

Seyed Shokouhzadeh Executive Director

March 10, 2022

Mr. Jay Mitchell, Supervisor Technical Planning and Programming Indiana Department of Transportation 100 N. Senate Avenue, Room N758-PL Indianapolis, IN 46204

Mr. Thomas Witt, Metropolitan Planning Team Division of Planning Kentucky Transportation Cabinet 200 Mero Street, 5th Floor Frankfort, KY 40622

Dear Mr. Mitchell and Mr. Witt:

The Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization has amended the FY 2022-2026 and the 2020-2024 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) to include/revise projects. The Evansville MPO Policy Committee approved the amendments at their March 10, 2022 meeting. The amendment resolutions and public notice information are attached. The revised documents will be 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

SS/PSD

cc: Karstin Carmany-George, IN – FHWA

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Eric Perez, KYTC Ron Rigney, KYTC Steve Ross, KYTC Mikael Pelfrey, KYTC

RESOLUTION NO. 22-26 TIP-6

<u>A RESOLUTION APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO THE EVANSVILLE METROPOLITAN</u> PLANNING ORGANIZATION'S FY 2022 - 2026 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 maintenance 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 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 2022 – 2026 Transportation Improvement Program is amended as presented in the attached.

ADOPTED by the Policy Committee of the Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization on this 10th day of March, 2022.

Mr. Jack Corn, Jr., Chairperson

Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization

Policy Committee

		2022-2	2022-2026 TIP Amendments: March 2022		MPO Action: 3/10/22	3/10/22	Resolution, Minutes, or N/A:	Resolution	Air Quality Conformity (AQC) Date or	3/9/22
Sponsor	Sponsor Contract	Des#/ID#	Description	County	Work Type	Funding	Action	Fiscal Year	Active TIP	New TIP
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			Capital Assistance to Non-Profit			5310		2022	\$172	\$0
COMBO	δ Σ	EMP-22-009	Organizations - Acquisition of Paratransit buses/vans	vanderburgn	Capital Assistance	Local	Move Funding	2022	\$43	0\$
C INC						5310		2023	\$112	\$280
						Local		2023	\$28	\$70
EMPO	N/A		Operating Assistance to Non-Profit Organizations	Vanderburgh	Operating Assistance	5310	Add Project	2022	0\$	\$132
						Local		2022	\$0	\$132

RESOLUTION NO. 20-24 TIP-18

<u>A RESOLUTION APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO THE EVANSVILLE METROPOLITAN</u> 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 Participation Plan does not require a separate public involvement meeting for TIP amendments, and the public participation procedure was followed; and

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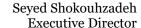
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Resolution	Fiscal Year	2022	2022
Resolution, Minutes, or N/A:	Action	Add Project	
3/10/22	Funding Type	5310	Local
MPO Action: 3/10/22	Work Type	Operating Assistance	
	County	Vanderburgh	
2020-2024 TIP Amendments: March 2022	Description	Operating Assistance to Non-Profit Organizations	
2020-2	Sponsor Contract Des#/ID#	ı	
	Contract	N/A	
	Sponsor	EMPO	





Press Release: Public Notice 2/23/22

Notice of Proposed Amendments to the Evansville MPO FY 2022-2026 Transportation Improvement Program:

Public review and comment is being sought by the Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) concerning proposed amendments to the 2022-2026 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for the Evansville-Henderson Urbanized Area as described in the attachment. Comments will be accepted from February 23, 2022 through March 9, 2022 at 4:00 PM.

Ways to Provide Comment:

Email: comments@evansvillempo.com

Mail: Evansville Metropolitan Planning Organization

Room 316 – Civic Center Complex

1 NW M L King Jr. Blvd. Evansville, IN 47708

Call in comments: (812) 436-7833 **Fax Comments:** (812) 436-7834

The Evansville MPO Policy Committee will review all comments received and consider approval of the proposed amendments during their regularly scheduled meeting to be held at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 10, 2022. The meeting is open to the public and will be held in Room 301 of the Evansville Civic Center Complex located at 1 N.W. MLK Jr. Blvd., Evansville, IN 47708. Additional meeting information is available on the Evansville MPO website http://www.evansvillempo.com/Meetings.html.

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 mschriefer@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.

2022-2026 TIP Amendments: For 3/10/2022

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