

MEMORANDUM

TO: Transportation Planning Board FROM: Kanti Srikanth, TPB Staff Director

SUBJECT: Steering Committee Actions and Report of the Director

DATE: April 9, 2025

The attached materials include:

- Steering Committee Actions
- Letters Sent/Received
- Announcements and Updates

MEMORANDUM

To: Transportation Planning Board FROM: Kanti Srikanth, TPB Staff Director

SUBJECT: Steering Committee Actions

DATE: April 9, 2025

At its meeting on Friday, April 4 the TPB Steering Committee reviewed and adopted three resolutions approving amendments to the FY 2023-2026 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) requested by the Maryland Department of Transportation (MDOT), the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT), and the Virginia Department of Rail & Public Transportation (DRPT), as detailed below. The committee also reviewed and approved the agenda for the TPB's April 15, 2025 meeting.

The committee approved the following resolutions amending projects and programs in the FY 2023-2026 TIP. Unless otherwise stated, the amended projects and programs are exempt from the air quality conformity requirement. All additional funding had previously been accounted for in the financial analysis of the 2022 Update of Visualize 2045 and the FY 2023-2026 TIP.

- TPB SR37-2025: MDOT added a net total of \$135.7 million in Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP), National Highway Performance Program (NHPP), Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG), and state funding to the Areawide Resurfacing and Rehabilitation project grouping (T3082).
- TPB SR38-2025; VDOT made the following changes:
 - Created a new TIP record (T13689) with \$800,000 in Regional Surface Transportation Program (RSTP) and state funding for a new study on the Seven Corners Ring Road IAR.
 - Created a new TIP record (T13695) with \$3.3 million in revenue sharing (REVSH) and state funds for the planning phase for the VA 655 Shirley Gate Road from Fairfax County Parkway to Braddock Road project. Additional funding from VDOT's FY 2024-2027 Statewide TIP (STIP) for further planning and engineering and acquiring rights-of-way is shown beyond the 2026 horizon year under "Future Funding" which will bring the total cost of those combined phases to \$31 million. Funding for the construction of this project and its record including it in the Air Quality Conformity Analysis of the 2022 Update to Visualize 2045 and the FY 2023–2026 TIP are filed under long-range plan record CE3442.
 - Released \$308.6 million in NVTA funding and added \$245.2 million in RSTP, state, and local funding for the Richmond Highway Corridor Improvements Phase 2 project, decreasing the total project cost by approximately \$63.4 million. This project is included in the conformity analysis of the approved plan and TIP of record.
- TPB SR39-2025: DRPT made the following changes:
 - Release a net total of \$31.52 million from the L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track project by releasing \$71.59 million in §5337-SGR, state, and local funding and adding \$40.07 million in §5307 and state funding to the four-year program total. An additional \$78.73 million from DRPT's STIP is shown under Future Funding, bringing the total project cost to \$131.8 million, This project is included in the conformity analysis of the approved plan and TIP of record.

- Added a net total of approximately \$7.1 million in §5337-SGR, state, and local funding to the four-year program total for the VRE Rolling Stock Modifications and Overhauls ongoing program, increasing the FY 2023-2026 program total cost to \$29.95 million,
- Created a new TIP record with \$68.9 million in FTA §5337-SGR, NVTA, state, and local funding for the VRE Crystal City Station Improvements project.

The TPB Bylaws provide that the Steering Committee "shall have the full authority to approve non-regionally significant items, and in such cases, it shall advise the TPB of its action." All proposed amendments are reviewed to ensure they are consistent with the air quality conformity determination of the Plan and TIP of record. Federal-aid program funding amounts are reviewed in total for each agency against their projected federal revenue streams. The director's report each month and the TPB's review, without objection, shall constitute the final approval of any actions or resolutions approved by the Steering Committee.

ATACHMENTS:

- April 4, 2025, TPB Steering Committee Attendance (Members and Alternates only)
- Adopted resolution SR37-2025 approving an amendment to the TIP, as requested by MDOT
- Adopted resolution SR38-2025 approving an amendment to the TIP, as requested by VDOT
- Adopted resolution SR39-2025 approving an amendment to the TIP, as requested by DRPT

TPB STEERING COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE - APRIL 4, 2025:

(Only voting members and alternates listed)

TPB Chair/VA Rep.: James Walkinshaw

TPB Vice Chair/MD Rep.: Neil Harris
TPB Vice Chair/DC Rep.: Matt Frumin

Prior TPB Chair: Christina Henderson
Tech. Committee Chair: Victor Weissberg

DDOT: Naomi Cohen-Shields

MDOT: Kari Snyder

VDOT: Regina Moore
Maria Sinner

WMATA: Mark Phillips

TPB SR37-2025 Approved by the TPB Steering Committee April 4, 2025

NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION TRANSPORTATION PLANNING BOARD 777 North Capitol Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20002

RESOLUTION ON AN AMENDMENT TO THE FY 2023-2026 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP) THAT IS EXEMPT FROM THE AIR QUALITY CONFORMITY REQUIREMENT TO INCLUDE TIP ACTION 23-59.2 WHICH ADDS FUNDING FOR AREAWIDE RESURFACING AND REHABILITATION PROJECT GROUPING, AS REQUESTED BY THE MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (MDOT)

WHEREAS, the National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board (TPB), as the federally designated metropolitan planning organization (MPO) for the Washington region, has the responsibility under the provisions of the Fixing America's Surface Transportation (FAST) Act, reauthorized November 15, 2021 when the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA) was signed into law, for developing and carrying out a continuing, cooperative and comprehensive transportation planning process for the metropolitan area; and

WHEREAS, the TIP is required by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) as a basis and condition for all federal funding assistance to state, local and regional agencies for transportation improvements within the Washington planning area; and

WHEREAS, on June 15, 2022 the TPB adopted the FY 2023-2026 TIP; and

WHEREAS, Maryland Department of Transportation (MDOT) has requested an amendment to the FY 2023-2026 TIP to include TIP Action 23-59.2 which adds \$13.9 million in Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP), \$46.5 million in National Highway Performance Program (NHPP), \$48.16 million in Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG), and \$27.14 million in state funding for the Areawide Resurfacing and Rehabilitation project grouping (T3082), as described in the attached materials; and

WHEREAS, the review and processing of the amendments included in this TIP Action have been conducted in accordance with the procedures detailed in the TPB's Public Participation Plan and the Procedures for Revisions to the Long-Range Transportation Plan and the Transportation Improvement Program; and

WHEREAS, the proposed amendments have been entered into the TPB's Project InfoTrak database under TIP Action 23-59.2 creating the 59th amended version of the FY 2023-2026 TIP, and the draft amendments were posted on the TPB's Steering Committee meeting page seven days in advance of the scheduled approval and can also be found for review online at www.mwcog.org/TIP/FY23-26/Amendments; and

WHEREAS, the component projects in this grouping are exempt from the air quality conformity requirement, as defined in Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Transportation Conformity Regulations as of April 2012; and

WHEREAS, full funding for the projects in this TIP Action was included in the Financial Analysis of the 2022 Update to Visualize 2045 and the FY 2023-2026 TIP, and the TIP remains fiscally constrained, as demonstrated in the attached materials; and

WHEREAS, the attached materials include:

ATTACHMENT A) Programming Overview report showing how the record will appear in the TIP following approval,

ATTACHMENT B) Program Summary by Fund report demonstrates that the TIP is fiscally constrained,

ATTACHMENT C) Letter from MDOT dated March 26, 2025, requesting the amendment; and

WHEREAS, this resolution and the amendment to the FY 2023-2026 TIP shall not be considered final until the Transportation Planning Board has had the opportunity to review and accept these materials at its next full meeting.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Steering Committee of the National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board amends the FY 2023-2026 TIP to include TIP Action 23-59.2 which adds \$13.9 million in HSIP, \$46.5 million in NHPP, \$48.16 million in STBG, and \$27.14 million in state funding for the **Areawide Resurfacing and Rehabilitation** project grouping **(T3082)**, as described in the attached materials.

Adopted by the TPB Steering Committee at its meeting on Friday, April 4, 2025.

ATTACHMENT A

T3082 - Areawide Resurfacing and Rehabilitation

Lead Agency

Project Type

County

Maryland Department of Transportation - State Highway Administration Road -

Recons/Rehab/Maintenance/Resurface

Charles, Frederick, Montgomery,

Prince Georges

From

Agency Project ID

AWRR

Municipality

Bowie, City of Gaithersburg, City of Manassas, City of Rockville, City of Seat Pleasant, College Park, Forest Heights, Greenbelt, Hyattsvile, Landover Hills, Laurel, Morningside, Riverdale Park, Suburban MD, Town of Capitol Heights, Town of La Plata,

Upper Marlboro

То

Completion Date 7.2026

Total Cost

\$792,028,000

Project Desription

Ongoing program to provide periodic resurfacing and upgrading or auxiliary features on MDOT SHA highways. These are non-capacity improvements that may include but are not limited to milling, patching, sealing, and resurfacing of existing deteriorated MDOT SHA roadways. Other improvements, including ADA improvements and guardrails, may be included where incidental to other resurfacing improvements.

PHASE	FUND SOURCE	PRIOR	FY2023	FY2024	FY2025	FY2026	FUTURE	TOTAL
Preliminary Engineering	DC/STATE	-	\$995,000	\$1,248,000	\$2,393,600	\$1,364,000	-	\$6,000,600
Preliminary Engineering	HSIP	-	\$291,000	\$247,000	\$51,000	\$87,000	-	\$676,000
Preliminary Engineering	NHPP	-	\$3,244,000	\$3,932,000	\$5,000,200	\$3,449,800	-	\$15,626,000
Preliminary Engineering	STBG	-	\$5,201,000	\$3,348,000	\$7,138,200	\$5,190,200	-	\$20,877,400
Total Preliminary Engineering		-	\$9,731,000	\$8,775,000	\$14,583,000	\$10,091,000	-	\$43,180,000
Right of Way	DC/STATE	-	\$21,000	\$21,000	\$10,080	\$10,080	-	\$62,160
Right of Way	HSIP	-	\$19,000	\$19,000	\$9,520	\$9,520	-	\$57,040
Right of Way	NHPP	-	\$190,000	\$190,000	\$95,200	\$95,200	-	\$570,400
Right of Way	STBG	-	\$190,000	\$190,000	\$95,200	\$95,200	-	\$570,400
Total Right of Way		-	\$420,000	\$420,000	\$210,000	\$210,000	-	\$1,260,000
Construction	DC/STATE	-	\$9,461,000	\$17,513,000	\$15,347,000	\$26,848,400	-	\$69,169,400
Construction	HSIP	-	\$5,876,000	\$7,013,000	\$11,745,000	\$16,337,600	-	\$40,971,600
Construction	NHPP	-	\$112,090,000	\$105,969,000	\$59,012,000	\$82,220,800	-	\$359,291,800
Construction	STBG	-	\$69,666,000	\$95,393,000	\$48,408,000	\$64,688,200	-	\$278,155,200
Total Construction		-	\$197,093,000	\$225,888,000	\$134,512,000	\$190,095,000	-	\$747,588,000
Total Programmed		-	\$207,244,000	\$235,083,000	\$149,305,000	\$200,396,000	-	\$792,028,000

CURRENT CHANGE REASON	Schedule / Funding / Scope- Update Cost change(s), Adding funds to the project. due to Adding \$135,700,000 in funds to the project for preliminary engineering and construction.
	Plan Revision Name changed from "23-52 (ALL)" to "23-59.2 (MD)"
PROJECT CHANGES	Project Type changed from "Road - Resurface" to "Road - Recons/Rehab/Maintenance/Resurface"
	HSIP
	+ Increase funds in FY 2025 in CON from \$6,945,000 to \$11,745,000
	+ Increase funds in FY 2026 in CON from \$7,236,000 to \$16,337,600
	NHPP
	+ Increase funds in FY 2025 in PE from \$2,653,000 to \$5,000,200
	+ Increase funds in FY 2025 in CON from \$41,412,000 to \$59,012,000
	+ Increase funds in FY 2026 in PE from \$1,713,000 to \$3,449,800
	+ Increase funds in FY 2026 in CON from \$57,400,000 to \$82,220,800
	STBG
	+ Increase funds in FY 2025 in PE from \$3,839,000 to \$7,138,200
	+ Increase funds in FY 2025 in CON from \$27,608,000 to \$48,408,000
FUNDING	+ Increase funds in FY 2026 in PE from \$2,295,000 to \$5,190,200
CHANGES	+ Increase funds in FY 2026 in CON from \$43,529,000 to \$64,688,200
	DC/STATE
	+ Increase funds in FY 2025 in PE from \$364,000 to \$950,800
	+ Increase funds in FY 2025 in CON from \$2,088,000 to \$6,488,000
	+ Increase funds in FY 2025 in PE from \$615,000 to \$1,439,800
	+ Increase funds in FY 2025 in CON from \$1,392,000 to \$6,592,000
	+ Increase funds in FY 2025 in CON from \$1,067,000 to \$2,267,000
	+ Increase funds in FY 2026 in PE from \$86,000 to \$520,200
	+ Increase funds in FY 2026 in CON from \$7,706,000 to \$13,911,200
	+ Increase funds in FY 2026 in PE from \$116,000 to \$839,800
	+ Increase funds in FY 2026 in CON from \$4,488,000 to \$9,777,800
	+ Increase funds in FY 2026 in CON from \$884,000 to \$3,159,400
FEDERAL PROJECT COST	Increased from \$608,235,840 to \$716,795,840 (17.85%)
TOTAL PROJECT	Increased from \$656,328,000 to \$792,028,000 (20.68%)

	Attachment B: Programmed Summary by Fund (MDOT SHA) TIP Action 23.59.2													
Fund Type 2023 2024 2025 2026 Total														
HSIP	\$6,186,000	\$7,279,000	\$11,805,520	\$16,434,120	\$41,704,640									
NHPP	\$115,524,000	\$110,091,000	\$64,107,400	\$85,765,800	\$375,488,200									
STBG	\$75,057,000	\$98,931,000	\$55,641,400	\$69,973,600	\$299,603,000									
Federal Subtotal	\$196,767,000	\$216,301,000	\$131,554,320	\$172,173,520	\$716,795,840									
DC/STATE	\$10,477,000	\$18,782,000	\$17,750,680	\$28,222,480	\$75,232,160									
State Subtotal	\$10,477,000	\$18,782,000	\$17,750,680	\$28,222,480	\$75,232,160									
Grand Total	\$207,244,000	\$235,083,000	\$149,305,000	\$200,396,000	\$792,028,000									

ATTACHMENT C



Wes Moore Governor Aruna Miller Lieutenant Governor Paul J. Wiedefeld Secretary

March 26, 2025

The Honorable James Walkinshaw
Chair
National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board
Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments
777 North Capitol Street, NE, Suite 300
Washington DC 20002

Dear Chair Walkinshaw:

The Maryland Department of Transportation (MDOT) requests the following amendment to the Maryland portion of the National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board's (TPB) Fiscal Year (FY) 2023-2026 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for one existing project on behalf of the State Highway Administration (SHA) as described below and in the attached memo.

This action updates the programmed expenditures and schedule in FY 2023-2026 for the Areawide Resurfacing and Rehabilitation project, and this action does not affect the Air Quality Conformity Determination of the 2022 Update to Visualize 2045.

TIP	Project	Amount	Comment
ID		of New	
		Funding	
		(In 000s)	
3082	Areawide Resurfacing and	\$ 135,700	Adds new preliminary engineering
	Rehabilitation		and construction funds.

MDOT requests that this amendment be approved at the upcoming TPB Steering Committee meeting.

The Honorable James Walkinshaw Page Two

Kari M Smyder

We appreciate your cooperation in this matter. Should you have additional questions or concerns, please contact me at 410-865-1305, toll free 888-713-1414 or via e-mail at ksnyder3@mdot.maryland.gov. I will be happy to assist you.

Sincerely,

Kari Snyder Regional Planner

Office of Planning, Programming, and Project Delivery (OPPPD)

Attachment

cc: Mr. Dan Janousek, Regional Planner, OPPPD, MDOT

Mr. Shawn Kiernan, Regional Planner, OPPPD, MDOT



Wes Moore Governor Aruna Miller Lieutenant Governor Paul J. Wiedefeld Secretary William Pines, P.E.

Administrator

MEMORANDUM

TO: MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (MDOT)

OFFICE OF PLANNING, PROGRAMMING, AND PROJECT

DELIVERY (OPPPD) DIRECTOR MICHELLE MARTIN

ATTN: OPPPD REGIONAL PLANNER KARI SNYDER

OPPPD REGIONAL PLANNER DAN JANOUSEK

OPPPD REGIONAL PLANNING MANAGER SHAWN KIERNAN

FROM: REGIONAL AND INTERMODAL PLANNING DIVISION (RIPD)

CHIEF TARA PENDERS

9 3/18/2025

SUBJECT: REQUEST TO AMEND THE FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2023-2026

NATIONAL CAPITAL TRANSPORTATION PLANNING BOARD (TPB) TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP)

DATE: MARCH 18, 2025

RESPONSE

REQUESTED BY: N/A

PURPOSE OF MEMORANDUM

To request the MDOT OPPPD approve and forward to TPB for its approval the following TIP amendment.

SUMMARY

The Maryland State Highway Administration (SHA) hereby requests the amendment of the FY 2023-2026 TPB TIP to reflect the following action.

TIP	PROJECT	PHASE	NEW FUNDING
T3082	Areawide Resurfacing and Rehabilitation	PE CO	\$12,848,000 \$122,852,000

Ms. Michelle Martin Page Two

ANALYSIS

Areawide Resurfacing and Rehabilitation (TPB 3082) – This amendment reflects the addition of \$12,848,000 in FY 2023-2026 TPB TIP preliminary engineering funding and \$122,852,000 in funds for construction to accommodate SHA updated programmed project expenditures and project schedules in FY 2023-2026. The project's total cost, as documented in the FY 2023-2026 TPB TIP, is increasing from \$656,328,000 to \$792,028,000.

The attached Statewide TIP (STIP) reports document MDOT's requested amendment with respect to funding for the above projects. These requested actions will not impact scheduling or funding availability for other projects in the current STIP, which remains fiscally constrained. The amended funding does not affect the portion of federal funding programmed for transit or allocations of state aid to local jurisdictions in lieu of federal aid.

In addition, the Maryland Transportation Trust Fund (TTF) remains fiscally constrained. The TTF supports State transportation system operation and maintenance, MDOT administration, debt service, and capital projects. Semiannually, MDOT updates revenues and expenditures using two national forecasting companies' latest economic estimates. The MDOT published funding details in the FY 2025-2030 Consolidated Transportation Program (https://www.mdot.maryland.gov/tso/pages/Index.aspx?PageId=27) and FY 2022-2025 Maryland STIP (https://mdot.maryland.gov/tso/pages/Index.aspx?PageId=117).

Please amend the FY 2023-2026 TPB TIP and FY 2022-2025 Maryland STIP to reflect the funding information provided in the attachments. If you have any questions, please contact SHA RIPD Regional Planner, Mr. David Rodgers, at 410-545-5670 or drodgers1@mdot.maryland.gov.

ATTACHMENTS

- FY 2023-2026 TPB TIP project T3082 report
- FY 2022-2025 Maryland STIP project TPB 3082 report

cc: Mr. Darren Bean, Assistant Regional Planner, RIPD, SHA

Mr. Nate Evans, Assistant Chief, RIPD, SHA

Erich Florence, P.E., Deputy District Engineer, District 3, SHA

Derek Gunn, P.E., District Engineer, District 3, SHA

Mr. David Rodgers, Regional Planner, RIPD, SHA

Ms. Thomasina Saxon, Administrative Assistant Executive, RIPD, SHA

Mr. David Schlie, Regional Planner, RIPD, SHA

T3082 - Areawide Resurfacing and Rehabilitation

Lead Agency Maryland Department of Transportation - State Highway Administration	Project Type Road - Recons/Rehab/Maintenance/Resurface	County Charles, Frederick, Montgomery, Prince Georges
From	Agency Project ID	Municipality
-	AWRR	Bowie, City of Gaithersburg, City of Manassas, City of Rockville, City of Seat Pleasant, College Park, Forest Heights, Greenbelt, Hyattsvile, Landover Hills, Laurel, Morningside, Riverdale Park, Suburban MD, Town of Capitol Heights, Town of La Plata, Upper Marlboro
То	Completion Date	Total Cost
-	7.2026	\$792,028,000

Project Desription

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Right of Way	DC/STATE	-	\$21,000	\$21,000	\$10,080	\$10,080	-	\$62,160
Right of Way	HSIP	-	\$19,000	\$19,000	\$9,520	\$9,520	-	\$57,040
Right of Way	NHPP	-	\$190,000	\$190,000	\$95,200	\$95,200	-	\$570,400
Right of Way	STBG	-	\$190,000	\$190,000	\$95,200	\$95,200	-	\$570,400
Total Right of Way		-	\$420,000	\$420,000	\$210,000	\$210,000	-	\$1,260,000
Construction	DC/STATE	-	\$9,461,000	\$17,513,000	\$15,347,000	\$26,848,400	-	\$69,169,400
Construction	HSIP	-	\$5,876,000	\$7,013,000	\$11,745,000	\$16,337,600	-	\$40,971,600
Construction	NHPP	-	\$112,090,000	\$105,969,000	\$59,012,000	\$82,220,800	-	\$359,291,800
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Total Programmed		-	\$207,244,000	\$235,083,000	\$149,305,000	\$200,396,000	-	\$792,028,000

	MARYLAND STATEWIDE TIP FY 2022-2025																					
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	NHPP/State	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	17,600	\$	4,400	\$	17,600	\$	4,400	\$	22,000
	STBG/State	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	20,800	\$	5,200	\$	20,800	\$	5,200	\$	26,000
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TPB SR38-2025 Approved by the TPB Steering Committee April 4, 2025

RESOLUTION ON AN AMENDMENT TO THE FY 2023-2026 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP) THAT IS EXEMPT FROM OR MEETS THE AIR QUALITY CONFORMITY REQUIREMENT TO INCLUDE TIP ACTION 23-59.3 WHICH ADDS FUNDING FOR A STUDY ON THE SEVEN CORNERS RING ROAD; FOR CONSTRUCTION OF THE SHIRLEY GATE ROAD EXTENSION AND REPROGRAMS FUNDING FOR THE US 1 RICHMOND HIGHWAY CORRIDOR IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT, AS REQUESTED BY THE VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

WHEREAS, the National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board (TPB), as the federally designated metropolitan planning organization (MPO) for the Washington region, has the responsibility under the provisions of the Fixing America's Surface Transportation (FAST) Act, reauthorized November 15, 2021 when the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA) was signed into law, for developing and carrying out a continuing, cooperative and comprehensive transportation planning process for the metropolitan area; and

WHEREAS, the TIP is required by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) as a basis and condition for all federal funding assistance to state, local and regional agencies for transportation improvements within the Washington planning area; and

WHEREAS, on June 15, 2022 the TPB adopted the FY 2023-2026 TIP; and

WHEREAS, VDOT has requested an amendment to the FY 2023-2026 TIP to include TIP Action 23-59.3, which adds \$800,000 in Regional Surface Transportation Program (RSTP) and state funds for the Seven Corners Ring Road IAR Study (T13689); adds \$3.3 million in revenue sharing (REV SH) and state funds for the planning phase of the new project to Construct VA 655 Shirley Gate Road from Fairfax County Parkway to Braddock Road (T13695) project (additional funding is planned beyond the horizon year of the TIP, bringing the total project cost to \$31 million), and releases \$308.6 million in Northern Virginia Transportation Authority (NVTA) funds and adds \$245.2 million in RSTP, state and local funding (\$53.4 million in FY 2025, \$3 million prior to, and \$143.5 million beyond the horizon year of the current TIP) for the, Richmond Highway Corridor Improvements, PH 2 (T11602) project – decreasing the project's total cost from \$308.6 million to \$245.2 million, as described in the attached materials; and

WHEREAS, the review and processing of the amendments included in this TIP Action have been conducted in accordance with the procedures detailed in the TPB's Public Participation Plan and the Procedures for Revisions to the Long-Range Transportation Plan and the Transportation Improvement Program; and

WHEREAS, the proposed amendments have been entered into the TPB's Project InfoTrak database under TIP Action 23-59.3 creating the 59th amended version of the FY 2023-2026 TIP, and the draft amendments were posted on the TPB's Steering Committee meeting page seven days in advance of the scheduled approval and can also be found for review online at www.mwcog.org/TIP/FY23-26/Amendments; and

WHEREAS, the Construct VA 655 Shirley Gate Road from Fairfax County Parkway to Braddock Road (T13695) project was included in the Air Quality Conformity Analysis of the 2022 Update to Visualize 2045 and the FY 2023-2026 TIP and the other two projects are exempt from the air quality conformity requirement, as defined in Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Transportation Conformity Regulations as of April 2012; and

WHEREAS, full funding for all projects and programs in this TIP Action was included in the Financial Analysis of the 2022 Update to Visualize 2045 and the FY 2023-2026 TIP, and the TIP remains fiscally constrained, as demonstrated in the attached materials; and

WHEREAS, the attached materials include:

ATTACHMENT A) Amendment Overview reports showing how the amended project and program records will appear in the TIP following approval, along with a complete listing of all changes made for the most recently approved record version(s),

ATTACHMENT B) Financial Constraint Summary Table that demonstrates the TIP is fiscally constrained.

ATTACHMENT C) Letter from VDOT dated March 27, 2025, requesting the amendment; and

WHEREAS, this resolution and the amendment to the FY 2023-2026 TIP shall not be considered final until the Transportation Planning Board has had the opportunity to review and accept these materials at its next full meeting.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Steering Committee of the National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board amends the FY 2023-2026 TIP to include TIP Action 23-59.3 which adds \$800,000 in RSTP and state funds for the Seven Corners Ring Road IAR Study (T13689); adds \$3.3 million in REV SH and state funds for the planning phase of the new project to Construct VA 655 Shirley Gate Road from Fairfax County Parkway to Braddock Road (T13695) project (additional funding is planned beyond the horizon year of the TIP, bringing the total project cost to \$31 million), and releases \$308.6 million in NVTA funds and adds \$245.2 million in RSTP, state and local funding (\$53.4 million in FY 2025, \$3 million prior to, and \$143.5 million beyond the horizon year of the current TIP) for the, Richmond Highway Corridor Improvements, PH 2 (T11602) project – decreasing the project's total cost from \$308.6 million to \$245.2 million, as described in the attached materials.

TIP ID	TITLE	COST BEFORE	COST AFTER	COST CHANGE
T13689	Seven Corners Ring Road IAR Study	\$0	\$800,000	\$800,000
T13695	Construct VA 655 Shirley Gate Road from Fairfax County Parkway to Braddock Road	\$0	\$31,002,055	\$31,002,055
T11602	Richmond Highway Corridor Improvements, PH 2	\$308,595,000	\$245,180,800	-\$63,414,200

Adopted by the TPB Steering Committee at its meeting on Friday, April 4, 2025.

T13689 - Seven Corners Ring Road IAR Study

Lead Agency Virginia Department of Transportation	Project Type Study/Planning/Research	County Fairfax
From -	Agency Project ID 127003	Municipality -
To -	Completion Date 2028	Total Cost \$800,000

Project Desription

Preliminary Engineering for IAR and NEPA documentation to identify environmental concerns and evaluate the long term operational and safety alternatives for the Seven Corners Ring Road outlined in the Seven Corners Street Network as noted in the Fairfax Comprehensive Plan.

PHASE	FUND SOURCE	PRIOR	FY2023	FY2024	FY2025	FY2026	FUTURE	TOTAL
Study	DC/STATE	-	-	-	\$160,000	-	-	\$160,000
Study	RSTP	-	-	-	\$640,000	-	-	\$640,000
Total Study		-	-	-	\$800,000	-	-	\$800,000
Total Programmed		-	-	-	\$800,000	-	-	\$800,000

CURRENT CHANGE REASON	New Project
FEDERAL PROJECT COST	Stays the same \$640,000
TOTAL PROJECT COST	Stays the same \$800,000

T13695 - Construct VA 655 Shirley Gate Road from Fairfax County Parkway to Braddock Road

Lead Agency Project Type County
Virginia Department of Road - Add Capacity/Widening Fairfax

Transportation Road - Add Capacity/ Widehi

From Agency Project ID Municipality
VA 286 Fairfax County - -

To Completion Date Total Cost VA 620 Braddock Road 2030 \$31,002,055

Project Desription

Parkway

Construct VA 655 Shirley Gate Road as a four-lane facility from Fairfax County Parkway to Braddock Road.

PHASE	FUND SOURCE	PRIOR	FY2023	FY2024	FY2025	FY2026	FUTURE	TOTAL
Planning	DC/STATE	-	-	-	\$3,063,000	-	-	\$3,063,000
Planning	REVSH	-	-	-	\$250,000	-	-	\$250,000
Total Planning		-	-	-	\$3,313,000	-	-	\$3,313,000
Preliminary Engineering	DC/STATE	-	-	-	-	-	\$4,368,000	\$4,368,000
Preliminary Engineering	REVSH	-	-	-	-	-	\$4,368,000	\$4,368,000
Total Preliminary Engineering		-	-	-	-	-	\$8,736,000	\$8,736,000
Right of Way	DC/STATE	-	-	-	-	-	\$9,476,528	\$9,476,528
Right of Way	REVSH	-	-	-	-	-	\$9,476,527	\$9,476,527
Total Right of Way		-	-	-	-	-	\$18,953,055	\$18,953,055
Total Future Costs		-	-	-	-	-	\$27,689,055	\$27,689,055
Total Programmed		-	-	-	\$3,313,000	-	\$27,689,055	\$31,002,055

New Project
Stays the same \$0
Stays the same \$31,002,055

T11602 - RICHMOND HIGHWAY CORRIDOR IMPROVEMENTS, PH 2

Lead Agency

Virginia Department of Transportation

Facility

US 1 Richmond Highway

From

Frye Road

To

Sherwood Hall Road

Agency Project ID

120800

Project Type

Road - Add Capacity/Widening

Completion Date

2032

Total Cost

\$245,180,800



Project Desription

Widen from 4 to 6 lanes and add bike and ped facilities from 0.13 miles north of Frye Road to Sherwood Hall Lane.

PHASE	SOURCE	PRIOR	FY2023	FY2024	FY2025	FY2026	FUTURE	TOTAL
PE	DC/STATE	\$610,000			\$882,525			\$1,492,525
PE	RSTP	\$2,440,000			\$3,530,100			\$5,970,100
Total PE		\$3,050,000			\$4,412,625			\$7,462,625
ROW	DC/STATE				\$18,841,709			\$18,841,709
ROW	RSTP				\$75,366,834			\$75,366,834
Total ROW					\$94,208,543			\$94,208,543
CON	LOCAL						\$143,509,632	\$143,509,632
Total CON							\$143,509,632	\$143,509,632
Total Prior Costs		\$3,050,000)					\$3,050,000
Total Future Costs							\$143,509,632	\$143,509,632
Total Programmed		\$3,050,000)		\$98,621,168	1	\$143,509,632	\$245,180,800

CURRENT CHANGE REASON Schedule / Funding / Scope- Update Cost change(s)

FUNDING CHANGES

NVTA

- Decrease funds in FY 2022 in PE from \$2,700,000 to \$0
- Decrease funds in FY 2022 in ROW from \$111,788,038 to \$0
- Decrease funds in FY 2023 in CON from \$194,106,962 to \$0

RSTP

- + Increase funds in FY 2022 in PE from \$0 to \$1,680,000
- + Increase funds in FY 2025 in PE from \$0 to \$3,530,100
- + Increase funds in FY 2022 in PE from \$0 to \$760,000
- + Increase funds in FY 2025 in ROW from \$0 to \$39,207,164
- + Increase funds in FY 2025 in ROW from \$0 to \$36,159,670
- + Increase funds in FY 2027 in ROW from \$0 to \$16,000,000

DC/STATE

- + Increase funds in FY 2022 in PE from \$0 to \$420,000
- + Increase funds in FY 2025 in PE from \$0 to \$882,525
- + Increase funds in FY 2022 in PE from \$0 to \$190,000
- + Increase funds in FY 2025 in ROW from \$0 to \$9,801,791
- + Increase funds in FY 2025 in ROW from \$0 to \$9,039,918
- + Increase funds in FY 2027 in ROW from \$0 to \$4,000,000

LOCAL

+ Increase funds in FY 2028 in CON from \$0 to \$143,509,632

FEDERAL PROJECT COST Increased from \$0 to \$81,336,934 (0%)

TOTAL PROJECT COST Decreased from \$308,595,000 to \$245,180,800 (-20.55%)

ATTACHMENT B PROGRAMMED SUMMARY BY FUND

Fund Type	Prior	2023	2024	2025	2026	Future	Total
FEDERAL							
RSTP	\$326,219,992	\$21,735,812	\$115,826,615	\$16,820,594	\$14,837,819	\$6,487,158	\$501,927,990
Federal Subtotal	\$326,219,992	\$21,735,812	\$115,826,615	\$16,820,594	\$14,837,819	\$6,487,158	\$501,927,990
STATE							
DC/STATE	\$1,648,246,226	\$107,381,406	\$959,109,195	\$15,445,189	\$65,153,525	\$49,682,888	\$2,845,018,429
State Subtotal	\$1,648,246,226	\$107,381,406	\$959,109,195	\$15,445,189	\$65,153,525	\$49,682,888	\$2,845,018,429
OTHER							
REVSH	\$52,088,000	\$31,647,148	\$8,350,321	\$11,628,965	\$0	\$17,344,527	\$121,058,961
Other Subtotal	\$52,088,000	\$31,647,148	\$8,350,321	\$11,628,965	\$0	\$17,344,527	\$121,058,961
Grand Total	\$2,026,554,218	\$160,764,366	\$1,083,286,131	\$43,894,748	\$79,991,344	\$73,514,573	\$3,468,005,380



COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Stephen C. Brich, P.E. Commissioner

1401 East Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23219

March 27, 2025

The Honorable James Walkinshaw, Chair National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments 777 North Capitol Street, N.E., Suite 300 Washington, DC 20002-4201

RE: FY 2023-2026 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Amendments:

- 1. Richmond Highway Corridor Improvements, Phase 2 (TIP ID 11602 / UPC 120800)
- 2. Seven Corners Ring Road IAR Study Only (TIP ID 13689 / UPC 127003)
- 3. Shirley Gate Road Extension (TIP ID 13695 / UPC 125754)

Dear Chair Walkinshaw:

The Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) requests the following amendments be added to the FY 2023-2026 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP).

Richmond Highway Corridor Improvements, Phase 2 (TIP ID 11602 / 120800)

This VDOT administered project will widen about a mile and a half of Richmond Highway from four to six lanes from 0.13 miles north of Frye Road to Sherwood Hall Lane. It will add separate two-way cycle tracks, sidewalks on both sides of the road, and a median to accommodate future BRT lanes. This amendment is needed to reflect an update in the project cost to include federal funding in the PE and RW phases. It was included in the financial analysis and the air quality conformity analysis for Visualize 2045 (2022 Update) and the FY 2023-2026 TIP. The proposed amendment will:

- Add \$1,680,000 (RSTP: FAST) Prior FFY for PE Phase
- Add \$420,000 (State) Prior FFY for PE Phase
- Add \$760,000 (RSTP: IIJA) Prior FFY for PE Phase
- Add \$190,000 (State) Prior FFY for PE Phase
- Add \$3,530,100 (RSTP) FFY25 for PE Phase
- Add \$882,525 (State) FFY25 for PE Phase
- Add \$39,207,164 (RSTP) FFY25 for RW Phase
- Add \$9,801,791 (State) FFY25 for RW Phase
- Add \$36,159,670 (RSTP-AC) FFY25 for RW Phase
- Add \$9,039,918 (State-AC) FFY25 for RW Phase
- Add \$16,000,000 (RSTP-ACC) FFY27 for RW Phase
- Add \$4,000,000 (State-ACC) FFY27 for RW Phase
- Add \$143,509,632 (Local) Future FFY for CN Phase

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Seven Corners Ring Road IAR Study Only (TIP ID 13689 / UPC 127003)

This new project is a study that will identify environmental concerns and evaluate the long term operational and safety alternatives for Seven Corners Ring Road in Fairfax County. This amendment is needed to reflect federal funding allocated for this study in the PE phase. This Fairfax County administered project is not considered regionally significant for air quality and is exempt from air quality conformity requirements. The proposed amendment will:

- Add \$640,000 (RSTP) FFY25 for PE Phase
- Add \$160,000 (State) FFY25 for PE Phase

Shirley Gate Extension (TIP ID T13695 / UPC 125754)

This Fairfax County administered project was originally included in the Visualize 2045 (2022 Update) and the FY 2023-2026 TIP as a four-lane extension along Shirley Gate Road between Braddock Road to Fairfax County Parkway. It included a proposed 10-foot-wide shared use path (SUP) on the north side and a 6-foot-wide sidewalk on the south side. The project scope has been reduced to a two-lane facility and will be reflected in a future update to Visualize2050 Plan and air quality conformity. The proposed amendment will:

- Add \$2,813,000 (State) FFY25 for PE Phase
- Add \$250,000 (REV SH) FFY25 for PE Phase
- Add \$250,000 (State) FFY25 for PE Phase
- Add \$4,368,000 (REV SH) Future FFY for RW Phase
- Add \$4,368,000 (State) Future FFY for RW Phase
- Add \$9,476,572.50 (REV SH) Future FFY for CN Phase
- Add \$9,476,572.50 (State) Future FFY for CN Phase

VDOT requests approval of this project to the TIP by the Transportation Planning Board's Steering Committee at its meeting on April 4, 2025. VDOT and county representatives will be available to answer any questions about these amendment requests.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

Bill Cuttler, P.E.

Northern Virginia District Engineer

Cc: Ms. Maria Sinner, P.E., VDOT-NoVA

Ms. Regina Moore, AICP, PTP, VDOT-NoVA

TPB SR39-2025 Approved by the TPB Steering Committee April 4, 2025

RESOLUTION ON AN AMENDMENT TO THE FY 2023-2026 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP) THAT IS EXEMPT FROM OR MEETS THE AIR QUALITY CONFORMITY REQUIREMENT TO INCLUDE TIP ACTION 23-59.3 WHICH ADDS FUNDS TO VIRGINIA RAILWAY EXPRESS (VRE) PROJECTS AND PROGRAMS TO INCLUDE L'ENFANT STATION AND TRACK EXPANSION, ONGOING VRE FLEET IMPROVEMENTS, AND ADDS A NEW PROJECT FOR THE EXPANSION AND RELOCATION OF THE VRE CRYSTAL CITY STATION AS REQUESTED BY THE VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF RAIL & PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION (DRPT)

WHEREAS, the National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board (TPB), as the federally designated metropolitan planning organization (MPO) for the Washington region, has the responsibility under the provisions of the Fixing America's Surface Transportation (FAST) Act, reauthorized November 15, 2021 when the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA) was signed into law, for developing and carrying out a continuing, cooperative and comprehensive transportation planning process for the metropolitan area; and

WHEREAS, the TIP is required by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) as a basis and condition for all federal funding assistance to state, local and regional agencies for transportation improvements within the Washington planning area; and

WHEREAS, on June 15, 2022 the TPB adopted the FY 2023-2026 TIP; and

WHEREAS, VDRPT has requested an amendment to the FY 2023-2026 TIP to include TIP Action 23-59.3, which makes the adjustments described below and in the attached materials for the following three projects or programs:

- L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track project (T11581) release a net total of \$31.52 million from the FY 2023-2026 program by releasing \$71.59 million in §5337-SGR, state, and local funding and adding \$40.07 million in §5307 and state funding to the four-year program total, and showing \$78.73 million projected beyond the horizon year of the TIP, bringing the total project cost to \$131.8 million,
- VRE Rolling Stock Modifications and Overhauls (T4818) add a net total of approximately \$7.1 million in §5337-SGR, state, and local funding to the four-year program total for the ongoing program, increasing the FY 2023-2026 program total cost to \$29.95 million,
- VRE Crystal City Station Improvements (T13624), adds funding for a new project with a total project cost of \$68.9 million, using FTA §5337-SGR, NVTA, state, and local sources; and

WHEREAS, the review and processing of the amendments included in this TIP Action have been conducted in accordance with the procedures detailed in the TPB's Public Participation Plan and the Procedures for Revisions to the Long-Range Transportation Plan and the Transportation Improvement Program; and

WHEREAS, the proposed amendments have been entered into the TPB's Project InfoTrak database under TIP Action 23-59.3 creating the 59th amended version of the FY 2023-2026 TIP, and the draft amendments were posted on the TPB's Steering Committee meeting page seven days in advance of the scheduled approval and can also be found for review online at www.mwcog.org/TIP/FY23-26/Amendments; and

WHEREAS, the L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track project (T11581) project was included in the Air Quality Conformity Analysis of the 2022 Update to Visualize 2045 and the FY 2023-2026 TIP and the other two projects and programs are exempt from the air quality conformity requirement, as defined in Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Transportation Conformity Regulations as of April 2012; and

WHEREAS, full funding for all projects and programs in this TIP Action was included in the Financial Analysis of the 2022 Update to Visualize 2045 and the FY 2023-2026 TIP, and the TIP remains fiscally constrained, as demonstrated in the attached materials; and

WHEREAS. the attached materials include:

ATTACHMENT A) Amendment Overview reports showing how the amended project and program records will appear in the TIP following approval, along with a complete listing of all changes made for the most recently approved record version(s),

ATTACHMENT B) Financial Constraint Summary Table demonstrating that the TIP is fiscally constrained.

ATTACHMENT C) Letter from VDRPT dated March 21, 2025, requesting the amendment; and

WHEREAS, this resolution and the amendment to the FY 2023-2026 TIP shall not be considered final until the Transportation Planning Board has had the opportunity to review and accept these materials at its next full meeting.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Steering Committee of the National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board amends the FY 2023-2026 TIP to include TIP Action 23-59.3 which makes the adjustments described below and in the attached materials for the following three projects or programs:

- L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track project (T11581): release a net total of \$31.52 million from the FY 2023-2026 program by releasing \$71.59 million in §5337-SGR, state, and local funding and adding a \$40.07 million in §5307 and state funding to the four-year program total, and showing \$78.73 million projected beyond the horizon year of the TIP, bringing the total project cost to \$131.8 million,
- VRE Rolling Stock Modifications and Overhauls (T4818): add a net total of approximately \$7.1 million in §5337-SGR, state, and local funding to the four-year program total for the ongoing program, increasing the FY 2023-2026 program total cost to \$29.95 million,
- VRE Crystal City Station Improvements (T13624): add funding for a new project with a total project cost of \$68.9 million, using FTA §5337-SGR, NVTA, state, and local sources.

Adopted by the TPB Steering Committee at its meeting on Friday, April 4, 2025.

T11581 - L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track

VRE Rail/Fixed Guideways - Washington

From Agency Project ID

L'Enfante (LE) Interlocking

Project Type County
Washington

Municipality
District of Columbia

To Completion Date Total Cost
Virginia (VA) Interlocking 2028 \$131,800,303

Project Desription

This project includes planning, design, permitting, and construction for an expanded VRE L'Enfant Station and an additional mainline track between L'Enfant (LE) and Virginia (VA) interlockings in Washington DC.

PHASE	FUND SOURCE	PRIOR	FY2023	FY2024	FY2025	FY2026	FUTURE	TOTAL
Preliminary Engineering	LOCAL	-	\$1,000,000	-	-	-	-	\$1,000,000
Preliminary Engineering	State (NM)	-	\$2,526,000	-	\$2,100,000	\$18,200,000	\$32,300,000	\$55,126,000
Total Preliminary Engineering		-	\$3,526,000	-	\$2,100,000	\$18,200,000	\$32,300,000	\$56,126,000
Construction	DC/STATE	-	-	-	\$4,678,356	-	\$4,160,000	\$8,838,356
Construction	LOCAL	-	-	-	\$1,169,589	-	\$1,040,000	\$2,209,589
Construction	S. 5307	-	-	-	\$23,391,777	-	\$20,800,000	\$44,191,777
Construction	TBD	-	-	-	-	-	\$20,434,581	\$20,434,581
Total Construction		-	-	-	\$29,239,722	-	\$46,434,581	\$75,674,303
Total Future Costs		-	-	-	-	-	\$78,734,581	\$78,734,581
Total Programmed		-	\$3,526,000	-	\$31,339,722	\$18,200,000	\$78,734,581	\$131,800,303

CURRENT CHANGE REASON	Schedule / Funding / Scope- Update Cost change(s) - Programming Update
	Lead Agency changed from "Virginia Department of Transportation" to "VRE"
	Plan Revision Name changed from "23-00" to "23-59.3 (VA)"
PROJECT CHANGES	Source Document Page/Record Link changed from "None" to "wwwvre.rg"
	Source Document changed from "None" to "VRE FY26-31 CIP"
	Secondary Agency changed from "VRE" to "None"
FUNDING CHANGES	S. 5337-SGR
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	+ Increase funds in FY 2027 in CON from \$0 to \$10,400,000
	+ Increase funds in FY 2028 in CON from \$0 to \$10,400,000
	LOCAL
	- Decrease funds in FY 2023 in PE from \$4,000,000 to \$1,000,000
	- Decrease funds in FY 2023 in CON from \$27,000,000 to \$0
	- Decrease funds in FY 2023 in CON from \$164,219 to \$0
	- Decrease funds in FY 2023 in CON from \$560,453 to \$0
	- Decrease funds in FY 2024 in CON from \$143,220 to \$0
	- Decrease funds in FY 2024 in CON from \$301,697 to \$0



- + Increase funds in FY 2025 in CON from \$0 to \$1,169,589
- + Increase funds in FY 2027 in CON from \$0 to \$520,000
- + Increase funds in FY 2028 in CON from \$0 to \$520,000

State (NM)

- + Increase funds in FY 2023 in PE from \$0 to \$2,526,000
- + Increase funds in FY 2025 in PE from \$0 to \$2,100,000
- + Increase funds in FY 2026 in PE from \$0 to \$18,200,000
- + Increase funds in FY 2027 in PE from \$0 to \$18,200,000
- + Increase funds in FY 2028 in PE from \$0 to \$14,100,000

DC/STATE

- Decrease funds in FY 2023 in PE from \$2,226,000 to \$0
- Decrease funds in FY 2023 in CON from \$22,124,277 to \$0
- Decrease funds in FY 2023 in CON from \$2,241,811 to \$0
- Decrease funds in FY 2023 in CON from \$656,877 to \$0
- Decrease funds in FY 2024 in CON from \$572,880 to \$0
- Decrease funds in FY 2024 in CON from \$1,206,788 to \$0
- + Increase funds in FY 2025 in CON from \$0 to \$4,678,356
- + Increase funds in FY 2027 in CON from \$0 to \$2,080,000
- + Increase funds in FY 2028 in CON from \$0 to \$2,080,000

TBD

+ Increase funds in FY 2028 in CON from \$0 to \$20,434,581

FEDERAL PROJECT COST

Increased from \$23,391,778 to \$44,191,777 (88.92%)

TOTAL PROJECT COST

Increased from \$84,590,000 to \$131,800,303 (55.81%)

T13624 - VRE Crystal City Station Improvements

Lead Agency Project Type

VRE Rail/Fixed Guideways - -

Capital/SGR

County

From Agency Project ID Municipality

-

To Completion Date Total Cost
- 2029 \$68,900,900

Project Desription

This project includes the planning, design, permitting, and construction for an expanded and relocated station and platform for the VRE Crystal City Station and related track modifications. The project will construct an island platform to enable simultaneous boarding of two trains and accommodate 8 car VRE trains and the planned fourth track in and around the station. The project will be delivered in two phases: Phase 1 will design and construct the north entrance and station platform. Phase 2 will design and construct the south entrance. This project is being coordinated with T6673, the Alexandria fourth track between AF and RO interlockings, and T6727, Long Bridge Project, by VPRA, T6681, CC2DCA pedestrian bridge connection to Ronald Reagan National Airport by Arlington County, and proposed Amtrak Crystal City station/platform.

PHASE	FUND SOURCE	PRIOR	FY2023	FY2024	FY2025	FY2026	FUTURE	TOTAL
Preliminary Engineering	DC/STATE	-	\$707,000	-	-	-	-	\$707,000
Preliminary Engineering	LOCAL	-	\$477,619	-	-	-	-	\$477,619
Preliminary Engineering	LOCAL (NM)	-	-	\$41,537	-	-	-	\$41,537
Preliminary Engineering	NVTA	-	\$4,400,000	-	-	-	-	\$4,400,000
Total Preliminary Engineering		-	\$5,584,619	\$41,537	-	-	-	\$5,626,156
Construction	DC/STATE	-	-	-	\$2,190,154	-	-	\$2,190,154
Construction	LOCAL	-	-	-	\$547,539	-	-	\$547,539
Construction	LOCAL (NM)	-	-	-	\$18,786,281	-	-	\$18,786,281
Construction	NVTA	-	-	\$7,900,000	\$7,900,000	-	-	\$15,800,000
Construction	S. 5337- SGR	-	-	-	\$10,950,770	-	-	\$10,950,770
Construction	State (NM)	-	\$15,000,000	-	-	-	-	\$15,000,000
Total Construction		-	\$15,000,000	\$7,900,000	\$40,374,744	-	-	\$63,274,744
Total Programmed		-	\$20,584,619	\$7,941,537	\$40,374,744	-	-	\$68,900,900

CURRENT	
CHANGE	New Project
REASON	
FEDERAL	
PROJECT	Stays the same \$10,950,770
COST	
TOTAL	
PROJECT	Stays the same \$68,900,900
COST	•
	Stays the same \$68,900,900

T4818 - VRE Rolling Stock Modifications and Overhauls

Lead Agency VRE	Project Type Bus/BRT - Maintenance	County -
From -	Agency Project ID VRE0001	Municipality Suburban VA
To -	Completion Date 2045	Total Cost \$29,946,427

Project Desription

Technological developments and safety mandates from the Federal Railroad Administration (FRA), may require ongoing improvements to the VRE fleet as well as other ongoing improvements consistent with VRE's rolling stock asset management program. Projects that bring VRE into compliance with future federal mandates will be given the highest funding priority. Implementing PTC as required by FRA.

PHASE	FUND SOURCE	PRIOR	FY2023	FY2024	FY2025	FY2026	FUTURE	TOTAL
Construction	DC/STATE	-	\$553,828	-	\$2,477,600	\$1,760,000	-	\$4,791,428
Construction	LOCAL	-	\$138,457	-	\$619,400	\$440,000	-	\$1,197,857
Construction	S. 5337- SGR	-	\$2,769,142	-	\$12,388,000	\$8,800,000	-	\$23,957,142
Total Construction		-	\$3,461,427	-	\$15,485,000	\$11,000,000	-	\$29,946,427
Total Programmed		-	\$3,461,427	-	\$15,485,000	\$11,000,000	-	\$29,946,427

CURRENT CHANGE	Schedule / Funding / Scope- Update Cost change(s) - Programming
REASON	Update
	Plan Revision Name changed from "23-17.3" to "23-59.3 (VA)"
	Source Document Page/Record Link changed from "None" to "www.vre.org"
PROJECT CHANGES	Source Document changed from "None" to "VRE FY26-31 CIP"
	Bicycle/Pedestrian Accommodations changed from "None" to "Not Applicable"
	Complete Streets changed from "None" to "Not Applicable"
FUNDING CHANGES	S. 5307
	- Decrease funds in FY 2023 in CON from \$8,290,025 to \$0
	S. 5337-SGR
	+ Increase funds in FY 2023 in CON from \$2,769,140 to \$2,769,142
	- Decrease funds in FY 2024 in CON from \$3,034,853 to \$0
	+ Increase funds in FY 2025 in CON from \$1,520,000 to \$12,388,000
	+ Increase funds in FY 2026 in CON from \$2,663,200 to \$8,800,000
	LOCAL
	- Decrease funds in FY 2023 in CON from \$414,501 to \$0
	- Decrease funds in FY 2024 in CON from \$151,743 to \$0
	+ Increase funds in FY 2025 in CON from \$228,000 to \$619,400
	+ Increase funds in FY 2026 in CON from \$399,480 to \$440,000
	DC/STATE
	- Decrease funds in FY 2023 in CON from \$1,658,005 to \$0
	- Decrease funds in FY 2024 in CON from \$606,971 to \$0
	+ Increase funds in FY 2025 in CON from \$152,000 to \$2,477,600
	+ Increase funds in FY 2026 in CON from \$266,320 to \$1,760,000
FEDERAL PROJECT COST	Increased from \$18,277,218 to \$23,957,142 (31.08%)
TOTAL PROJECT COST	Increased from \$22,846,523 to \$29,946,427 (31.08%)

ATTACHMENT B PROGRAMMED SUMMARY BY FUND

Fund Type	Prior	2023	2024	2025	2026	Future	FY23-FY26 Total	Total
FEDERAL								
S. 5307	\$0	\$44,108,881	\$7,598,167	\$52,535,807	\$1,397,801	\$51,938,800	\$105,640,656	\$157,579,456
S. 5337-SGR	\$0	\$79,106,811	\$27,448,036	\$81,482,303	\$15,556,921	\$31,138,800	\$203,594,071	\$234,732,871
Federal Subtotal	\$0	\$123,215,692	\$35,046,203	\$134,018,110	\$16,954,722	\$128,492,000	\$309,234,727	\$392,312,327
STATE & LOCAL								
DC/STATE	\$0	\$32,719,647	\$8,753,241	\$45,021,553	\$2,430,944	\$4,160,000	\$88,925,385	\$93,085,385
State (NM)	\$62,414,442	\$39,378,452	\$0	\$2,100,000	\$18,200,000	\$32,300,000	\$59,678,452	\$154,392,894
LOCAL	\$0	\$23,071,914	\$2,299,846	\$29,648,760	\$1,807,736	\$6,040,000	\$56,828,256	\$62,868,256
LOCAL (NM)	\$0	\$0	\$41,537	\$18,786,281	\$0	\$0	\$18,827,818	\$18,827,818
NVTA	\$0	\$21,800,000	\$15,800,000	\$15,800,000	\$0	\$6,145,103	\$53,400,000	\$59,545,103
State & Local Subtotal	\$62,414,442	\$116,970,013	\$26,894,624	\$111,356,594	\$22,438,680	\$48,645,103	\$277,659,911	\$388,719,456
OTHER								
TBD	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$124,594,581	\$0	\$124,594,581
Other Subtotal	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$124,594,581	\$0	\$124,594,581
Grand Total	\$62,414,442	\$240,185,705	\$61,940,827	\$245,374,704	\$39,393,402	\$313,085,284	\$586,894,638	\$905,626,364

ATTACHMENT C



COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

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March 21, 2025

The Honorable James Walkinshaw, Chair Chair, National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments 777 North Capitol Street, N.E., Suite 300 Washington, DC 20002-4202

Dear Chair Walkinshaw:

The Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation (DRPT) requests amendments to the <u>FY 2023-2026 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)</u> to add 1 new VRE project and amend 2 VRE projects. Please see VRE's request attached which includes a description of each project. A breakdown of the funding request for each project is included here:

VRE Rolling Stock Modifications and Overhauls (STIP ID: VRE0001, TIP ID: T4818)

- Deducts \$8,290,025 (FTA Section 5307) FFY23 for CON Phase
- Adds \$2 (FTA Section 5337) FFY23 for CON Phase
- Deducts \$1,658,005 (DC/State) FFY23 for CON Phase
- Deducts \$414,501 (Local Match) FFY23 for CON Phase

Total funding for Previous Funding reduces by \$6,217,521

- Deducts \$3,034,853 (FTA Section 5337) FFY24 for CON Phase
- Deducts \$606,971 (DC/State) FFY24 for CON Phase
- Deducts \$151,743 (Local Match) FFY24 for CON Phase
- Adds \$10,868,000 (FTA Section 5337) FFY25 for CON Phase
- Adds \$2,325,600 (DC/State) FFY25 for CON Phase
- Adds \$391,400 (Local Match) FFY25 for CON Phase
- Adds \$6,136,800 (FTA Section 5337) FFY26 for CON Phase
- Adds \$1,493,680 (DC/State) FFY26 for CON Phase
- Adds \$40,520 (Local Match) FFY26 for CON Phase
- Adds \$8,500,000 (FTA Section 5337) FFY27 for CON Phase
- Adds \$1,700,000 (DC/State) FFY27 for CON Phase



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• Adds \$425,000 (Local Match) FFY27 for CON Phase *Total funding for FY24-27 increases by \$21,950,633*

Total project cost= \$86,714,427

L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track (STIP ID: VRE0015, TIP ID: 11581)

- Deducts \$3,284,386 (FTA Section 5307) FFY23 for CON Phase
- Deducts \$11,209,053 (FTA Section 5337) FFV23 for CON Phase
- Deducts \$25,022,965 (DC/State) FFY23 for CON Phase
- Deducts \$27,724,672 (Local Match) FFY23 for CON Phase
- Deducts \$2,226,000 (DC/State) FFV23 for PE Phase
- Adds \$2,526,000 (State NM) FFY23 for PE Phase
- Deducts \$3,000,000 (Local Match) FFY23 for PE Phase

Total funding for Previous Funding reduces by \$69,941,076

- Deducts \$2,864,398 (FTA Section 5307) FFY24 for CON Phase
- Deducts \$6,033,941 (FTA Section 5337) FFY24 for CON Phase
- Deducts \$1,779,668 (DC/State) FFY24 for CON Phase
- Deducts \$444,917 (Local Match) FFY24 for CON Phase
- Adds \$23,391,777(FTA Section 5307) FFV25 for CON Phase
- Adds \$4,678,356 (DC/State) FFY25 for CON Phase
- Adds \$1,169,589 (Local Match) FFV25 for CON Phase
- Adds \$2,100,000 (State NM) FFY25 for PE Phase
- Adds \$18,200,000 (State NM) FFY26 for PE Phase
- Adds \$10,400,000(FTA Section 5307) FFY27 for CON Phase
- Adds \$2,080,000 (DC/State) FFY27 for CON Phase
- Adds \$520,000 (Local Match) FFY27 for CON Phase
- Adds \$18,200,000 (State NM) FFY27 for PE Phase

Total funding for FY24-27 funding increases by \$71,396,466

Total project cost = \$131,800,303

NEW PROJECT - VRE Crystal City Station Improvements (TIP ID: 13624)



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- Add \$15,000,000 (State (NM)) FFY23 for CON Phase
- Add \$477,619 (Local) FFY23 for PE Phase
- Add \$707,000 (DC/State) FFY23 for PE Phase
- Add \$4,400,000 (NVTA) FFY23 for PE Phase
- Add \$7,900,000 (NVTA) FFY24 for CON Phase
- Add \$41,537 (Local/Match) FFY24 for PE Phase
- Add \$10,950,770 (FTA Section 5337) FFY25 for CON Phase
- Add \$2,190,154 (DC/State) FFY25 for CON Phase
- Add \$547,539 (Local) FFY25 for CON Phase
- \$18,786,281 FFY25 (Local NM) FFY25 for CON Phase
- \$7,900,000 (NVTA) FFY25 for CON Phase

Total project cost = \$68,900,900

DRPT requests approval of this project to the TIP by the Transportation Planning Board's Steering Committee at its meeting on April 4, 2025. I will be present and available to answer any questions about this amendment request. Upon formal adoption from the Transportation Planning Board, the DRPT FY24-27 STIP will be updated to reflect the amended project.

Thank you for your assistance in facilitating this amendment action. Should you have any questions, please reach out to me at (703) 253-3334 or at amy.garbarini@drpt.virginia.gov.

Sincerely,

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DocuSigned by:

Amy Garbarini

Northern Virginia Manager of Transit Planning

CC: Cynthia Porter-Johnson Maria Sinner Andrew Austin Leonardo Pineda

Regina Moore

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Transportation Planning Board FROM: Kanti Srikanth, TPB Staff Director

SUBJECT: Letters Sent/Received

DATE: April 9, 2025

The attached letters were sent/received since the last TPB meeting.



March 12, 2025

The Honorable Steny Hoyer United States House of Representatives 1705 Longworth House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515

Re: Congressionally Directed Funding for Charles County, VanGO Transit Facility Project

Dear Congressman Steny Hoyer:

I am writing to express the support of the National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board (TPB), the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the National Capital Region, for a request by Charles County, Maryland for federal funding through Congressionally Directed Spending appropriations for the VanGO Transit Facility Project.

The Project will support the construction of a dedicated transit operations and maintenance facility for Charles County's public transit system, VanGO. Construction of a County-owned facility will support improvements to its fleet maintenance program, improve competition when the contracted service is put out to bid, provide improved facilities for drivers and operational personnel, and support other fleet goals. This Project will allow the County to better serve its citizens' transportation needs.

The project is consistent with the regional transportation goals adopted by the TPB in our Regional Transportation Priorities Plan and as identified in the Washington region's metropolitan transportation plan, Visualize 2045. The TPB has long-supported investment in transportation to support improvements in the region's bus systems. Improvements in the region's bus systems will provide benefits to the region's residents and visitors through higher quality transportation options. The support and promotion of public transportation are key strategies of our adopted Regional Transportation Priorities Plan.

The TPB requests your favorable consideration of this request by the Charles County. I anticipate that upon a successful grant award, subject to the availability of the required matching funding, the region's transportation improvement program (TIP) will be amended to include the grant funding for this project.

Sincerely,

James Walkinshaw

Chair, National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board

Cc: Mr. Jeffry Barnett, Transit Division Chief, Charles County



March 12, 2025

The Honorable Angela Alsobrooks United States Senate SD-B40E Dirksen Senate Office Building Washington, DC 20510

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Transportation Planning BoardFROM: Kanti Srikanth, TPB Staff DirectorSUBJECT: Announcements and Updates

DATE: April 9, 2025

The attached documents provide updates on activities that are not included as separate items on the TPB agenda.



MEMORANDUM

TO: Transportation Planning Board

FROM: Victoria Caudullo, Transportation Planner

SUBJECT: Upcoming Solicitations for Applications for the Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside

Program

DATE: April 9, 2025

The next application period in Maryland for the Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside (TA Set-Aside or TAP) Program is currently open and will close on April 30, 2025. Applications in Maryland must be submitted through the Maryland Department of Transportation (MDOT), which is also responsible for selecting projects using a statewide TA Set-Aside allocation. See www.mdot.maryland.gov for more information.

The pre-application period in Virginia for the Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside (TA Set-Aside or TAP) Program is currently open and will close on May 30, 2025. Full applications are due on September 15, 2025. Pre-applications are a requirement of the Virginia TA Set-Aside process. Applications in Virginia must be submitted through the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT). See www.vdot.virginia.gov for more information.

BACKGROUND

The TA Set-Aside, also known as TAP, is a federal program that funds smaller-scale capital improvement projects such as pedestrian and bicycle facilities, trails, safe routes to school (SRTS) projects, environmental mitigation, and other community improvements. Information on the program is available from FHWA at: https://www.fhwa.dot.gov/environment/transportation_alternatives/.

Under federal law, a portion of the program's funds are suballocated to the TPB, which is responsible for selecting projects for our region's portions of DC, Maryland, and Virginia. The TPB is currently expected to approve funding for the next round of Maryland projects in July 2025 and Virginia projects in February of 2026. Virginia and the District of Columbia conduct their solicitations on a two-year cycle. The District of Columbia's next application period will be conducted in 2026.

Past recipients of technical assistance through the TPB's Transportation Land Use Connections (TLC) Program are encouraged to consider seeking funding for capital improvements through the TA Set-Aside Program. The TPB also encourages TA Set-Aside applications that support policies highlighted in Visualize 2045, our region's adopted long-range transportation plan. The TPB's selection criteria, which are expected to be used this year, include:

- Focus on expanding nonmotorized transportation options;
- Enhancing roadway safety for walkers and bicyclists;
- Support for Regional Activity Centers;
- Access to high-capacity transit, especially in Transit Access Focus Areas (TAFAs);

- Support for the National Capital Trail Network;
- Access in Equity Emphasis Areas; and
- Increased access for people with disabilities.

For more information about the TPB's role in this program, please contact Victoria Caudullo vcaudullo@mwcog.org or 202-962-3200. For information about the Maryland application process, contact Britney Jackson at bjackson3@mdot.maryland.gov. For information about the Virginia application process, contact Brittany Voll at brittany.voll@vdot.virginia.gov.