TPB Steering Committee Item 1b TPB SR12-2023 December 2, 2022

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

RESOLUTION ON AN AMENDMENT TO THE FY 2023-2026 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP) THAT IS EXEMPT FROM THE AIR QUALITY CONFORMITY REQUIREMENT TO INCLUDE TIP ACTION 23-07.3 WHICH ADDS A NEW PROJECT, I-495 SOUTHSIDE EXPRESS LANES ADVANCE ACTIVITIES, AS REQUESTED BY THE VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (VDOT)

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 June 15, 2022 the TPB adopted the FY 2023-2026 TIP; and

WHEREAS, VDOT has requested an amendment to the FY 2023-2026 TIP to include TIP Action 23-07.3 which adds \$6 million for planning and engineering on a new project, I-495 Southside Express Lanes Advance Activities (T11614), as described in the attached materials; and

WHEREAS, the attached materials include:

- ATTACHMENT A) Project Overview report showing how the project will appear in the TIP following approval,
- ATTACHMENT B) Amendment Summary report showing the total project cost, the reason for the amendment, and a Change Summary providing line-item changes to every programmed amount by fund source, fiscal year, and project phase, and
- ATTACHMENT C) Letter from VDOT dated November 15, 2022 requesting the amendments; and

WHEREAS, this projects has been entered into the TPB's Project InfoTrak database under TIP Action 23-07.3, creating the 7th amended version of the FY 2023-2026 TIP, which supersedes all previous versions of the TIP and can be found online at www.mwcog.org/ProjectInfoTrak; and

WHEREAS, funding for planning and engineering for this project in the TIP is exempt from the air quality conformity requirement; and

WHEREAS, this resolution and amendment to the FY 2023-2026 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 2023-2026 TIP to include TIP Action 23-07.3 which adds \$6 million for planning and engineering on a new project, **I-495 Southside Express Lanes Advance Activities (T11614)**, as described in the attached materials.



ATTACHMENT A: Overview Report for TIP Action 23-07.3: Formal Amendment FY 2023-2026 Transportation Improvement Program Requested by Virginia Department of Transportation on December 2, 2022

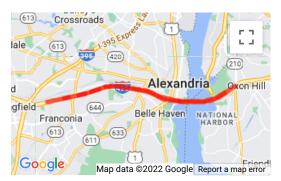
TIP ID T11614
Project NameI-495 Southside Express Lanes Advance Activities Project Limits I-95/395/495 to MD 210

Lead Agency Virginia Department of Transportation Project Type Study/Planning/Research County Total Cost \$6,000,000
Municipality Completion Date 2023

Agency Project ID122608

Description Extend the express lanes system on the southern section of I-95/I-495 (Capital Beltway), by 11 miles from the Springfield interchange (I-95/I-395/I-495) in Fairfax County, Virginia, across the Woodrow Wilson Memorial Bridge, to the MD 210 interchange in Prince Georges County, Maryland. Advance activities to include environment assessment, traffic and design, P3 development and procurement activities.

Phase Source		Prior	FY2023	FY2024	FY2025	FY2026	Future	4 Year Total	Total
PE	DC/STATE	-	\$6,000,000	-	-	-	-	\$6,000,000	\$6,000,000
	Total PE	-	\$6,000,000	-	-	-	-	\$6,000,000	\$6,000,000
	Total Programmed	_	\$6,000,000	-	-	-	-	\$6,000,000	\$6,000,000



Version History

TIP Document MPO Approval FHWA Approval FTA Approval Current Change Reason

23-07.3 Amendment 2023-2026 Pending Pending N/A SCHEDULE / FUNDING / SCOPE - New project

ATTACHMENT B: Summary Report for TIP Action 23-07.3: Formal Amendment FY 2023-2026 Transportation Improvement Program Requested by Virginia Department of Transportation on December 2, 2022											
TIP ID	PROJECT TITLE	COST BEFORE					CHANGE SUMMARY				
T11614	I-495 Southside Express Lanes Advance Activities	\$0	\$6,000,000	\$6,000,000	1	New project	PROJECT CHANGES (FROM PREVIOUS VERSION): DC/STATE Add funds in FFY 23 in PE for \$6,000,000 Total project cost \$6,000,000				



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November 15, 2022

The Honorable Pamela Sebesky
Chair, National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board
Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments
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Washington, DC 20002-4201

RE:

FY 2023-2026 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Amendment:

I-495 Southside Express Lanes Advance Activities TIP ID T11614 / UPC #122608

Dear Chair Sebesky:

The Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) requests the following project amendment be added to the FY 2023-2026 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP).

Project Request for TIP Amendment

I-495 Southside Express Lanes Advance Activities TIP ID T11614 / UPC #122608

Advance activities for this project will include environment assessment, traffic and design, P3 development and procurement activities. The proposed amendment will:

• Add \$6,000,000 (State funds) FFY23 for PE Phase

The specific project will extend the express lanes system on the southern section of I-95/I-495 (Capital Beltway), by 11 miles from the Springfield interchange (I-95/I-395/I-495) in Fairfax County, Virginia, across the Woodrow Wilson Memorial Bridge, to the MD 210 interchange in Prince Georges County, Maryland.

VDOT requests approval of this TIP Amendment by the Transportation Planning Board's Steering Committee at its meeting on December 2, 2022. VDOT's representative will be available to answer any questions about this amendment request.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

John D. Lynch, P.E.

Northern Virginia District Engineer

Cc: Ms. Maria Sinner, P.E., VDOT-NoVA

Mr. Amir Shahpar, P.E., VDOT-NoVA

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