

SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS

Carl Amento Executive Director

To	:	Transportation Committee and Transportation Technical Committee							
Fr	om:	William Dickinson Chairman, Transportation Committee							
Da	te:	January 11, 2011							
Su	bject:	Wednesday, January 19, 2011 Meeting of the Transportation Committee and Transportation Technical Committee at 12:00, in the offices of SCRCOG							
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Carl Amento, James Rode, Stephen Dudley

Action Item #1

Mayor Dickinson began the meeting at 12:10 PM.

Minutes of the October 13, 2010 meeting were unanimously adopted on a motion by J. Portley / J. Plaziak.

Action Item #2

J. Rode presented the FY2010 –FY2013 TIP Amendment 11 which included 0156-0176 Captain Thomas Blvd Resurfacing, 0170-2771 Non NHS Roadway Pavement Management Analysis, 0170-2773 Replace & /or repair overhead sign supports, 0170-2854 Design of Signals for 8 construction projects, 0170-2868 CE Bridge Inspection - Underwater On/Off, and 0170-2993 BR Insp On/Off FAHS by Staff. J. Portley made the motion to approve FY10 TIP Amendment 11, P. Blanchet seconded, and motion was approved.

Informational Item #1

S. Dudley discussed a meeting with ConnDOT concerning the STP-Urban priorities which had been approved in October. A packet was distributed which included copies of material handed out by DOT and ConnDOT's report of the meeting. S. Dudley reported there was some agreement on project priorities however ConnDOT staff had their own list of projects to fund. Resources within the department are limited which makes scoping new projects difficult. ConnDOT claims that there is not enough time to get projects ready for obligation by FFY2012. S. Dudley had drafted a letter in response and he presented that to the committee for feedback. There was a lengthy discussion on the STP- Urban program. It was generally agreed that the approach laid out in the letter was appropriate and that a follow-up meeting with ConnDOT should be scheduled. A request was made to address the letter to Thomas Harley, P.E. the Bureau Chief of Engineering and Construction at ConnDOT. S. Dudley will finalize the response based on the input and report back to the committee at their next meeting

Informational Item #2

S Dudley spoke briefly about the Long Range Transportation Plan and the list of municipal projects. He asked those present to review the list and edit projects in their town as they see fit. S. Dudley will follow up in preparing the finalized list.

J. Plaziak made a motion to adjourn meeting, J. Portley seconded. The meeting adjourned at 1:23 PM.

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2010-2013 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

Amendment Number 12

Project 0014-0174 2000-042 Rte 740: Brookwood Dr to Williams Rd Realignment Page 7 Amendment 12 moves this project into the current TIP Changes Project is for the realignment of this section of Brushy Plains Rd. In order for funds to be Reason obligated they must be shown in the appropriate fiscal year **Project** 0059-0159 2010-A12-1 Replace Br 02481 O/Brook (List 22) Page 8 Changes Amendment 12 introduces new project Reason Project will provide funding for PE phase in the amount of \$200,000. This bridge has been found to be in poor condition and in need of replacement. **Project** 0092-0651 2010-A12-2 Boathouse Platform (80%) - Phase 1 Page 8 Changes Amendment 12 Introduces new project This project is a breakout of #92-570 for the platform construction. This breakout project will Reason reduce construction costs through a lower rate of escalation and the use of a specialty contractor 0092-0655 **Project** 2010-A12-8 **ADA-Compliant Sidewalk Improvements** Page 9 Amendment 12 adds new project Changes Reason Funding for the PE phase of a project to make ADA compliant sidewalk improvements in New Haven along Routes Us 1, CT34 and CT10 **Project** 0106-0121 2010-A12-3 Replace BR#02637 O/ Race Brook (U-20) Page 9 Changes Amendment 12 introduces new project Reason This bridge has been recommended for rehabilitation by Bridge Safety and Evaluation's list 21 There is scour and undermining of masonry abutments. The structure study report has not been concluded. **Project** 0148-0203 2010-A12-9 North Plains Industrial Rd Pavement Rehab Page 10 Changes Amendment 12 adds new project Reason Project is pavement resurfacing of North Plains Industrial Rd. To include approx 7,100 ft from Rte 68 to North Plains Hwy. **Project** 0167-0107 2010-A12-4 Rehab BR 02151 O/ Race Brook (U-20) Page 10 Changes Amendment 12 adds new project Reason This bridge has been recommended for rehabilitation by Bridge Safety and Evaluation's list 20

The recommended rehab involves relining the concrete arch and installing soil anchors to

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support the NE wingwall.

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2010-2013 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM Amendment Number 12

Page 11

2010-A12-7 Rehab 5 Culverts

Project

Reason

0170-2875

Project	0170-2875	2010-A12-7	Renad 5 Culverts	Page 11					
Changes	Amendment	12 adds new p	roject						
Reason	Funding to common Montville and		phase for culvert rehab locations include I-95 in Guilford,	I-395 in					
Project	0170-2987	2010-A12-5	Rapid Response Bridge Repairs by State Forces	Page 11					
Changes	Amendment	12 adds new p	roject						
Reason	This project will be used to address bridge deficiencies of an urgent/ critical nature t uncorrected will pose a hazard to either the public or compromise the structural inte bridge.								
Project	0171-0327	2010-A12-6	Install STC Traffic Signals	Page 12					
Changes	Amendment	12 adds a new	Project						
Reason	Project is for	the installation	of traffic signals at various locations in District 1.						
Project	0300-0149	2010-A2-2	NHL-Positive Train Control-FY2010	Page 12					
Changes	Amendment	12 deletes 530	9 funds from FFY10 and adds 5307P funds to FFY11						
Reason	• •		current fiscal year to allow the processing of a FTA grant revised estimate for PE phase and change in source of fu	• •					
Project	0301-0070	2007-029	NHL Catenary Replacement Section C1B	Page 13					
Changes	Amendment	12 moves carry	over funds from FFY10 to FFY11						
Reason	The project is	s moved to the	current fiscal year to allow the processing of a FTA grant	application					
Project	0301-0106	2007-103	NH Rail Yard Component Change out Shop	Page 14					
Changes	Amendment	12 deletes 530	7P funds in FFY10 and adds 5309B funding to FFY11						
Reason		source is chanç available carry	ged to allow the processing of a FTA 5309 grant application over funds.	on and the					
Project	0301-T077	2010-011	New Haven Line Track Program	Page 15					
Changes	Amendment amount	12 moves FFY	10 funds to FFY11 changes funding source to 5307P and	l increases					

The project is moved to the current fiscal year to allow the processing of a FTA grant application

Funds increased due to anticipated cash flow and the change in funding source.

Amendment Number 12

State Project 0014-0174

SCRCOG # 2000-042

Municipality Branford

Proposed

Project Name Rt 740: Brookwood Dr to Williams Rd Realignment

Description Realign between Brookwood Dr. and Williams Rd; addressing very difficult grade and geometry for this link between US1 and Route 80.

Current TIP	Funding	(In Thou	sands)					
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI
STPA	CON	Federal	4,640					
		State	1,160					
Total Cost	\$5,800		5,800	0	0	0	0	0
Proposed T	IP Fundir	ng (In The	ousands)					
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI
STPA	CON	Federal			4,640			
		State			1,160			
TIP Funds	\$5,800		0	0	5,800	0	0	0

Amendment Notes

CN moved to post-FY05 by FY03 TIP Amend 2 due to financial constraint. Introduced to 07 TIP with CON funding in 2008. FY07 TIP Amend 13 adds AC entry, Moves funds to FFY09 and increases funds. FY07 TIP Amend 16 moves AC Entry to FFY09. FY07 TIP Amend 19 increases cost 18%. Region instructed to update TIP. FY10 TIP Amend 12 moves this project into the current TIP

Amendment Number 12

State Project 0059-0159

SCRCOG # 2010-A12-1

Municipality Guilford

Proposed

Project Name Replace Br 02481 O/Brook (List 22)

Description Project is for the replacement of Br #02481 on Rte 77 over an unnamed brook. This bridge is in poor condition and does not qualify for HBP On-System funds (insufficient length)

Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)

Proposed TIP Funding (In Thousands)													
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI					
STPA	ENG	Federal			160								
		State			40								
	CON	Federal					800						
		State					200						
TIP Funds	\$1,200		0	0	200	0	1,000	0					

Amendment Notes

FY10 TIP amend 12 introduces new project

State Project 0092-0651

SCRCOG # 2010-A12-2

Municipality New Haven

Proposed

Project Name Boathouse Platform (80%)- Phase 1

Description This breakout project is for the construction of the platform that will support the new boathouse facility to be located on New Haven Harbor Reuse Parcel H

Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)

Proposed TIP Funding (In Thousands)												
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI				
STPA	CON	Federal			8,400							
		State			2,100							
TIP Funds	\$10,500		0	0	10,500	0	0	0				

Amendment Notes

FY10 TIP Amend 12 Intoduces new project

Amendment Number 12

State Project 0092-0655

SCRCOG # 2010-A12-8

Municipality New Haven

Proposed

Project Name ADA-Compliant Sidewalk Improvements

Description Funding for the PE phase of a project to make ADA compliant sidewalk improvements in New Haven along Routes US 1, CT34 and CT10

Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)

Proposed TIP Funding (In Thousands)												
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI				
STPA	ENG	Federal			80							
		State			20							
TIP Funds	\$100		0	0	100	0	0	0				

Amendment Notes

FY10 TIP Amend 12 adds new project

State Project 0106-0121

SCRCOG # 2010-A12-3

Municipality Orange

Proposed

Project Name Replace BR#02637 O/ Race Brook (U-20)

Description Project involves replacement of BR# 02637 carrying Rte 114 over Race Brook in Orange. bridge is on list 21 due to scour and undermining of masonry abutments

Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)

Proposed TIP Funding (In Thousands)												
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI				
STPA	ENG	Federal			200							
		State			50							
TIP Funds	\$250		0	0	250	0	0	0				

Amendment Notes

FY10 TIP Amend 12 introduces new project

Amendment Number 12

State Project 0148-0203

SCRCOG # 2010-A12-9

Municipality Wallingford

Proposed

Project Name North Plains Industrial Rd Pavement Rehab

Description Project is pavement resurfacing of North Plains Industrial Rd. To include approx 7,100 ft from Rte 68 to North Plains Hwy.

Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)

Proposed TIP Funding (In Thousands)													
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI					
STPNH	ENG	Federal			40								
		State			10								
	CON	Federal			637								
		Local			159								
TIP Funds	\$846		0	0	846	0	0	0					

Amendment Notes

FY10 TIP Amend 12 adds new project

State Project 0167-0107

SCRCOG # 2010-A12-4

Municipality Woodbridge

Proposed

Project Name Rehab BR 02151 O/ Race Brook (U-20)

Description Project involves rehabilitation of bridge #02151 carrying RTE 15 over Race Brook in Woodbridge.

Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)

Proposed TIP Funding (In Thousands)											
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI			
STPA	ENG	Federal			140						
		State			35						
TIP Funds	\$175		0	0	175	0	0	0			

Amendment Notes

FY10 TIP Amend 12 adds new project

Amendment Number 12

State Project 0170-2875

SCRCOG # 2010-A12-7

Municipality Statewide

Proposed

Project Name Rehab 5 Culverts

Description Funding to cover the ROW phase for culvert rehab locations include I-95 in Guilford, I-395 in Montville and Thompson.

Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)

Proposed TIP Funding (In Thousands)												
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI				
I-M	ROW	Federal			90							
		State			10							
TIP Funds	\$100		0	0	100	0	0	0				

Amendment Notes

FY10 TIP Amend 12 adds new project

State Project 0170-2987

SCRCOG # 2010-A12-5

Municipality Statewide

Proposed

Project Name Rapid Response Bridge Repairs by State Forces

Description project developed with FHWA to address bridge deficiences of an urgent/critical nature. Project will run from 1/1/2011 to 12/31/2012

Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)

Proposed T	Proposed TIP Funding (In Thousands)												
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI					
STPA	CON	Federal			400								
		State			100								
TIP Funds	\$500		0	0	500	0	0	0					

Amendment Notes

FY10 TIP Amend 12 adds new project

Amendment Number 12

State Project 0171-0327

SCRCOG # 2010-A12-6

Municipality District 1

Proposed

Project Name Install STC Traffic Signals

Description project will provide funds for the installation and revision of traffic controls signals at various locations

Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)

Proposed TIP Funding (In Thousands)												
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI				
STPA	CON	Federal			1,280							
		State			320							
TIP Funds	\$1,600		0	0	1,600	0	0	0				

Amendment Notes

FY10 TIP Amend 12 Adds a new Poject

State Project 0300-0149

SCRCOG # 2010-A2 2

Municipality New Haven

Proposed

Project Name NHL-Positive Train Control-FY2010

Description The Railroad Safety Act of 2008 has mandated installation of Positive Train Control

Systems. System designed to montior train activity, prevent collisions, controll

headway spacing, enforce speed restrictions and advise of hazards.

Current TIP	Funding	(In Thou	sands)					
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI
5309C	ENG	Federal		5,200				
		State		1,300				
Total Cost	\$6,500		0	6,500	0	0	0	0
Proposed T	IP Fundir	ng (In Tho	ousands)					
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI
5307P	ENG	Federal			9,600			
		State			2,400			
TIP Funds	\$12,000		0	0	12,000	0	0	0

Amendment Notes

FY2010 TIP Amend 2 introduces new project. FY10 TIP Amend 12 deletes 5309 funds from FFY10 and adds 5307P funds to FFY11

Amendment Number 12

State Project 0301-0070

SCRCOG # 2007-029

Municipality Regional

Proposed

Project Name NHL Catenary Replacement Section C1B

Description Replace the existing catenary system from New Haven to the New York Border with a constant tension wire supporting system, designing the system for maximum speed allowed by track geometry and other physical constraints.

Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)								
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI
5307P	CON	Federal		34,175				
		State		8,544				
5309A		Federal	20,000	16,000				
		State	5,000	4,000				
Total Cost	\$87,719		25,000	62,719	0	0	0	0
Proposed T	IP Fundir	ng (In Th	ousands	s)				
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI
5307P	CON	Cadaral						
	CON	Federal			34,175			
	CON	State			34,175 8,544			
5309A	CON		20,000	16,000	•			
5309A	CON	State	20,000 5,000	16,000 4,000	•			

Amendment Notes

FY07 TIP Amend 8 adds \$13.3M Fed/ \$3.3M State 5307C funds to FFY07, FY07 TIP Amend 23 adds FFY09 Funds FY10 TIP Amend 8 moves project into TIP and moves carryover funds to FFY10. FY10 TIP Amend 12 moves Carryover funds from FFY10 to FFY11

Amendment Number 12

State Project 0301-0106

SCRCOG # 2007-103

Municipality New Haven

Proposed

Project Name NH Rail Yard Component Change out Shop

Description This 260,000 Sq Ft facility will consist of a shop with 13 car spots on 3 tracks with overhead cranes and floor lifts to allow removal of major car components Shop will provide the major maintenance functions for Connecticut's commuter rail fleet

Current TIP	Funding	(In Thou	usands)					
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI
5307P	CON	Federal	50,800	64,000				
		State	12,700	16,000				
5307RR		Federal	3,391					
5309A		Federal	26,100					
5309B		Federal	12,000					
		State	9,525					
5309RR		Federal	26,536					
Total Cost	\$221,052	2	141,052	80,000	0	0	0	0
Proposed T	IP Fundii	ng (In Th	ousands)				
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI
5307P	CON	Federal	50,800					
		State	12,700					
5307RR		Federal	3,391					
5309A		Federal	26,100					
5309B		Federal	12,000		30,000			
		State	9,525		7,500			
5309RR		Federal	26,536					
TIP Funds	\$178,552	2	141,052	0	37,500	0	0	0

Amendment Notes

FY07 TIP Amend 23 Adds New Project as breakout of 0301-T107. FY07 TIP Amend 25 adjusts ARRA funding amounts Updated 12/09 Project moved into FY10 TIP. ARRA funds obligated in FFY09 and \$80 M in FFY2010. FY10 TIP Amend 12 deletes 5307P funds in FFY10 and adds 5309B funding to FFY11

Amendment Number 12

State Project 0301-T077

SCRCOG # 2010-011

Municipality New Haven

Proposed

Project Name New Haven Line Track Program

Description Support continuing track maintenance program with capital funds. Use FTA Section 5307 and 5309 capital funds to continue track maintenance; e.g. replace ties, rail switches and ballast, and resurface rail.

Current TIP	Funding	(In Thou	sands)					
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI
5307C	OTH	Federal		8,000	3,600	9,017		6,400
		State		2,000	900	2,254		1,600
5309A		Federal		3,200				
		State		800				
Total Cost	\$37,771		0	14,000	4,500	11,271	0	8,000
Proposed T	IP Fundir	ng (In Tho	usands)				
Funding	Phase		Prior	2010	2011	2012	2013	FYI
5307C	OTH	Federal			3,600	9,017		6,400
		State			900	2,254		1,600
5307P		Federal			16,000			
		State			4,000			
TIP Funds	\$43,771		0	0	24,500	11,271	0	8,000

Amendment Notes

New Program included in FY10TIP. FY10 TIP Amend 12 moves FFY10 funds to FFY11 changes funding source to 5307P and increases amount



SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS

Carl Amento Executive Director

Resolution

Fiscal Year 2010-Fiscal Year 2013 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment Twelve

- 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 2010-Fiscal Year 2013 Transportation Improvement Program on October 28, 2009, 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 2010-2013 Transportation Improvement Program and the Region's Long-Range Transportation Plans, May, 2007); and
- Whereas: The Council, on October 28, 2009, 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 Long Range Transportation Plan—2007 to 2035, (May, 2007); 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 2010-Fiscal Year 2013 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment Twelve (Continued)

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

The *Program Amendment Twelve* 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 26, 2011**.

Date: January 26, 2011		
•	Secretary	

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SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS

Carl Amento, Executive Director

Date: January 12, 2011

Subject: Application for Transit Enhancement Projects

SAFETEA-LU stipulates that the designated recipient for the New Haven-Meriden Urbanized Area must certify to FTA that they have used 1% of the region's Section 5307 allocation for Transit Enhancement projects. The Greater New Haven Transit District as the region's designated recipient manages this program. We have a balance of approximately \$388,000 in federal funding available at this time.

While the dates may be adjusted the steps in the process are listed below.

January Applications submitted.

February 9th Project proposals will be summarized and presented to the Transportation

Committee for review with possible recommendation to SCRCOG

February 23rd SCRCOG program review/adoption

Funding for Projects

In general the Federal share for each project is 80% and requires a 20% Local match. However, the Federal share is 90% and requires a 10% Local match for capital projects used to provide access for bicycles, including bicycle storage facilities and installing equipment for transporting bicycles on public transportation vehicles.

Eligibility

Projects designed to enhance public transportation services or their use that are physically and functionally related to transit facilities are considered transit enhancement projects. Eligible projects are:

- historic preservation, rehabilitation, and operation of historic public transportation buildings, structures, and facilities (including historic bus and railroad facilities);
- bus shelters:
- landscaping and other scenic beautification, including tables, benches, trash receptacles, and street lights;
- public art;
- pedestrian access and walkways;
- bicycle access, including bicycle storage facilities and installing equipment for transporting bicycles on public transportation vehicles;
- transit connections to parks within the recipient's transit service area;
- · signage; and
- enhanced access for persons with disabilities to public transportation



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- 1. Municipality:
- 2. **Project Title**:
- 3. **Project Location:**

Please attach location map.

4. Right-of-Way Needs:

Please provide property ownership information and easement or donated property requirements.

5. Written Description and Justification of Proposed Project:

Provide a brief written description of the proposed project that provides information on the project's purpose and need. The narrative should also provide a justification for the project.

6. **Preliminary Project Plans:**

Provide concept plans, if available, for the project.

7. Cost Estimates and Proposed Schedule

Provide detailed cost estimate (including a 10% Administration Cost) the source of estimated costs, proposed project schedule and funding needs.

8. Commitment of Non-Federal Funding Match

Letter of Commitment of the non-federal match is required.

Attach a letter from the municipality supplying the local match affirming the assurance of the match funds. Please specify cash or in-kind match.. (Note: The federal share is 80% for all projects except bicycle-related projects which is 90%).

9. **General Information**

Please identify available documentation, including planning or engineering studies, reports, or correspondence. Attach copies.

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10. Project Eligibility for FTA Funding.

Please check the FTA-eligible items that are addressed by the project:

- a. Historic preservation, rehabilitation, and operation of historic mass transportation building, structures, and facilities (including historic bus and railroad facilities);
- b. Bus shelters;
- c. Landscaping and other scenic beautification, including tables, benches, trash receptacles, and street lights;
- d. Public art;
- e. Pedestrian access and walkways;
- f. Bicycle access, including bicycle storage facilities and installing equipment for transporting bicycles on mass transportation vehicles;
- g. Transit connections to parks within the recipient's transit service area;
- h. Signage; and

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i. Enhanced access for persons with disabilities to mass transportation.

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January 2011

Project 0043-0124 2005-022 Main St Signal Replacement Program

Update Contract awarded on 12/20/10 to NY Conn Corp. of Danbury, Ct. Low bid amount was

\$686,812.85

Project 0059-0152 2000-040 RT 146: Drainage / Roadway Modifications

Update 2 out of the 3 sites included in this project are substantially complete. The final site is under re-

design due to a utility (water main) conflict. Intention is to complete construction mid-Spring.

Project 0061-0145 2003-040 Whitney Ave Signal Replacement

Update Project continues on the current schedule:

Project 0079-0210 1999-032 Gravel St: Reconstruction

Update Public meeting held on December 15th. Project design continues

Project 0092-0561 2003-011 State St: Mill River Bridge Replacement

Update Excavation on the East approach has begun. The removal of the Eastern span should begin

next month

Project 0092-0585 2005-002 Quinnipiac Ave Phase 1: Reconstruction

Update Construction to continue through the 2011 Construction season. At this time the project is on

schedule. Costs are high due to utility issues.

Project 0092-0641 2007-0115 Quinnipiac Ave Phase 2: Reconstruction

Update No construction to date; anticipated time extension due to utility conflict. Anticipated completion

now November 30, 2011

Project 0092-0642 2007-0116 Pavement Rehab Congress Avenue

Update Minor work remaining for spring. Anticipated to complete within original time. Increased cost to

be non-participating. (City added sidewalk areas.)

Project 0092-0643 2007-0117 Traffic Control Signal Controllers

Update City / Contractor have apparently resolved issue of material supply. Current submission is

anticipated to be approved. Limited physical work to date, but no winter limitation, Contractor

anticipates completion on time, within budget

Project 0100-0175 2010-A7-2 Sackett Point Bridge Replacement

Update Project continues on track

Project 0100-0176 2010-A7-1 Universal Drive Resurfacing

Update Project has been bid just waiting for additional DBE information from the apparent low bidder

prior to authorizing the Town to award

Project 0148-0203 2010-A12-9 North Plains Industrial Rd Pavement Rehab

Update Project receives a Project number and is added to the STIP/TIP with funding for PE and CON in

2011

Project 0156-0176 2010-A7-6 Captain Thomas Blvd Resurfacing

Update Project is scheduled for advertising on January 26th

Project 0167-0104 2007-055 Peck Hill Road Construction

Update Project continues on track