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Carl J. Amento, Executive Director

To: Transportation Committee and Transportation Technical Committee

From: William Dickinson Chairman, Transportation Committee

**Date:** May 7, 2014

Subject: Wednesday, May 14, 2014 Meeting of the Transportation Committee and Transportation Technical Committee at 12:00, in the offices of SCRCOG

#### Agenda

#### Action Items:

1.	Meeting Minutes of April 9, 2014	Pages 4, 5
2.	2012-2015 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment Twenty Five	Pages 6-16
	Recommend to SCRCOG adoption of Amendment – James Rode	-

3. <u>New Haven-Meriden STP-Urban Program and LOTCIP</u> *Stephen Dudley* 

#### Informational Items:

4. Other Business

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Others

The Advisor Amity Observer Center for Disability Rights: M. Gallucci ConnDOT: M. Rolfe, G. Wright, D. Larosa, J Redeker, R. Etuka, K. Chukwa, M. Salter, P. Zapatrick, E. Wynkoop Connecticut League of Women Voters (New Haven Chapter): N. Ciarleglio Connecticut Post Connecticut Public Broadcasting Connecticut Transit: P. Fry, S. Willis, B. Diggs CT Latino News CTRIDES: P. Hypolite FHWA: Eloise Powell, Amy Jackson-Grove Fox Connecticut Greater New Haven Chamber of Commerce: T. Rescigno, L. DiCocco-Beauton Greater New Haven Convention and Visitors Bureau: G. Kozlowski

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#### Minutes Transportation Committee April 9, 2014

Transportation Committee Members	Transportation Technical Committee
Wallingford, Mayor William Dickinson, Chair	Branford, Janice Plaziak
Branford, FS James Cosgrove	East Haven, Kevin White
Madison, FS Fillmore McPherson	Guilford, Jim Portley
New Haven, Douglas Hausladen, Proxy for Mayor	Hamden, Robert Brinton
Harp	Madison, Michael Ott
	Meriden, Bob Bass
Guests	North Branford, Kurt Weiss
Bijon Notghi, City of New Haven	North Haven, Johnathan Bodwell
Edgar Wynkoop, CDOT	Wallingford, John Thompson
Donna Carter, GNHTD	West Haven, Abdul Quadir
Margaret Mixon, Kennedy Center	<u>SCRCOG</u>
	Carl Amento, Stephen Dudley, James Rode,
	Chris Rappa

FS McPherson called the meeting to order at 12:07. Mayor William Dickinson assumed the chair upon his arrival

#### Action Item #1

J. Plaziak asked for a correction to the minutes of the March 12, 2014 meeting to reflect that J. Plaziak made the motion to adjourn and J. Portley seconded. The minutes were adopted with the correction on a motion made by J. Portley seconded by J. Bodwell. Motion passed unanimously.

#### Action Item #2

J Rode presented Amendment 24 which included 1 new project. Project #61-0150 Replace Br 04127 Skiff St O/Mill River will utilize Federal Local Bridge Program Funding. After a brief discussion, B. Bass made a motion to recommend approval, J. Portley seconded and motion passed unanimously.

#### Action Item #3

S. Dudley presented the FY15 Draft UPWP for review. After a brief discussion B. Bass made a motion to accept the draft, K. Weiss seconded and motion was approved

#### **Informational Item #4**

J. Rode presented an overview of the New Section 5310 Enhanced Mobility for Seniors and Persons With Disabilities Program. Under MAP-21, the existing award of cash grants for the purchase of wheelchair accessible vehicles is maintained as category A. And there are three new categories of project types that can now be funded; categories B, C & D. These categories are similar to what was eligible under the former *Section 5317 New Freedom Initiative (NFI) program* 



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#### **Informational Item #5**

J. Rode discussed a Mobility Management Program which has been developed for the region. A brief history of the project was presented. Margaret Mixon, *Mobility Manager with the Kennedy Center*, spoke about the program she oversees.

#### **Informational Item #6**

Mayor Dickinson discussed the meeting that was held with SCRCOG and the Legislators. Draft legislation was distributed, that would shift the program administration from CDOT to OPM. J Portley reported that he had met with CDOT to discuss Guilford's LOTCIP application and they expect to receive a letter of commitment soon. S. Dudley presented a revised list of potential LOTCIP projects. There followed a discussion of the types of projects and size of projects that would be considered for this program. There was also a brief discussion on how projects could be prioritized. S. Dudley will continue to develop a list of projects to be presented at the May meeting.

J. Plaziak made a motion to adjourn. J. Portley seconded, meeting was adjourned at 1:47 PM.

# South Central Regional Council of Governments 2012-2015 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM Amendment Number 25

Project	0014-0174	2000-042	Rte 740: Brookwood Dr. to Williams Rd Realignment	Page 7								
Changes	Amendment	25 adds ROW	and moves CON to FY15									
Reason	Action neces	sary as project	schedule is adjusted to include a Rights of Way phase									
Project	0059-0161	2012-A27-1	Long Hill Rd Reconstruction	Page 8								
Changes	Amendment 2	25 increases R	OW									
Reason	Action neces	sary to increas	e cost based on latest estimate									
Project	0092-0531	1999-009	I-95/I-91/Rte 34 Interchange Reconstruction E	Page 9								
Changes	Amendment	25 adds NHS a	ind I-M funds to FY14									
Reason	Action necessary to fully obligate released federal apportioned funds. No change to cost estimate, will reduce outer years at a later date.											
Project	0092-0532	1999-002	I-95: Quinnipiac River Bridge Construction B	Page 11								
Changes	Amendment 2	25 adds BRX to	o FY14									
Reason	Action necessary to fully obligate released I-M funds No change to cost estimate, will reduce outer years at a later date.											
Project	0100-0178	2014-A25-1	Deck Replacement Br#03120 O/ I-91	Page 12								
Changes	Amendment 2	25 adds new pi	roject									
Reason	Bassett Rd o	ver I-91. Projec	ject for the Deck replacement of Bridge #03120 which car at to replace concrete bridge deck eliminating bridge joints ning miscellaneous substructure and structure repairs.									
Project	0156-0170	2001-058	Rte 122: US 1 Realignment	Page 13								
Changes	Amendment	25 changes fur	nding source to STP-Urban and moves project into FY14									
Reason	Action neces	sary to fully obl	igate FY14 STP- Urban funding									
Project	0173-0354	2011-A18-2	Update signing Vic. Ex 54 to Ex85	Page 14								
Changes	Amendment	25 moves proje	ect to FY15 TIP									
Reason	Action neces	sary to move fu	unding to appropriate fiscal year and to add CON phase									
Project	0427-TXXX	2014-A25-2	New Haven Streetcar Alternative Analysis Earmark	Page 14								
Changes Reason	the City of Ne		roject appropriated a FY11 Alternatives Analysis Earmark for a s transportation options in the downtown core.	study to								

## 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 Thousands)													
Funding	Phase		Prior	2012	2013	2014	2015	FYI					
STPA	CON	Federal			4,640								
		State			1,160								
Total Cost	\$5,800		0	0	5,800	0	0	0					
Proposed TIP Funding (In Thousands)													
Funding	Phase		Prior	2012	2013	2014	2015	FYI					
STPA	ROW	Federal				471							
		State				118							
	CON	Federal					4,640						
		State					1,160						
TIP Funds	\$6,389		0	0	0	589	5,800	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. FY10 TIP Amend 20 moves funds to FY2012 FY12 TIP Amend 25 adds ROW and moves CON to FY15 State Project 0059-0161

## SCRCOG # 2012-A27-1

Municipality Guilford

Proposed

Project Name Long Hill Rd Reconstruction

**Description** 3600' of Long Hill Rd will be widened to 30', a new culvert installed @ Spinning Mill Brook and Right turn radius at Route 1 will be improved.

Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)												
Funding	Phase		Prior	2012	2013	2014	2015	FYI				
STPNH	PD	Federal		200								
		Local		25								
		State		25								
	FD	Federal				200						
		Local				25						
		State				25						
	ROW	Federal				80						
		Local				10						
		State				10						
Total Cost	\$600		0	250	0	350	0	0				
Proposed TI	IP Fundir	ng (In Tho	ousands)									
Funding	Phase		Prior	2012	2013	2014	2015	FYI				
STPNH	PD	Federal										
	FD	Federal		200								
	FD	Local		200 25								
	FD											
	FD	Local		25		200						
		Local State		25		200 25						
		Local State Federal		25								
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## **Amendment Notes**

Fy 10 TIP Amend introduces new project. FY12 TIP Amend 23 adds FD and ROW phases FY12 TIP Amend 25 increases ROW

# South Central Regional Council of Governments FFY2012-FFY2015 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment 25

## State Project 0092-0531

SCRCOG # 1999-009

Municipality New Haven

I-MD

NHPP

NHS

Proposed

Project Name I-95/I-91/Rt 34 Interchange Reconstruction E

Federal

Federal

AC-Entry

Federal

State

State

950

19,009

2,112

81,000

9,000

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11,256

1,251

30,000

3,333

6,000

667

28,000

3,111

**Description** Reconstruct I-95/I-91/Rt 34 interchange to accommodate new 10-lane Quinnipiac River Bridge and reconfigure nb I-95 to Rt 34 ramp as a "right hand take off". Post-FY05 CN with Surface Transportation Program statewide and National Highway System support.

Current TIF	P Funding (In Th	ousands)					
Funding	Phase	Prior	2012	2013	2014	2015	FYI
HPP	CON Federa	al		1,440			
	Stat	е		360			
I-M	AC-Entr	у	0				
	Federa	al 21,521	10,000				
	State	e 3,216	1,111				
I-MD	Federa	al 950					
NHPP	Federa	al		81,000	30,000	28,000	
	Stat	e		9,000	3,333	3,111	
NHS	AC-Entr	у	0				
	Federa	al 19,009	11,256				
	Stat	e 2,112	1,251				
STPA	Federa	al 34,570		31,000	28,570	28,000	
	State	e 3,841		3,444	7,143	3,111	
Total Cost	\$366,349	85,219	23,618	126,244	69,046	62,222	0
Proposed 7	TIP Funding (In T	[housand:	s)				
Funding	Phase	Prior	2012	2013	2014	2015	FYI
HPP	CON Federa	al		1,440			
	State	е		360			
I-M	AC-Entr	у	0				
	Federa	al 21,521	10,000		6,000		
	State	e 3,216	1,111		667		

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TIP Funds	\$379,683	85,219	23,618	126,244	82,380	62,222	0
	State	3,841		3,444	7,143	3,111	
STPA	Federal	34,570		31,000	28,570	28,000	

#### **Amendment Notes**

FY10 TIP amend 5 adds NHS funds and adjusts \$ as project is ready to be advertised FY10 TIP Amend 9 moves funds from FFY11 to FFY10 FY10 TIP Amend 18 increases STPA funds for FY11 and add IMD funds. FY10 TIP Amend 23 reduces NHS funds for FY12. FY12 TIP Amend 4 adds I-M to FY12. FY12 TIP Amend 7 increases NHS for FY 12. FY12 TIP Amend 11 Adjusts Funds FY12 TIP Amend 13 increases STPA for FY13 FY12 TIP Amend 14 increases NHPP funds. FY12 TIP Amend 16 changes I-M to NHPP-BRX. FY12 TIP replaces FY14 NHPP-BRX with NHPP and increases amount.FY12 TIP Amend 21 adjusts funding levels. FY12 TIP Amend 25 adds NHS and I-M funds to FY14

## State Project 0092-0532

#### SCRCOG # 1999-002

Municipality New Haven

Proposed

Project Name I-95: Quinnipiac River Bridge Construction B

**Description** Construct a new 10-lane bridge across New Haven Harbor between Route 34/I-91 interchange and Stiles Street

Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)												
Funding	Phase		Prior	2012	2013	2014	2015	FYI				
BRXZ	CON	AC-Entry		0								
		Federal		103,103			74,525	143,648				
		State		15,406			11,136	21,465				
NHPP		Federal			33,000							
		State			4,931							
NHPP-BRX		Federal				23,370						
		State				3,492						
STPA-BRX	PA-BRX AC-Entry					0						
	Federal					19,000						
		State				2,839						
Total Cost	\$455,91	5	0	118,509	37,931	48,701	85,661	165,113				
Proposed T	IP Fundir	ng (In Tho	ousands	5)								
Funding	Phase		Prior	2012	2013	2014	2015	FYI				
BRX	CON	Federal				7,000						
		State				1,046						
BRXZ		AC-Entry		0								
		Federal		103,103			74,525	143,648				
		State		15,406			11,136	21,465				
NHPP		Federal			33,000							
		State			4,931							
NHPP-BRX		Federal				23,370						
		State				3,492						
STPA-BRX		AC-Entry				0						
		Federal				19,000						
		<b>0</b> 4 4				2,839						
		State				2,000						
TIP Funds	\$463,961		0	118,509	37,931	56,747	85,661	165,113				

#### **Amendment Notes**

FY07TIP Amendment 1 accurately displayed Q Bridge project FY07 TIP Amendment 4 moves 52.7M from FFY 05,06 into FFY07. FY07 TIP Amend 5 moves IMD & SEC117 Funds From FY05 TIP into FY07 TIP. FY07 TIP Amend 9 reduces fµgds as

92-613, 92-617 are added to TIP as breakout projects. The project cost is decreased FY07 TIP Amend 11 redistributes funds as breakout Projects # 092-618 is added to the TIP Project cost is increased. FY07 TIP Amend 14 NCIIP funds moved to #92-618. FY07 TIP Amend 23 shifts all unobligated funds from FFY08 to FFY09 as project is ADV 2/4/09. Bridge funds increased by \$60M for FFY10. Project moved into FY10 TIP FY10 TIP Amend 6 increases FFY10 funds & Decreases FFY11 Funds. FY10 TIP moves BRXZ funds from FY12 to FY11. FY12 TIP includes ongoing project. FY12 TIP Amend 4 add BRXZ to FY12. FY12 TIP Amend 6 moves BRXZ funds from 14 to 12 and replaces state Bonds funds with BRXZ funds. FY12 TIP Amend 7 increases BRX for FY12 .FY12 TIP Amend 14 replaces BRX with NHPP in FY13 TIP Amend 21 adjusts funding levels. FY12 TIP Amend 25 adds BRX to FY14

## State Project 0100-0178

#### SCRCOG # 2014-A25-1

Municipality North Haven

Proposed

Project Name Deck Replacement Br#03120 O/ I-91

**Description** Deck replacement of Bridge #03120 which carries Bassett Rd over I-91.

# **Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)**

Proposed TIP Funding (In Thousands)													
Funding	Phase		Prior	2012	2013	2014	2015	FYI					
BRZ	PD	Federal				320							
		State				80							
	FD	Federal					400						
		State					100						
	ROW	Federal					40						
		State					10						
	CON	Federal						3,200					
		State						800					
TIP Funds	\$4,950		0	0	0	400	550	4,000					

# Amendment Notes

FY12 TIP Amend 25 adds new project

## State Project 0156-0170

#### SCRCOG # 2001-058

Municipality West Haven

Proposed

Project Name Rt 122: US 1 Realignment

**Description** Realign Route 122 northbound approach to US 1 to improve geometry, capacity and safety. ROW cost reflects gasoline station taking, "fruit stand" taking and numerous strip takes.

Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)													
Funding	Phase		Prior	2012	2013	2014	2015	FYI					
STPA	CON Fe	deral				6,700							
		State				1,700							
Total Cost	\$8,400		0	0	0	8,400	0	0					
Proposed T	IP Funding (	In Tho	usands)										
Funding	Phase		Prior	2012	2013	2014	2015	FYI					
STPNH	CON AC-	Entry				0							
	Fe	deral					8,480						
		State					2,120						
TIP Funds	\$10,600		0	0	0	0	10,600	0					

#### **Amendment Notes**

ROW moved from FY04 by FY05 TIP Amend 7. FY07-11TIP Amend 3 moves CON phase from FY09 to FY08 and increases Funding from 6M to 10.25M. FY07 TIP Amend 13 adds AC Entry, moves CON from FFY08 to FFY10, increases funds. FY10 TIP moves project to FYI

FY12 TIP Amend 25 changes funding source to STP-Urban and moves project into FY14

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## State Project 0173-0354

#### SCRCOG # 2011-A18-2

Municipality District 3

Proposed

Project Name Update signing Vic. Ex 54 to Ex85

Description Project to update signs along I-95 from Exit 54 to Exit 85

Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)												
Funding	Phase		Prior	2012	2013	2014	2015	FY				
I-M	PD	Federal		200								
	FD	Federal			200							
Total Cost	\$400		0	200	200	0	0	0				
Proposed TIP Funding (In Thousands)												
Funding	Phase		Prior	2012	2013	2014	2015	FYI				
NHPP	PD	Federal					200					
	FD	Federal						200				
	CON	Federal						8,308				
TIP Funds	\$8,708		0	0	0	0	200	8,508				

#### Amendment Notes

FY10 TIP Amend 18 introduces new project. FY10 TIP Amend 21 moves project to FFY12. FY10 TIP Amend 23 splits ENG into PD/FD. FY12 TIP Amend 25 moves project to FY15 TIP

State Project 0427-TXXX

#### SCRCOG # 2014-A25-2

Proposed

Municipality New Haven

Project Name New Haven Streetcar Alternative Analysis Earmark

**Description** the City of New Haven was appropriated a FY11 Alternatives Analysis Earmark for a study to identify and enhance public transportation options in the downtown core.

# **Current TIP Funding (In Thousands)**

Proposed TIP Funding (In Thousands)												
Funding	Phase		Prior	2012	2013	2014	2015	FYI				
5339	OTH	Federal				760						
		Local				190						
TIP Funds	\$950		0	0	0	950	0	0				

## Amendment Notes

FY12 TIP Amend 25 adds new project



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Resolution Fiscal Year 2012-Fiscal Year 2015 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment Twenty Five

- 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 2012-Fiscal Year 2015 Transportation Improvement Program on January 25, 2012, 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 2012-2015 Transportation Improvement Program and the Region's Long-Range Transportation Plans—2011 to 2040, (April, 2011); and
- Whereas: The Council, on January 25, 2012, 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*—2011 to 2040, (April, 2011)); 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 2012-Fiscal Year 2015 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment Twenty Five (continued)

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

By:

The *Program Amendment Twenty Five* 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 28, 2014

Date: May 28, 2014.

First Selectman Fillmore McPherson, Secretary South Central Regional Council of Governments