce fatalities. After some discussion, FS Hoey made a motion to recommend approval. J Rosen seconded the motion, which passed on a majority with one abstention from G. Zinn

Information Item #3: New Haven-Meriden STP-Urban Program and LOTCIP

S. Dudley discussed the latest solicitation for new projects for an Updated LOTCIP Prioritized list. He also reminded those present to get any LOTCIP applications completed so that they can be submitted to CTDOT.

J. Plaziak made and a motion to adjourn. J. Hoefflerle seconded and the meeting adjourned at 12:26 PM.

South Central Regional Council of Governments
2015-2018 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM
Amendment Number 2

Project	0170-3545	2019-A14-4	Replace Highway Sheet Aluminum Signs	Page 6
Changes	Amendment 2 moves the Construction Phase to FY21			
Reason	Action is necessary based on a revised schedule from the Project Manager			

South Central Regional Council of Governments
 FFY2021-FFY2024 Transportation Improvement Program
 Amendment 2

State Project #0170-3545
Municipality

SCRCOG # 2019-A14-4
AQ Code X6

Proposed

Project Name Replace Highway Sheet Aluminum Signs

Description Replacement of highway sheet aluminum signs along certain limited access portions of various roadways in Districts 1 and 2, addressing approximately 400 miles of roadway, and removal of "Old Exit" sign panels on I-395.

Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)

<i>Funding</i>	<i>Phase</i>		<i>Prior</i>	<i>2021</i>	<i>2022</i>	<i>2023</i>	<i>2024</i>	<i>FYI</i>
STPA	FD	Federal	30					
	CON	Federal	4,000					
Total Cost	\$4,030		4,030	0	0	0	0	0

Proposed TIP Funding (In Thousands)

<i>Funding</i>	<i>Phase</i>		<i>Prior</i>	<i>2021</i>	<i>2022</i>	<i>2023</i>	<i>2024</i>	<i>FYI</i>
STPA	FD	Federal	30					
	CON	Federal		4,000				
TIP Funds	\$4,030		30	4,000	0	0	0	0

Amendment Notes

Fy 18 Amend 14 Introduces Project. FY21 TIP Amend2 moves CON



Carl J. Amento, Executive Director

Resolution

Fiscal Year 2021-Fiscal Year 2024 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment Two

- 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 2021-Fiscal Year 2024 Transportation Improvement Program* on September 23, 2020, 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 2021-2024 Transportation Improvement Program* and the Region’s *Metropolitan Transportation Plans—2019 to 2045, (April, 2019)*; and
- Whereas:* The Council, on *September 23, 2020*, indicated that periodic *Program* adjustment or amendment was possible; and
- Whereas:* Projects referenced in the *Program* amendment (below) are consistent with the region’s metropolitan transportation plan *Metropolitan Transportation Plans—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*.



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Resolution

***Fiscal Year 2021-Fiscal Year 2024 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment Two
(continued)***

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

The Program Amendment *Two* 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 **November 18, 2020**

Date November 18, 2020

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