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MEMORANDUM

TO: **Missouri Transportation Planning Committee**

FROM: **East-West Gateway Staff**

DATE: **February 25, 2021**

SUBJECT: **Wednesday, March 3, 2021 meeting**

DUE TO THE OUTBREAK OF COVID-19, THE COUNCIL'S OFFICES ARE CURRENTLY CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC AND WILL BE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

The next meeting of the Missouri subcommittee of the Transportation Planning Committee (TPC) is scheduled for Wednesday, March 3, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. The TPC will take place via video conference using the gotomeeting webinar platform.

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If you have any questions or concerns regarding the enclosed materials or the upcoming meeting please contact EWGCOG. The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

AGENDA

1. Call to order
2. I-64/22nd Street Corridor Improvements – John Kohler, City of St. Louis and Ramin Ashrafzadeh, Horner & Shifrin
3. FY 2022-2025 TIP – STP-S & CMAQ Summary of Submitted Applications, Jason Lange, EWG
4. Roadway functional classification revision – Brenden Giblin, EWG – **ACTION ITEM**
5. Reasonable Progress – Brad Williams, EWG
6. Other Business
   - Next meeting scheduled for Wednesday, April 7, 2021 at 2 PM

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To: Transportation Planning Committee

From: Staff

Date: February 25, 2021

Subject: Functional Classification Update

Functional classification is the process by which all roadways are grouped into classes according to the type of service they provide. The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) requires the use of functional classification to determine eligibility for federal funding. There are three principal roadway classifications: arterial, collector, and local roads. To be eligible for Surface Transportation Block Grant – Suballocated (STP-S) funds, a roadway must be classified as a minor collector or higher in an urban area or a major collector or higher in a rural area.

In order to accurately reflect changes in land use and travel patterns, staff, along with the Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT) and the Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) solicits revision applications from member agencies semi-annually and conducts a full system review every three to five years. County and municipal officials submitted applications requesting functional class changes to East-West Gateway in May and November of 2020. Staff worked with MoDOT and local officials to prepare this update.

The applications were reviewed in the context of FHWA guidelines including mobility, accessibility, and connectivity. Requested changes are recommended where it is deemed that a road's current classification is no longer consistent with its function. Sometimes, current conditions do not support a change in classification as requested.

At this time, a total of five changes in Missouri are recommended to the system. Four applications are not recommended because they do not meet the criteria for a change in classification at this time. A list showing the recommended changes is included in this memo. Once approved by the Board of Directors, the update will be sent to MoDOT headquarters for final review and subsequent submittal to FHWA for final approval.

Staff Recommendation:
Staff recommends adoption of the functional classification update as shown on the following pages.

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Recommended Functional Classification Modifications - Missouri

Name	Segment Limits	Mileage	County	Requesting Agency	Federal-Aid Urbanized Area Boundary	Current Classification	Recommended Classification
Ries Road	Manchester Road to Big Bend Road	1.80	St. Louis	Ballwin	Urban	Major Collector	Minor Arterial
Buckner Road	S Point Prairie Road to Hwy Z	2.01	St. Charles	St. Charles County	Urban	Local Road	Minor Collector
S Point Prairie Road	Highway N to Buckner Road	0.26	St. Charles	St. Charles County	Urban	Local Road	Minor Collector
Carol Park Road	Carol Park Road to Victoria Drive	0.03	Jefferson	MoDOT	Urban	Major Collector	Local Road
Carol Park Road	Victoria Drive to Gravois Road	0.02	Jefferson	MoDOT	Urban	Local Road	Major Collector

Not Recommended Functional Classification Modifications - Missouri

Name	Segment Limits	Mileage	County	Requesting Agency	Federal-Aid Urbanized Area Boundary	Current Classification	Recommended Classification
Lonedell Road	Missouri State Road to Pomme Road	0.85	Jefferson	Arnold	Urban	Major Collector	Major Collector
Flatwoods Road	Lincoln County to Hwy Y	0.42	St. Charles	St. Charles County	Rural	Minor Collector	Minor Collector
Huster Road	Fountain Lakes Boulevard to Hwy B	1.83	St. Charles	St. Charles County	Rural/Urban	Local	Local
Matson Hill Road	Alice Ave/Rte. 94 to Matson Hill Park	1.68	St. Charles	St. Charles County	Rural	Local	Local