

Larry Hogan Governor Boyd K. Rutherford Lt. Governor Gregory Slater Acting Secretary

February 18, 2022

Mr. Gregory Murrill
Division Administrator
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Baltimore MD 21201

Ms. Terry Garcia Crews Regional Administrator Attn: Mr. Ryan Long Federal Transit Administration, Region III 1835 Market Street, Suite 1910 Philadelphia PA 19103-2968

Dear Mr. Murrill and Ms. Crews:

The Maryland Department of Transportation (MDOT) hereby requests to amend the Fiscal Year (FY) 2022-2025 Maryland Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to reflect the changes to two existing projects and one new project in the FY 2021-2024 National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board (TPB) Transportation Improvement Program (TIP).

This amendment updates the MDOT State Highway Administration (MDOT SHA) programmed expenditures and project schedule for the MD 337 at MD 218 and I-95/I-495 Northbound Exit BRAC Intersection Improvements project (TIP #6392) and adds the new I-95/I-495 Interchange at Medical Center Drive project (TIP #11578) to the STIP.

Additionally, the Poplar Hill Road Bridge over Zekiah Swamp Run (TIP #6582) was amended on behalf of the Charles County Department of Planning & Growth Management for additional federal construction funds to replace the aging structure. The TPB approved the amendments to its TIP on February 4, 2022, and MDOT has assigned Control #22-15 for this amendment to the STIP. The approval and supporting documentation are attached.

Mr. Gregory Murrill Ms. Terry Garcia Crews Page Two

Project Name	STIP#	TIP#	Kunding	FY22-FY25 Net Federal Change (in 000's)
MD 337 at MD 218 and I-95/I-495 Northbound Exit BRAC Intersection Improvements, Morningside	6392	6392	OEA, STBG, State	\$11,139
I-95/I-495 Interchange at Medical Center Drive, Lake Arbor/Summerfield	11578	11578	NHPP, State	\$8,550
Poplar Hill Road Bridge over Zekiah Swamp Run	6582	6582	STBG, Local	\$2,450

The Maryland Statewide Transportation Improvement Program continues to be fiscally constrained. Should you have additional questions or concerns, please contact Ms. Kari Snyder at 410-865-1305, toll free 888-713-1414 or via e-mail at ksnyder3@mdot.state.md.us. Of course, please feel free to contact me directly.

Sincerely,

Tyson Byrne

Regional Planning Manager

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Office of Planning and Capital Programming

Attachment

cc: Ms. Kari Snyder, Regional Planner, OPCP, MDOT

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

RESOLUTION ON AN AMENDMENT TO THE FY 2021-2024 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP) THAT IS EXEMPT FROM THE AIR QUALITY CONFORMITY REQUIREMENT TO INCLUDE TIP ACTION 21-45 TO ADD THE MD 337 AT MD 218 AND I-95/I-495 NORTHBOUND EXIT BRAC INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENT PROJECT AND THE I-95/I-495 INTERCHANGE AT MEDICAL CENTER DRIVE STUDY, 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 March 18, 2020 the TPB adopted the FY 2021-2024 TIP; and

WHEREAS, MDOT has requested an amendment to the FY 2021-2024 TIP to include TIP Action 21-45 which adds \$11.725 million in Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG) program and state funds for construction of the MD 337 at MD 218 and I-95/I-495 Northbound Exit BRAC Intersection Improvements project (ID T6392), and \$9.5 million in National Highway Performance Program (NHPP) and state funds for preliminary engineering (PE) on the I-95/I-495 Interchange at Medical Center Drive study (ID T11578) as described in the attached materials; and

WHEREAS, the attached materials include: Attachment A) TIP Project Overview report showing how both projects will appear in the TIP after the action is approved and Attachment B) a letter from MDOT dated January 25, 2022 requesting the amendment; and

WHEREAS, both projects have been entered in the TPB's Project InfoTrak database application under TIP Action 21-45, creating the 45th version of the FY 2021-2024 TIP, which supersedes all previous versions of the TIP and can be viewed online at www.mwcog.org/ProjectInfoTrak; and

WHEREAS, full funding for the MD 337 intersection improvements project is included in the Visualize 2045 financial analysis and in the attached letter MDOT states that the \$9.5 million for the interchange at Medical Center Drive study has been identified in their updated programming expenditures and does not come at detriment to any other projects currently included in the Air Quality Conformity Analysis of the 2020 Amendment to Visualize 2045 and the FY 2021-2024 TIP; and

WHEREAS, the MD 337 intersection improvements project and the interchange at Medical Center Drive study 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, once the interchange at Medical Center Drive study is complete and the proposed configuration of the interchange has been determined, the project will need to be reviewed to determine if it needs to be included in the conformity analysis of the plan and TIP before moving forward with funding for right-of-way acquisition or construction; and

WHEREAS, this resolution and amendment to the FY 2021-2024 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 2021-2024 TIP to include TIP Action 21-45 which adds \$11.725 million in STBG and state funds for construction of the MD 337 at MD 218 and I-95/I-495 Northbound Exit BRAC Intersection Improvements project (ID T6392), and \$9.5 million in NHPP and state funds for PE on the I-95/I-495 Interchange at Medical Center Drive study (ID T11578) as described in the attached materials.

Approved by the TPB Steering Committee at its virtual meeting on February 4, 2022.

MARYLAND STATEWIDE TIP FY 2022-2025

MDOT STIP # TPB 6392							
SUMMARY TABLE							
				Current Funding L	evel (000s)		
Project	Amendment Criteria	Conformity Status	Environmental Status	Federal	State/Local	Total	
MD 337 at MD 218 and I-95/I-495 Northbound Exit BRAC	В	Nonattainment/TPB 2868	PCE	\$ -	\$	- \$	-
Intersection Improvements (PG7802)				Net Funding Chan	ge (000s)		
	Administration	Area/MPO	CTP Page	Federal	State/Local	Total	
	MDOT SHA	TPB	n/a	\$ 11,139	\$	586 \$	11,725
Description Construction of MD 337 intersection i	morovements at MD 218 and at I-95/I-4	195 northbound exit ramp to improve ac	ccess to Joint Base Andrews				

Justification This project improves access to the Joint Base Andrews is a vital component to accommodate the increase in employment as a result of BRAC. This project improves safety, capacity, and operations at the intersection.

INDIVIDUAL REQUEST FORM

STIP/TIP Amendment Criteria		Funding	FY 2022		FY 2023		FY 2024		FY 2025		rotai	
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☐ A) Adds new individual projects to the current STIP	(000s)	Federal	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
☑ B) Increase/decrease, scope change, advance, delay, or phase change		State/Local	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
C) Removes or deletes individual listed project from the STIP	Proposed	Total	\$	11,725	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	11,725
☐ D) Other	(000s)	Federal	\$	11,139	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	11,139
		State/Local	\$	586	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	586
AA TIT	Change	Total	\$	11,725	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	11,725
MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	(000s)	Federal	\$	11,139	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	11,139
		State/Local	\$	586	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	586

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Amendment 2021-2024

Summary Report for TIP Action: 21-45 Formal Amendment to the FY 2021-2024 Transportation Improvement Program Requested by Charles County Approved on February 4, 2022

Attachment A

TIP ID Project Name Project Limits T11578

I-95/I-495 Interchange at Medical Center Drive County

Lead Agency Interchange on I 495 at @ Medical Center Drive Municipality

Maryland Department of Transportation - State Highway Administration

Prince Georges

Project Type Total Cost

Study/Planning/Research

Completion Date 2025

\$9.500.000

Agency Project ID N/A

Description

TIP Document

21-45

The project is an upgrade to the existing I-95/I-495 interchange at Medical Center Drive (formerly Arena Drive). The project will address existing congestion and will accommodate increasing traffic volumes associated with future growth in the Largo Town Center and the University of Maryland Capital Region Medical Center.

Phase	Source		Prior	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024	Future	Total
PE	NHPP		-	-	\$450,000	\$2,700,000	\$2,700,000	\$2,700,000	\$8,550,000
PE	STATE		-	-	\$50,000	\$300,000	\$300,000	\$300,000	\$950,000
		Total PE	-	-	\$500,000	\$3,000,000	\$3,000,000	\$3,000,000	\$9,500,000
		Total Programmed	-	-	\$500,000	\$3,000,000	\$3,000,000	\$3,000,000	\$9,500,000



Version History

MPO Approval FHWA Approval FTA Approval 02/04/2022 Pending

N/A

Current Change Reason

SCHEDULE / FUNDING / SCOPE - New project

MARYLAND STATEWIDE TIP FY 2022-2025 MDOT STIP # TPB 11578 **SUMMARY TABLE** Current Funding Level (000s) Amendment Criteria Conformity Status **Environmental Status** Federal State/Local Total I-95/I-495 Interchange at Medical Center Drive (tbd) Nonattainment/TPB tbd \$ \$ \$ Net Funding Change (000s) Administration Area/MPO CTP Page Federal State/Local Total MDOT SHA TPB SHA-PG-14 FY 2022 8,550 \$ 950 \$ 9,500 \$ Description A project to upgrade the existing I-95/I-495 interchange at Medical Center Drive (formerly Arena Drive). Justification The project will address existing congestion and will accommodate increasing traffic volumes associated with future growth in the Largo Town Center and the University of Maryland Capital Region Medical Center. INDIVIDUAL REQUEST FORM Funding FY 2022 FY 2023 FY 2024 FY 2025 Total STIP/TIP Amendment Criteria Total \$ \$ \$ \$ Current ---A) Adds new individual projects to the current STIP (000s)Federal \$ \$ \$ -\$ B) Increase/decrease, scope change, advance, delay, or phase change State/Local \$ \$ \$ 3,000 \$ 3,000 9,500 C) Removes or deletes individual listed project from the STIP Proposed Total 500 \$ 3,000 \$ D) Other (000s)Federal 450 \$ 2,700 8,550 2,700 \$ 2,700 State/Local \$ 50 \$ 300 \$ 300 300 950 \$ Total \$ 500 \$ 3.000 \$ 3.000 \$ 9.500 MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION Change 2,700 \$ 2,700 (000s) Federal \$ 450 \$ 2,700 \$ 8,550 State/Local \$ 50 \$ 300 \$ 300 \$ 300 950 PHASE DETAIL Current FY 2022 FY 2023 FY 2024 FY 2025 TOTAL Phase Funding Federal State/Local Federal State/Local Federal State/Local Federal State/Local Federal State/Local Total \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ NHPP PΕ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ State \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ RW \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ -CO \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ -\$ \$ \$ \$ Other \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ Total \$ \$ \$ FY 2022 FY 2023 FY 2024 FY 2025 TOTAL Proposed Phase Funding Federal State/Local Federal State/Local Federal State/Local Federal State/Local Federal State/Local Total \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ PE NHPP 450 \$ \$ 2.700 \$ \$ 2.700 \$ \$ 2.700 \$ 8.550 \$ \$ 8.550 \$ 50 \$ \$ 300 \$ \$ 300 \$ \$ 300 \$ 950 \$ 950 State RW \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ CO \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ Other \$ \$ \$ -\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ Total \$ 450 \$ 50 \$ 2,700 \$ 300 \$ 2,700 \$ 300 \$ 2,700 \$ 300 \$ 8,550 \$ 950 \$ 9,500

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MDOT STIP # TPB 11578 (cont'd)								
TOTAL PROJECT COST								
Prior Cost (≤ FY 2021)		STIP Cost (FY 2022-2025)			Balance to Complete (≥ FY 2026)		Total Project Cost	
Federal	\$ -	Federal	\$	8,550	Federal	\$ -	Federal	\$ 8,550
State/Local	\$ -	State/Local	\$	950	State/Local	\$ -	State/Local	\$ 950
Total	\$ -	Total	\$	9,500	Total	\$ -	Total	\$ 9,500



Summary Report for TIP Action: 21-45 Formal Amendment to the FY 2021-2024 Transportation Improvement Program Requested by Charles County Approved on February 4, 2022

Attachment A

T6392

Project Name MD 337 at MD 218 and I-95/I-495 Northbound Exit BRAC Intersection Improvements County Project Limits

Lead Agency

Maryland Department of Transportation - State Highway Administration | Project Type

Prince Georges

Total Cost

Road - Intersection improvement

\$19,335,056 Completion Date 2019

Municipality Agency Project IDPG7802

Description Construction of MD 337 intersection improvements at MD 218 and at I-95/I-495 northbound exit ramp to improve access to Joint Base Andrews.

Phase	Source		Prior	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024	Future	Total
ROW	OEA		\$278,000	-	-	-	-	-	\$278,000
ROW	STATE		\$91,000	-	-	-	-	-	\$91,000
		Total ROW	\$369,000	-	-	-	-	-	\$369,000
CON	OEA		\$5,715,000	-	-	-	-	-	\$5,715,000
CON	STATE		\$1,526,000	-	\$586,253	-	-	-	\$2,112,253
CON	STBG		-	-	\$11,138,803	-	-	-	\$11,138,803
		Total CON	\$7,241,000	-	\$11,725,056	-	-	-	\$18,966,056
		Total Programmed	\$7,610,000	•	\$11,725,056	-	•	-	\$19,335,056



Version History

TIP Document MPO Approval FHWA Approval FTA Approval 21-45 Amendment 2021-2024 02/04/2022 Pending N/A

Current Change Reason

SCHEDULE / FUNDING / SCOPE - Cost change(s)

Funding Change(s):

Total project cost increased from \$7,610,000 to \$19,335,056



Larry Hogan Governor Boyd K. Rutherford Lt. Governor James F. Ports, Jr. Secretary

January 25, 2022

The Honorable Pamela Sebesky Chairman National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments 777 North Capitol Street, NE, Suite 300 Washington DC 20002

Dear Chairman Sebesky:

The Maryland Department of Transportation (MDOT) requests the following amendment to the Maryland potion of the National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board's (TPB) Fiscal Year (FY) 2021-2024 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for one existing and one new State Highway Administration (SHA) project as described below and in the attached memo.

This action reflects MDOT SHA's updated programmed expenditures from FY 2021 to FY 2024, and as these projects do not add capacity, this amendment does not affect the Air Quality Conformity Determination for Visualize 2045.

TIP ID	Project	Amount of New Funding	Comment
		(In 000s)	
6392	MD 337 at MD 218 and I- 95/I-495 Northbound Exit BRAC Intersection Improvements, Morningside	\$11,725	Add new construction funds for this intersection improvement project.
11578	I-95/I-495 Interchange at Medical Center Drive, Lake Arbor/Summerfield	\$9,500	Add new engineering funds to this new interchange improvement project.

MDOT requests that this amendment be approved by the TPB Steering Committee at its February 4, 2022 meeting.

The revised funding status will not impact scheduling or funding availability for other projects in the current TIP, which continues to be fiscally constrained. The cost does not affect the portion of the federal funding which was programmed for transit, or any allocations of state aid in lieu of federal aid to local jurisdictions.

The Honorable Pamela Sebesky Page Two

We appreciate your cooperation in this matter. Should you have additional questions or concerns, please contact Ms. Kari Snyder, MDOT Office of Planning and Capital Programming (OPCP) Regional Planner at 410-865-1305, toll free 888-713-1414 or via e-mail at ksnyder3@modt.maryland.gov. Ms. Snyder will be happy to assist you. Of course, please feel free to contact me directly.

Sincerely,

7y By
Tyson Byrne

Regional Planning Manager

Office of Planning and Capital Programming

Attachment

cc: Ms. Kari Snyder, Regional Planner, OPCP, MDOT



Larry Hogan Governor Boyd K. Rutherford Lt. Governor James F. Ports, Jr. Secretary Tim Smith, P.F.

Administrator

MEMORANDUM

TO: DIRECTOR HEATHER MURPHY

OFFICE OF PLANNING AND CAPITAL PROGRAMMING

MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF TRANPORTATION (MDOT)

ATTN: REGIONAL PLANNING MANAGER TYSON BYRNE

REGIONAL PLANNER KARI SNYDER

FROM: CHIEF MATT BAKER

REGIONAL AND INTERMODAL PLANNING DIVISION (RIPD)

SUBJECT: REQUEST TO AMEND THE FY 2021-2024 NATIONAL CAPITAL

TRANSPORTATION PLANNIGN BOARD (TPB) TRANSPORTATION

IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP)

DATE: JANUARY 25, 2022

RESPONSE

REQUESTED BY: N/A

PURPOSE OF MEMORANDUM

To request the MDOT Office of Planning and Capital Programming approve and forward to TPB for its approval the following TIP amendments.

SUMMARY

The MDOT State Highway Administration (MDOT SHA) hereby requests amendment of the FY 2021-2024 TPB TIP to reflect the following two actions.

TIP	PROJECT	PHASE	NEW FUNDING
6392	MD 337 at MD 218 and I-95/I-495 Northbound Exit BRAC Intersection Improvements, Morningside	CO	\$11,725,000
11578	I-95/I-495 Interchange at Medical Center Drive, Lake Arbor/ Summerfield	PE	\$9,500,000

ANALYSIS

MD 337 at MD 218 and I-95/I-495 Northbound Exit BRAC Intersection Improvements (TPB 6392) – This requested amendment reflects the addition of \$11,725000 in federal NHPP and State funds to the FY 2021-2024 TPB TIP construction funding for TPB 6392. This amendment ensures the FY 2021-2024 TPB TIP reflects MDOT SHA's updated programmed project expenditures and project schedule in FY 2021-2024. This project's total cost is increasing from \$8 million to \$19 million, an increase that

Ms. Heather Murphy Page Two

accounts for resolving disputed quantities estimates with the contractor and closing out the project. MDOT SHA opened the improvements to traffic in 2018.

I-95/I-495 Interchange at Medical Center Drive (TPB 11578) – This requested amendment reflects the addition of a new project to the FY 2021-2024 TPB TIP and adds \$9,500,000 in federal NHPP and State funds to the FY 2021-2024 TPB TIP design funding for TPB 11578. This amendment ensures the FY 2021-2024 TPB TIP reflects MDOT SHA updated programmed funds and project schedule in FY 2021-2024. A project scope and cost estimates will be refined in the design process, which is anticipated to proceed beginning in 2022 and continue into 2024. The addition of this project to the FY 2021-2024 TPB TIP also reflects its addition to the TPB long-range transportation plan, *Visualize 2045*. Following coordination with TPB staff, it has been determined that this project will not affect air quality conformity as it constitutes only a modification of the existing I-95/I-495 interchange at Medical Center Drive (formerly Arena Drive); as proposed, it will not require air quality conformity analysis.

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. MDOT published funding details in the FY 2022-2027 Consolidated Transportation Program (https://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 2021-2024 TPB TIP and FY 2022-2025 Maryland STIP to reflect the funding information provided in the attachments. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. David Rodgers, MDOT SHA Regional Planner, at 410-545-5670 or via email at drodgers1@mdot.maryland.gov.

ATTACHMENTS

- FY 2021-2024 TPB TIP project 6392 report
- FY 2022-2025 Maryland STIP project TPB 6392 report
- FY 2021-2024 TPB TIP project 11578 report
- FY 2022-2025 Maryland STIP project TPB 11578 report

cc: Mr. Eric Beckett, Deputy Director, Office of Planning and Preliminary Engineering, MDOT SHA

Mr. Ryan Doran, Area Engineer, District 3, MDOT SHA

Mr. William Gover, Assistant District Engineer - Construction, District 3, MDOT SHA

Mr. Bill Kucharek, Area Engineer, District 3, MDOT SHA

Eric Marabello, P.E., Director, Office of Highway Development, MDOT SHA

Mr. David Rodgers, Regional Planner, RIPD, MDOT SHA

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

Barry Smith, P.E., Acting Chief, Highway Design Division, MDOT SHA

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

RESOLUTION ON AN AMENDMENT TO THE FY 2021-2024 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP) THAT IS EXEMPT FROM THE AIR QUALITY CONFORMITY REQUIREMENT TO INCLUDE TIP ACTION 21-45 TO ADD THE POPLAR HILL ROAD BRIDGE OVER ZEKIAH SWAMP RUN REPLACEMENT PROJECT, AS REQUESTED BY THE MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (MDOT) ON BEHALF OF CHARLES COUNTY

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 March 18, 2020 the TPB adopted the FY 2021-2024 TIP; and

WHEREAS, MDOT has requested an amendment to the FY 2021-2024 TIP, on behalf of Charles County, to include TIP Action 21-45 which adds \$3.1 million in Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG) program and local funds for construction of the Poplar Hill Road Bridge over Zekiah Swamp Run Replacement project (ID T6582) as described in the attached materials; and

WHEREAS, the attached materials include: Attachment A) TIP Project Overview report showing how the project will appear in the TIP after the action is approved and Attachment B) letters from MDOT and Charles County Department of Planning and Growth Management, dated January 25, 2022 requesting the amendment; and

WHEREAS, this project has been entered in the TPB's Project InfoTrak database application under TIP Action 21-45, creating the 45th version of the FY 2021-2024 TIP, which supersedes all previous versions of the TIP and can be viewed online at www.mwcog.org/ProjectInfoTrak; and

WHEREAS, full funding for this project is included in the Visualize 2045 financial analysis; and

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

WHEREAS, this resolution and amendment to the FY 2021-2024 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 2021-2024 TIP to include TIP Action 21-45 which adds \$3.1 million in STBG program and local funds for construction of the Poplar Hill Road Bridge over Zekiah Swamp Run Replacement project (ID T6582), as described in the attached materials.

Approved by the TPB Steering Committee at its virtual meeting on February 4, 2022.



Description

Summary Report for TIP Action: 21-45 Formal Amendment to the FY 2021-2024 Transportation Improvement Program Requested by Charles County Approved on February 4, 2022

TIP ID T6582

Project Name Poplar Hill Road Bridge over Zekiah Swamp Run
Project Limits Bridge 200000CH0040010

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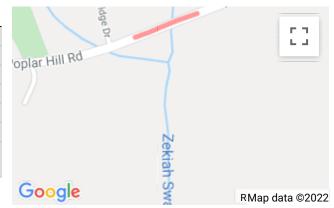
Lead Agency Charles County
County Charles
Municipality

Project Type Bridge - Replace Total Cost \$3,813,097 Completion Date 2022

Agency Project ID

Replace the superstructure (bridge abutments, wing walls, steel girders & concrete deck)

Phas	se Source	Prior	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024	Future	Total
PE	LOCAL	\$150,000	-	-	-	-	-	\$150,000
PE	STBG	\$600,000	-	-	-	-	-	\$600,000
	Total PE	\$750,000	-	-	-	-	-	\$750,000
CON	LOCAL	-	-	\$612,619	-	-	-	\$612,619
CON	STBG	-		\$2,450,478	-	-	-	\$2,450,478
7	otal CON	-	-	\$3,063,097	-	-	-	\$3,063,097
Pro	Total grammed	\$750,000	-	\$3,063,097	-	-	-	\$3,813,097



Version History

TIP Document MPO Approval FHWA Approval FTA Approval 21-45 Amendment 2021-2024 02/04/2022 Pending N/A

Current Change Reason
SCHEDULE / FUNDING / SCOPE - Programming
Update, Schedule Change(s)

Funding Change(s):

Total project cost increased from \$750,000 to \$3,813,097

Larry Hogan Governor Boyd K. Rutherford Lt. Governor James F. Ports, Jr. Secretary

January 26, 2022

The Honorable Pamela Sebesky Chairman National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments 777 North Capitol Street, NE, Suite 300 Washington DC 20002

Dear Chairman Sebesky:

The Maryland Department of Transportation (MDOT) requests the following amendment to the Maryland potion of the National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board's (TPB) Fiscal Year (FY) 2021-2024 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for one existing project on behalf of the Charles County Department of Planning & Growth Management as described below and in the attached memo.

This action reflects Charles County's updated capital improvement program from FY 2021 to FY 2024, and as this project do not add capacity, this amendment does not affect the Air Quality Conformity Determination for Visualize 2045.

TIP ID	Project	Amount of New	Comment
		Funding	
		(In 000s)	
6582	Poplar Hill Road Bridge over	\$3,063	Add new construction funds for
	Zekiah Swamp Run		this bridge replacement project.

MDOT requests that this amendment be approved by the TPB Steering Committee at its February 4, 2022 meeting.

The revised funding status will not impact scheduling or funding availability for other projects in the current TIP, which continues to be fiscally constrained. The cost does not affect the portion of the federal funding which was programmed for transit, or any allocations of state aid in lieu of federal aid to local jurisdictions.

The Honorable Pamela Sebesky Page Two

We appreciate your cooperation in this matter. Should you have additional questions or concerns, please contact Ms. Kari Snyder, MDOT Office of Planning and Capital Programming (OPCP) Regional Planner at 410-865-1305, toll free 888-713-1414 or via e-mail at ksnyder3@modt.maryland.gov. Ms. Snyder will be happy to assist you. Of course, please feel free to contact me directly.

Sincerely,

7y By
Tyson Byrne

Regional Planning Manager

Office of Planning and Capital Programming

Attachment

cc: Ms. Kari Snyder, Regional Planner, OPCP, MDOT

Phone 301-645-0692 Email PGMadmin@CharlesCountyMD.gov

January 25, 2022

The Honorable Pamela Sebesky National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments 777 North Capitol Street, N.E. Suite 300 Washington, DC 20002

Dear Chairman Sebesky:

The Charles County Department of Planning & Growth Management requests an amendment to the National Capital Regional Transportation Planning Board's FY2021-2024 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP), as identified in the attachment for the Poplar Hill Road Bridge Replacement Project. The project is not currently listed in the Constrained Long Range Plan (CLRP) as it is a minor project which does not enhance capacity and therefore, does not need air quality conformity analysis. The purpose of this amendment is to include this minor project in the TIP so that it will be eligible for federal funding. The bridge replacement project is funded from the Federal Bridge Program at an 80/20 split with the remaining (20%) funding to come from the local government (Charles County).

This amendment is being sought for funding in FY2022 for construction for the bridge replacement project, which has been found to be structurally deficient, and in need of replacement. While this bridge is owned, operated, and maintained by Charles County, we are seeking federal funds to assist us in the replacement project.

Charles County requests that this amendment be approved by the Transportation Planning Board Steering Committee at its February 4, 2022 meeting. We appreciate your consideration of our request and we look forward to a favorable outcome. If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Jason Groth, Deputy Director of Planning & Growth Management by calling (301) 396-5814 or by email to grothi@charlescountymd.gov.

Sincerely.

ah a Carpenter Deborah A. Carpenter, AIC

Director

Mark Belton, County Administrator Cc:

Bernard (Wilson) Cochran, Acting Director of Public Works

John Stevens, Chief of Capital Services

Stephen Staples, Chief of Roads

Jason Groth, Deputy Director of Planning & Growth Management

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	State Contract No	CH378ZM2	Hill Rd. over Zekia 2.5 miles E of MD5	h Swamp Run Waldorf, Md.	Future/Yr. : 6890	/ 2032
	Local Contract No.	IFB 22-30		oject Length: 0.19 Miles	Federal-aid System:	OFF NHS
	Item No. 63790		State Road Inventor	ry Milepoints: N/A	Probable Ad Date: A	pril 2022
	Local/State Supplemen	tal Agreement Required	d: Yes No	SHADED AREA TO BE FILL	ED OUT BY SHA	
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	Not Required			Clearing House Contr	OI NO.	Exempt
	To be determined	Combined Hearing	(Date:)	Urban Area N/A		Exempt
D.	PREVIOUS FEDERAL-AID	PROJECTS PE	ROW	TIP No.	STIP No	
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•		s: The existing struct	ture is a two-span tim	ber bridge with overall stru	cture length of 44'-6" an	d clear
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				e bent pier. The existing str		
				essed concrete slab bridge to 29'-8", which consists of two		
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	3. Additional right-	of-way No Propose	ed width: 0 Feet	Relocation(s) required?	No No. of	0
	required?				businesses/residents	· ·
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	CONSTRUCTION DATA	reton bulliciency hat.	BIIC	<u> </u>	Clearance)	Not negation
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	3. Utility relocatio	n/adjustment required?		smeco/Verizon pole rel	ocation Estimated Cost	TBD
	Railroad relocati	on/adjustment required	d? No Name of Rail:	road N/A	Estimated Cost	N/A
	PREPARED BY: Art Swa	ann DATE: 8/6/	2021 TELEPHONE:	301-885-1314 COUNTY/FIRM:	Charles County	
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F.A.P. No. AC-STBG-1200(6)E

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	Urban	Road

I. DESIGN DATA:

DESIGN ELEMENT	* EXISTING ELEMENT	}	* PROPOSE DESIGN CRIT		** MEETS SHA/ASSHTO DESIGN STANDARD
Design Speed	50	mph.	50	mph.	Yes
Posted Speed Limits	40	mph.	40	mph.	Yes
Number of Lanes	2		2		Yes
Through-Lane Width	10-11	ft.	10-12	ft.	No
AuxLane Width	12	ft.	12	ft.	Yes
Shoulder Width Right	2.5	ft.	2	ft.	No
Left	2.5	ft.	2	ft.	No
Cross Slope	0.02	ft./ft.	0.02	ft./ft.	Yes
Horizontal Alignment:					
Curvature *	Yes		Yes		Yes
Superelevation *	No		No		No
Sight Distance *	Yes		Yes		Yes
Vertical Alignment:					
Grades *	Yes		Yes		Yes
Sight Distance *	Yes		Yes		Yes
Bridge Clear Width	30	ft.	30	ft.	Yes
Bridge Railings *	Yes		Yes		Yes
Median Width	0	ft.	0	ft.	Yes
Clear Zone Width	8	ft.	8	ft.	Yes
Ditch Slopes (front/back)	N/A		N/A		Yes
Culvert End Treatments *	N/A		N/A		Yes
Guardrail *	Yes		Yes		Yes
Signing *	Yes		Yes		Yes
Pavement Markings *	Yes		Yes		Yes

^{*} Indicate yes, no, or N/A whether "Existing Condition" meets applicable SHA Design Guide standard. Indicate yes, no, or N/A whether "Proposed Design" will improve existing condition.

J. **CERTIFICATION**

 This project meets all applicable AASHTO/SHA design criteria. Approval of the SHA Chief Engineer is not required.

☐ The construction of this project incorporating the above design feature is recommended for Federal funding. Justification for proposed design elements that do not meet applicable AASHTO/SHA design criteria, and three-year accident history/analysis are attached.

Note: Complete Sections 1 (Design Data) and J (Certification) using the information available. Missing or revised data should be provided as the project develops.

^{**} If criteria does not meet applicable standards, a design exception must be requested prior to P.S.&E. submittal.