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& Air Quality Conformity Determination

August 2020

Metropolitan Transportation Planning Process Certification

- Documents that East-West Gateway meets the federal planning requirements
- Included as Appendix A of TIP

Appendix A

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PROCESS CERTIFICATION

In accordance with 23 CFR § 450.336, the Illinois Department of Transportation, the Missouri Department of Transportation, and the East-West Gateway Council of Governments (EWGCOG), the Metropolitan Planning Organization for the St. Louis urbanized area, "certifies" that the transportation planning process is addressing the major issues in the metropolitan planning area and is being conducted in accordance with all applicable requirements of:

1. 23 U.S.C. § 134, 49 U.S.C. § 5303, and 23 CFR Part 450 Subpart C;
2. Sections 174 and 176(c) and (d) of the Clean Air Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. §§ 7504, 7506(c) and (d)) and 40 CFR Part 93;
3. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended (42 U.S.C. § 2000d *et seq.*) and 49 CFR Part 21;
4. 49 U.S.C. § 5332 prohibiting discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, disability, or age in employment or business opportunity;
5. Section 1101(b) of the Fixing America's Surface Transportation (FAST) Act (Pub. L. No. 114-357) and 49 CFR Part 26 regarding the involvement of disadvantaged business enterprises in U.S. DOT funded projects;
6. 23 CFR Part 230, regarding the implementation of an equal employment opportunity program on federal and federal-aid highway construction contracts;
7. The provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. § 12101 *et seq.*) and 49 CFR Parts 27, 37, and 38;
8. The Older Americans Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. § 6101 *et seq.*) prohibiting discrimination on the basis of age in programs or activities receiving federal financial assistance;
9. Section 324 of the Title 23 U.S.C. regarding the prohibition of discrimination based on gender; and
10. Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. § 794 *et seq.*) and 49 CFR Part 27 regarding discrimination against individuals with disabilities.

EWGCOG is exempt from the requirements of 23 U.S.C § 134(d)(2) and 49 U.S.C. § 5303(d)(2), as amended by the FAST Act §§ 1201 and 3003 because: (1) EWGCOG operates pursuant to the Missouri State and Regional Planning and Community Development Act (Mo. Rev. Stat. Chapter 251) and the Missouri Nonprofit Corporation Act (Mo. Rev. Stat. Chapter 355), which were both in effect on or before December 18, 1991; (2) these Missouri laws have not been amended after December 18, 1991, as regards EWGCOG's structure or organization; and (3) EWGCOG has not been designated or re-designated after December 18, 1991.

Appendix A signatures will be included after Board approval.

Signature	Signature	Signature
Mr. Steve Ehlmann Chairman, Board of Directors East-West Gateway Council of Governments	Mr. Keith Roberts, Acting Region Five Engineer Illinois Department of Transportation	Mr. Tom Blair, District Engineer St. Louis District Missouri Department of Transportation
August 26, 2020 Date	August 26, 2020 Date	August 28, 2020 Date

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Air Quality
Conformity Determination

- Projects must be analyzed to determine conformity with air quality plans and budgets
- All projects must be included in the analysis - - significant projects are "called out" and scrutinized
- Projects not included in the analysis can not progress toward implementation

Transportation Improvement Program

- Annually updated program of projects
- Projects must be included in the TIP to access federal funds
- Board adopted policies utilized to develop the document

Transportation Improvement Program

- Includes description of projects, total cost, and federal funds proposed to be obligated
- Demonstrates fiscal constraint

Summary of Changes to the FY 2021-2024 TIP ($ in millions)						
Program	Draft TIP		Final TIP		Net Effect	
	#	Cost	#	Cost	#	Cost
IDOT	0	$0	18	$111.7	+18	+$111.7
MoDOT	154	$792.1	154	$795.2	0	+$3.1
Transit	175	$665.2	176	$677.2	+1	+$12.0
Local	331	$563.6	363	$602.0	+32	+$38.4
Total	660	$2,020.9	711	$2,186.1	+51	+$165.2

Public Engagement
June 30– August 5

- TIP and Air Quality documents posted to EWG website
  - Comment form on website
- Two virtual open houses
  - July 14
  - July 23
  - 27 total attendees
- 3 comments

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Air Quality Conformity Determination and Documentation 8-Hour Ozone
FY 2021 - 2024 Transportation Improvement Program and Related Amendments to Update Connected2045, the Transportation Plan for the St. Louis Region
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