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October 19, 2022

Mr. Kevin Ward
Regional Administrator
Federal Highway Administration
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Dear Mr. Ward:

SUBJECT: St. Louis Metropolitan Area
FY 2023-2026 Transportation Improvement Program
East-West Gateway Council of Governments (EWG)
Approval to Incorporate TIP Amendment one into the FY 2023-2027 STIP

As required by the 2021 Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL), MoDOT received approval from Governor Parson for a "Highway Only" TIP amendment for the St. Louis metropolitan area, which includes the addition of four MoDOT construction projects and one scoping project. We are also requesting the modification of two MoDOT projects. These projects are exempt or have already been included in an air quality conformity analysis.

Enclosed is a copy of the Governor's approval letter and supporting documentation. The EWG Board of Directors approved the TIP amendments on September 28, 2022. All public involvement considerations have been met, no comments were received and fiscal constraint has been ensured.

We request approval of incorporating this TIP amendment into the FY 2023-2027 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

Michael E. Henderson

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October 3, 2022

The Honorable Michael L. Parson
Governor of Missouri
State Capitol
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Dear Governor Parson:

The East-West Gateway Council of Governments Board of Directors approved an amendment to the FY 2023-2026 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for the St. Louis, Missouri metropolitan area, September 28, 2022. MoDOT is requesting approval of the addition of four MoDOT construction projects and one scoping project. We are also requesting the modification of two MoDOT construction projects. We are satisfied the federal requirements have been met in the development of this TIP amendment, including the opportunity for public comment. No public comments were received.

Enclosed is a copy of the TIP amendment for your review. We request approval at your earliest convenience so project authorization can proceed in St. Louis metropolitan area.

Sincerely,


Patrick K. McKenna
Director

Enclosure

Approved:



Governor of Missouri

Date:

October 11, 2022



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Memo to: Board of Directors

From: Staff

Subject: Modifications to the FY 2023-2026 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP), *Connected2045*, and the Related Air Quality Conformity Determination – Requested by Missouri Sponsors

Date: September 13, 2022

The Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT) has requested to amend the FY 2023-2026 TIP, *Connected2045*, and the related Air Quality Conformity Determination. In all, they are requesting to add four new projects, modify two projects, and add one new scoping project. This memo outlines the requested changes.

Missouri New Projects

MoDOT has requested to add four new projects to the FY 2023-2026 TIP. Funding for 7230Z-23, 7265A-23, and 7265B-23 is coming from available statewide safety funds. Funding for 7265C-23 is coming from available statewide bridge funds. MoDOT intends to use advance construction for this project, meaning that this project initially will be funded with 100 percent state funds from MoDOT’s operations budget until federal funds become available.

The new projects are summarized on the following table:

New Projects – Missouri					
Sponsor / TIP #	Title - Limits	Description of Work	County	Federal Cost	Total Cost
MoDOT / 7230Z-23	I-70 - St. Charles and St. Louis Counties and St. Louis City	Striping upgrades	Multi-County-MO	\$1,124,100	\$1,249,000
MoDOT / 7265A-23	I-44 - Franklin and St. Louis Counties and St. Louis City	Striping upgrades	Multi-County-MO	\$1,566,000	\$1,740,000
MoDOT / 7265B-23	I-170 – I-270 to I-64	Striping upgrades	St. Louis	\$126,000	\$140,000

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New Projects – Missouri					
Sponsor / TIP #	Title - Limits	Description of Work	County	Federal Cost	Total Cost
MoDOT / 7265C-23	Technology Dr - Over Dardenne Creek	Bridge replacement	St. Charles	\$0	\$2,301,000
TOTAL:				\$2,816,100	\$5,430,000

Missouri Modified Projects

MoDOT has requested to modify two projects currently programmed in the FY 2023-2026 TIP.

The projects are summarized on the following table:

Modified Projects - Missouri				
Sponsor/ TIP #/ County/ Sponsor #	Project Title - Limits	Description of Work	Current Cost / Revised Cost	Reason for Change
MoDOT/ 7230B-23 / Franklin / SL0085	MO 100 –Yeates Rd to MO KK, MO YY –MO 185 to MO A, & MO 185 – MO 100 to MO 50	Pavement preservation	\$564,000 / \$772,000	Additional improvements identified along MO 100 & MO YY
MoDOT / 6989N-20 / Multi-County-MO / 6P3496	Safety Improvements – At various locations in the St. Louis District	Safety improvements	\$32,001,000 / \$43,522,000	Statewide safety funding added to increase the design-build budget

Missouri Scoping Project

MoDOT has requested to add one scoping project. MoDOT's scoping policy is intended to ensure that projects have defined scopes and construction cost estimates before they are committed to the TIP. At this time, there is no construction funding committed to this project and the project entails preliminary engineering only (30 percent engineering).

The new scoping project is summarized on the following table:

New Scoping Project - Missouri				
Sponsor / TIP #/ Sponsor #	Title – Limits	Description of Work	County	Fed/Total Cost for Design
MoDOT / 7265D-23 / SL0117	MO 367 - I-270 to Halls Ferry Circle	Scoping for safety and operational improvements	St. Louis	\$160,000 / \$200,000

Staff Recommendation: Staff recommends that the FY 2023-2026 TIP, *Connected2045*, and related Air Quality Conformity Determination be revised to add four new projects, modify two projects, and add one new scoping project as summarized above and detailed in the attachment. These projects are exempt (40 CFR 93.126) or not regionally significant with respect to air quality in accordance with federal regulations.

Amendment # 0922-001
TIP # 7230Z-23
Sponsor # SL0115

PROJECT SPONSOR: MoDOT

ACTION REQUESTED: Revise FY 2023 of the FY 2023-2026 TIP to add a project

TITLE: I-70

LIMITS: St. Charles and St. Louis Counties and St. Louis City

DESCRIPTION: Striping upgrades

COUNTY: Multi-County-MO

FUNDING SOURCE: Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP)

	Federal	Match	Total
PE	\$114,300	\$12,700	\$127,000
ROW	\$0	\$0	\$0
Implementation	\$1,009,800	\$112,200	\$1,122,000
Total	\$1,124,100	\$124,900	\$1,249,000

AIR QUALITY CONFORMITY: Exempt – Highway Safety Improvement Program implementation (§ 93.126)

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Approval

Amendment # 0922-002
TIP # 7265A-23
Sponsor # SL0114

PROJECT SPONSOR: MoDOT

ACTION REQUESTED: Revise FY 2023 of the FY 2023-2026 TIP to add a project

TITLE: I-44

LIMITS: Franklin and St. Louis Counties and St. Louis City

DESCRIPTION: Striping upgrades

COUNTY: Multi-County-MO

FUNDING SOURCE: Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP)

	Federal	Match	Total
PE	\$143,100	\$15,900	\$159,000
ROW	\$0	\$0	\$0
Implementation	\$1,422,900	\$158,100	\$1,581,000
Total	\$1,566,000	\$174,000	\$1,740,000

AIR QUALITY CONFORMITY: Exempt – Highway Safety Improvement Program implementation (§ 93.126)

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Approval

Amendment # 0922-003
TIP # 7265B-23
Sponsor # SL0113

PROJECT SPONSOR: MoDOT

ACTION REQUESTED: Revise FY 2023 of the FY 2023-2026 TIP to add a project

TITLE: I-170

LIMITS: I-270 to I-64

DESCRIPTION: Striping upgrades

COUNTY: St. Louis

FUNDING SOURCE: Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP)

	Federal	Match	Total
PE	\$16,200	\$1,800	\$18,000
ROW	\$0	\$0	\$0
Implementation	\$109,800	\$12,200	\$122,000
Total	\$126,000	\$14,000	\$140,000

AIR QUALITY CONFORMITY: Exempt – Highway Safety Improvement Program implementation (§ 93.126)

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Approval

Amendment # 0922-004
TIP # 7265C-23
Sponsor # SL0112

PROJECT SPONSOR: MoDOT

ACTION REQUESTED: Revise FY 2023, 2024, 2025, and 2026 of the FY 2023-2026 TIP to add a project

TITLE: Technology Dr

LIMITS: Over Dardenne Creek

DESCRIPTION: Bridge replacement

COUNTY: St. Charles

FUNDING SOURCE: State Advance Construction (STAC*)

	Federal	Match	Total
PE	\$0	\$328,000	\$328,000
ROW	\$0	\$0	\$0
Implementation		\$1,973,000	\$1,973,000
Total	\$0	\$2,301,000	\$2,301,000

*\$1,841,000 to be converted to Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG) at a later date.

AIR QUALITY

CONFORMITY: Exempt – Widening narrow pavements or reconstructing bridges (no additional travel lanes). (§ 93.126)

STAFF

RECOMMENDATION: Approval