I. Proposed Action:

Modify the FY 2019-2022 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include an Amendment, Resolution No. 20-24 TIP 11 to the Evansville-Henderson Area Metropolitan Planning Organization’s FY 2020-2024 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP).

Location:

Evansville-Henderson Metropolitan Planning Organization Area

Scope of Activity:

See the attachment for more detail information.

II. Additional Remarks:

This modification to the STIP will become part of the 2018 STIP end of Federal Fiscal Year 2020 “fiscal constraint” recalculations.

III. Administrative Modification Approval:

Modification Recommended for Approval: Kentucky Transportation Cabinet Ronald B. Rigney, Director Division of Program Management Date 6-19-20

Approval of Modification:

JOHN D BALLANTYNE

Federal Highway Administration Date

Recommended by:

BERNADETTE S DUPONT

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June 11, 2020

Ms. Sharon Emery, Transportation Planner
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Indiana Department of Transportation
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Mr. John Moore, Acting Director
Division of Planning
Kentucky Transportation Cabinet
200 Mero Street, 5th Floor
Frankfort, KY 40622

Dear Ms. Emery and Mr. Moore:

The Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization has amended the FY 2020-2024 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) to include/revise the following projects.

The City of Henderson requested the following amendment:

Item # 02-321 Green River Road sidewalk construction from Bend Gae Rd to Osage Dr. Add Right of Way (RW) in FY 2020 at a total of $35,000 and move Construction (CN) from FY 2020 to FY 2021. Costs will be funded with 80% Transportation Alternatives (TA) funds with a 20% Local match.

The Evansville MPO Policy Committee approved the amendment at their June 11, 2020 meeting. The amendment resolution and public notice information are attached. The revised document is available at www.evansvillempo.com.

Thank you for your assistance and should you have any questions or require additional information, please call me at (812) 436-7833.

Sincerely,

Seyed Shokouhzadeh
Executive Director

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cc: Erica Tait, IN – FHWA
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RESOLUTION NO. 20-24 TIP-11

A RESOLUTION APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO THE EVANSVILLE METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION’S FY 2020 - 2024 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization is the organization designated by the Governor as the Metropolitan Planning Organization responsible, together with the State, for carrying out the provisions of 23 U.S.C. 134 (Federal-Aid Highway planning requirements), and capable of meeting the requirements of 49 U.S.C. 5303 (Federal Transit planning requirements) in the Evansville Urbanized Area; and

WHEREAS, the Policy Committee is the policy body of the Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization; and

WHEREAS, all federally funded highway and transit improvements within the MPO planning area must be included in the MPO Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) prior to the expenditure of federal funds; and

WHEREAS, the MPO consulted with the Interagency Consultation Group and the agencies concurred in the MPO finding that the TIP amendment projects are within the non-attainment area and are exempt, per 40 CFR 93.126 & 127, and there is no need to update the conformity analysis or issue a new conformity finding; and

WHEREAS, the MPO Public Participation Plan does not require a separate public involvement meeting for TIP amendments, and the public participation procedure was followed; and

WHEREAS, this amendment will result in a TIP that remains fiscally constrained; and

WHEREAS, any changes to Kentucky non-dedicated funds projects have been requested by KYTC. The required funds will become part of the KY STIP end of fiscal year “fiscal constraint” recalculations; and

WHEREAS, the Policy Committee of the Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization from time to time amends its TIP;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, that the Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization’s FY 2020 – 2024 Transportation Improvement Program is amended as follows:

Item # 02-321  Green River Road sidewalk construction from Bend Gate Rd to Osage Dr. Add Right of Way (RW) in FY 2020 at a total of $35,000 and move Construction (CN) from FY 2020 to FY 2021. Costs will be funded with 80% Transportation Alternatives (TA) funds with a 20% Local match.

ADOPTED by the Policy Committee of the Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization on this 11th day of June 2020.

[Signature]
Mr. Jack Corn, Jr., Chairperson
Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization
Policy Committee

Evansville MPO Transportation Improvement Program Amendment:

Public review and comment is being sought by the Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) concerning proposed amendments to the 2020-2024 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for the Evansville-Henderson Urbanized Area as described below:

The City of Henderson requested the following amendment:

Item # 02-321 Greer River Road sidewalk construction from Bend Gate Rd. to Osage Dr. Add Right of Way (RW) in FY 2020 at a total of $35,000 and move Construction (CN) from FY 2020 to FY 2021. Costs will be funded with 80% Transportation Alternatives (TA) funds with a 20% Local match.

The proposed amendment will be acted on at the Evansville MPO Policy Committee Meeting to be held at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, June 11, 2020 in the Locust Meeting Rooms B & C, Old National Events Plaza, 715 Locust Street, Evansville, IN 47708. The public is welcome to attend, but attendance will be limited to twenty-five (25) persons (including Committee members and staff) with first preference given to the media. The following procedures will be followed:

- Access into ONEP will be limited to the Locust 2 Door.
- No admittance will be allowed until five (5) minutes before the start of the meeting.
- Admittance into ONEP will be limited to twenty-five (25) persons.
- All participants and attendees will have their temperature screened upon entry. Those whose temperature exceeds 100 degrees will not be admitted to the venue.
- Facemasks will be enforced in public areas of the venue.

The meeting will be available to live stream on the Old National Events Plaza Facebook live feed https://www.facebook.com/pg/oldnationaleventsplaza/videos/.

Public comments on the proposed amendment may be made by phone to the Evansville MPO office at (812) 436-7833 or by e-mail at comments@evansvillempo.com. Comments will be received until June 10, 2020. The Evansville MPO will present all comments received on the amendment to the Policy Committee during the June 11 meeting prior to Committee action.

The Evansville MPO will provide reasonable accommodations to individuals with a disability or who require language assistance that wish to attend the Evansville MPO Policy Committee Meeting. Because this may require outside assistance, please make requests one week prior to the meeting by calling the MPO office at 812-436-7833, by email at mshreifer@evansvillempo.com, or by writing to: Evansville MPO, Civic Center Complex Room 316, 1 N.W. Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd, Evansville, Indiana 47708. If you require any additional assistance in acquiring or reviewing a document, please contact the office by phone or email and we will do our best to accommodate your needs.