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To: Transportation Committee and Transportation Technical Committee
From: William Dickinson, Chairman, Transportation Committee
Date: January 4, 2023
Subject: Wednesday, January 11, 2023, Meeting of the Transportation Committee and Transportation Technical Committee to be held @ 12:00 Noon in the offices of SCRCOG and via Zoom.

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Action Items:

1. Meeting Minutes of November 9, 2022 Page 2,3
2. 2021-2024 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment Twenty-Three Pages 4-14
Recommend SCRCOG adoption of Resolution- James Rode

Informational Items:

3. LOTICIP Project Updates
James Rode
4. Metropolitan Transportation Plan 2023-2050 Update
5. Other Business

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Transportation Committee Minutes – November 9, 2022

Transportation Committee Members

Guilford, FS Matthew Hoey
Branford, FS Jamie Cosgrove
Hamden, Mayor Lauren Garrett
Milford, Justin Rosen, Proxy for Mayor Blake

Guests

Jennifer Pacacha, Sebastian Carmela, CTDOT
Laurie McElwee, Kennedy Center
Joe Balskus, VHB
Sajjad Alam, Parsons
Mario Marrero, GNHTD

Transportation Technical Committee

Branford, John Hoefflerle
East Haven, Jonathan Bodwell
Guilford, Janice Plaziak
Hamden Stephen White
Madison, John Iennaco
Meriden, Brian Ennis
New Haven, Giovanni Zinn
Orange, Robert Brinton
Wallingford, Alison Kapushinski
West Haven, Abdul Quadir

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James Rode, Rebecca Andreucci, Laura Francis, Heba Naqvi

First Selectman, Jamie Cosgrove called the meeting to order at 12:00 PM.

Action Item #1: Meeting Minutes of October 12, 2022

FS Cosgrove made a motion to approve the Minutes of the October 12, 2022 meeting; FS Hoey seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Presentation: I-91/I-691/Route 15 Interchange Improvements in Meriden.

Sajjad Alam from Parsons gave a presentation on the interchange improvement projects around I-691 in Meriden. The three projects were 0079-0240 Southbound Improvements, 0079-0245 Northbound Improvements and 0079-0246 I-691 Eastbound to I-91 Northbound Improvements.

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

J. Rode introduced 7 new projects in Amendment 22, these included the three Meriden Interchange Improvement projects previously discussed. FS Hoey made a motion to recommend approval. B Ennis seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Action Item #3: LOTCIP Discussion and Possible Action

J Rode began the discussion with a review of the LOTCIP Pre Applications that were received. There were 32 in all and a complete list and brief description of each was included in the agenda. An updated list of LOTCIP projects was developed and presented to the committee. He explained that this will be updated each month as projects move towards construction. J Rode also presented on the status of available funding and a review of the program over a 10 year period. Following the discussion FS Cosgrove made a motion to approve the new LOTCIP list of projects. FS Hoey seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.



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Information Item #4: Other Business.

L Francis discussed a virtual public meeting for the I-95 PEL Study and encouraged those present to attend. She also spoke about a training opportunity on best practices for salt applications for municipal and private snowplow operators. L. Francis introduced the new interactive map of projects on the CTDOT website. The Active Projects by Funding Type Map displays the locations of planned and active construction capital projects throughout Connecticut and identifies the source of project funding and is a good resource of information.

Janice Plaziak made and a motion to adjourn. J Hoefflerle seconded and the meeting adjourned at 12:42PM.

South Central Regional Council of Governments
2021-2024 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM
 Amendment Number 23

Project	0173-0532	2023-A23-1	Replace Traffic Signal Controllers & Cabinets	Page 5
Changes	Amendment 23 adds a new project			
Reason	Replacement of traffic signal controllers and cabinets at approximately 66 state-owned traffic signals in District 3. Also, installation of cellular modems to implement Automated Traffic Signal Performance Measures (ATSPMs) to improve intersection operations and safety.			
Project	0424-XXXX	2017-A0-38	MILFORD TD ADMIN CAPITAL/SUPPORT	Page 6
Changes	Amendment 23 moves Sec 5307 funding from Fiscal Year 22 to Fiscal Year 23			
Reason	Action is necessary based on a revised schedule			
Project	0424-XXXX	2017-A0-39	MILFORD TD PARATRANSIT VEHICLES	Page 7
Changes	Amendment 23 moves Sec 5307 funding from Fiscal Year 22 to Fiscal Year 23			
Reason	Action is necessary based on a revised schedule			
Project	0424-XXXX	2017-A0-40	MILFORD TD- FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS	Page 8
Changes	Amendment 23 moves Sec 5307 funding from Fiscal Year 22 to Fiscal Year 23			
Reason	Action is necessary based on a revised schedule			
Project	0424-XXXX	2022-A16-3	MILFORD TD - BUS REPLACEMENT FUNDING FY 22	Page 9
Changes	Amendment 23 moves Sec 5307 funding from Fiscal Year 22 to Fiscal Year 23			
Reason	Action is necessary based on a revised schedule			
Project	0426-XXXX	2022-A17-3	GHTD/GNHTD - ELECTRIC VEHICLE PILOT	Page 10
Changes	Amendment 23 moves Sec 5307 funding from Fiscal Year 22 to Fiscal Year 23			
Reason	Action is necessary based on a revised schedule			
Project	0427-XXXX	2017-A0-46	GNHTD- ADMIN CAPITAL/SUPPORT EQUIP/SCV	Page 11
Changes	Amendment 23 moves Sec 5307 funding from Fiscal Year 22 to Fiscal Year 23			
Reason	Action is necessary based on a revised schedule			
Project	0427-XXXX	2022-A17-6	GNHTD FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS/REPAIRS FY22	Page 12
Changes	Amendment 23 moves Sec 5307 funding from Fiscal Year 22 to Fiscal Year 23			
Reason	Action is necessary based on a revised schedule			

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 Amendment 23

State Project #0173-0532
Municipality District 3

SCRCOG # 2023-A23-1
AQ Code

Proposed

Project Name Replace Traffic Signal Controllers & Cabinets

Description Replacement of traffic signal controllers and cabinets at approximately 66 state-owned traffic signals in District 3. Also, installation of cellular modems at approximately 57 of the locations to provide communications.

Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)

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	CON Federal				6,400		
TIP Funds	\$6,400	0	0	0	6,400	0	0

Amendment Notes

FY21 TIP Amend 23 adds a new project

South Central Regional Council of Governments
 FFY2021-FFY2024 Transportation Improvement Program
 Amendment 23

State Project #0424-XXXX
Municipality Milford

SCRCOG # 2017-A0-38
AQ Code X6

Proposed

Project Name MILFORD TD ADMIN CAPITAL/SUPPORT EQUIP/SCV PROGRAM

Description Transit District's Administrative Capital Funds for purchase of utility vehicles, vehicle parts, computer hardware, equipment, etc used to support Transit operations

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>
5307C	OTH	Federal	320	436	320	320	
		State	80	109	80	80	
5307P		Federal	480				
		State	120				
Total Cost	\$2,345	0	1,000	545	400	400	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>
5307C	OTH	Federal	320		320	320	
		State	80		80	80	
5307P		Federal	480		436		
		State	120		109		
TIP Funds	\$2,345	0	1,000	0	945	400	0

Amendment Notes

FY21 TIP Amend 6 moves 5307 funds from FY20 to FY21
 FY21 TIP Amend 16 Increases funding for FY22. FY21 TIP Amend 23 moves funds from FY22 to FY23.

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 FFY2021-FFY2024 Transportation Improvement Program
 Amendment 23

State Project #0424-XXXX
Municipality Milford

SCRCOG # 2017-A0-39
AQ Code X6
 Proposed

Project Name MILFORD TD PARATRANSIT VEHICLES

Description Funding for the replacement buses that have reached the end of their useful life

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>
5307C	OTH	Federal	520	600	200			
		State	130	150	50			
Total Cost	\$1,650		650	750	250	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>
5307C	OTH	Federal	520	600				
		State	130	150				
5307P		Federal				200		
		State				50		
TIP Funds	\$1,650		650	750	0	250	0	0

Amendment Notes

FY21 TIP Amend 23 moves funds from FY22 to FY23.

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 FFY2021-FFY2024 Transportation Improvement Program
 Amendment 23

State Project #0424-XXXX
Municipality Milford

SCRCOG # 2017-A0-40
AQ Code X6
 Proposed

Project Name MILFORD TD- FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS

Description Provide funding for the necessary facility improvements and repairs

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>
5307C	CON	Federal	60	60	60	80	
		State	15	15	15	20	
5307P		Federal	60				
		State	15				
Total Cost	\$400	0	150	75	75	100	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>
5307C	CON	Federal	60		60	80	
		State	15		15	20	
5307P		Federal	60		60		
		State	15		15		
TIP Funds	\$400	0	150	0	150	100	0

Amendment Notes

FY18 TIP Amend 7 increases funds for FY18. FY21 TIP Amend 6 moves 5307 funds from FY20 to FY21 FY21 TIP Amend 23 moves funds from FY22 to FY23.

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 FFY2021-FFY2024 Transportation Improvement Program
 Amendment 23

State Project #0424-XXXX
Municipality Milford

SCRCOG # 2022-A16-3
AQ Code

Proposed

Project Name MILFORD TD - BUS REPLACEMENT FUNDING FY 22

Description This project will provide funding for the replacement of 2 40ft buses including PPI, vinyl application and farebox enhancement.

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>
5307C	ALL	Federal		96			
		State		24			
Total Cost	\$120		0	0	120	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>
5307P	ALL	Federal			96		
		State			24		
TIP Funds	\$120		0	0	0	120	0

Amendment Notes

FY21 TIP Amend 16 adds new project FY21 TIP Amend 23 moves funds from FY22 to FY23.

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 Amendment 23

State Project #0426-XXXX
Municipality Regional

SCRCOG # 2022-A17-3
AQ Code X6
 Proposed

Project Name GHTD/GNHTD - ELECTRIC VEHICLE PILOT PROGRAM FY22

Description 5307 funding for GHTD and GNHTD's Electric Vehicle pilot program. The Transit Districts are collaborating on an electric vehicle pilot program for paratransit agencies

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>
5307C	ALL	Federal		960			
		State		240			
Total Cost	\$1,200		0	0	1,200	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>
5307P	ALL	Federal			960		
		State			240		
TIP Funds	\$1,200		0	0	0	1,200	0

Amendment Notes

FY21 TIP Amend 17 adda new project FY21 TIP Amend 23 moves funds from FY22 to FY23.

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 FFY2021-FFY2024 Transportation Improvement Program
 Amendment 23

State Project #0427-XXXX
Municipality Hamden

SCRCOG # 2017-A0-46
AQ Code X6

Proposed

Project Name GNHTD- ADMIN CAPITAL/SUPPORT EQUIP/SCV PROGRAM

Description Transit District's Administrative Capital Funds for purchase of utility vehicles, vehicle parts, computer hardware, equipment, etc used to support Transit operations

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>
5307C	OTH	Federal	600		20	400	400	
		State	150		5	100	100	
Total Cost	\$1,775		750	0	25	500	500	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>
5307C	OTH	Federal	600			400	400	
		State	150			100	100	
5307P		Federal				20		
		State				5		
TIP Funds	\$1,775		750	0	0	525	500	0

Amendment Notes

FY21 TIP Amend 6 deletes funds for FY21 FY21 TIP Amend 17 reduces fund for FY22 FY21 TIP Amend 23 moves funds from FY22 to FY23.

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 FFY2021-FFY2024 Transportation Improvement Program
 Amendment 23

State Project #0427-XXXX
Municipality Hamden

SCRCOG # 2022-A17-6
AQ Code X6
 Proposed

Project Name GNHTD - FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS/REPAIRS FY22

Description funding to make necessary improvements/repairs to Greater New Haven Transit District's Sherman Ave facility.

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>
5307C	ALL	Federal		140			
		State		35			
Total Cost	\$175		0	0	175	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>
5307P	ALL	Federal			140		
		State			35		
TIP Funds	\$175		0	0	0	175	0

Amendment Notes

FY21 TIP Amend 17 adds new project FY21 TIP Amend 23 moves funds from FY22 to FY23.



Carl J. Amento, Executive Director

Resolution

Fiscal Year 2021-Fiscal Year 2024 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 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 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 **January 25, 2023**

Date January 25, 2023

By: _____
Secretary

South Central Regional Council of Governments