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November 7, 2023

Mr. Patrick McKenna, Director Missouri  
Department of Transportation  
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Re: ONEDOT Approval of the Missouri FY 2024-2028  
STIP to incorporate the St. Louis Metropolitan area (EWG)  
FY 2024-2027 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)  
Highway Only Amendment #2

Dear Mr. McKenna:

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) has reviewed and subsequently approves the requested amendment to the FY 2024-2028 Missouri State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to incorporate Amendment 2 of the St. Louis Metropolitan Area (EWG) FY 2024-2027 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP), as further described in your letter of November 7, 2023.

The East-West Gateway Council of Governments (EWG) Board of Directors approved the Highway Only TIP amendment on October 25, 2023. The Missouri Governor approved the EWG FY2024-2027 Highway Only TIP amendment on November 2, 2023.

In accordance with 23 CFR 450.218(b), FHWA has determined that this STIP amendment is based on a transportation planning process that substantially meets the requirements of 23 U.S.C 134 and 135, 49 U.S.C. 5303 and 5304 and 23 CFR 450 Subparts A, B, and C.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Cecelie Cochran and Dan Weitkamp of FHWA at (573) 638-2605.

Sincerely,

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For: Kevin W. Ward, P.E.  
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November 7, 2023

Mr. Kevin Ward  
Regional Administrator  
Federal Highway Administration  
3220 West Edgewood, Suite H  
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Dear Mr. Ward:

SUBJECT: St. Louis Metropolitan Area  
FY 2024-2027 Transportation Improvement Program  
East-West Gateway Council of Governments (EWG)  
Approval to Incorporate TIP Amendment two into the FY 2024-2028 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 adding two local projects and one MoDOT scoping project. 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 October 25, 2023. 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 2024-2028 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

*Michael E. Henderson*

Michael E. Henderson, AICP  
Transportation Planning Specialist

Enclosure

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October 27, 2023

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 2024-2027 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for the St. Louis, Missouri metropolitan area, October 25, 2023. MoDOT is requesting approval of the addition of two local projects and one MoDOT scoping project. 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: 11-2-23



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October 25, 2023

Mr. Patrick K. McKenna  
Director  
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RE: FY 2024-2027 Transportation Improvement Program Amendment

Dear Mr. McKenna:

At its October 25, 2023 meeting, the East-West Gateway Council of Governments' Board of Directors amended the Council's FY 2024-2027 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). The Board approved the addition of two new projects and the addition of one new scoring project for Missouri sponsors.

The enclosed memo and project summary details the approved amendment. These projects are not regionally significant or exempt with regard to air quality (40 CFR 93.127). At your request, minutes confirming the action will be forwarded to your office.

We request that the State Transportation Improvement Program be adjusted to reflect this change so that the projects can move toward implementation. If you have any questions concerning the amendment, please contact us.

Sincerely,

Rachael Pawlak  
Senior Manager

cc: Daniel Xenos, MoDOT

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**Memo to:** Board of Directors  
**From:** Staff  
**Subject:** Modifications to the FY 2024-2027 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP), *Connected 2050*, and the Related Air Quality Conformity Determination – Requested by Missouri Sponsors  
**Date:** October 11, 2023

The Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT), Olivette, and Washington have requested to amend the FY 2024-2027 TIP, *Connected 2050*, and the related Air Quality Conformity Determination. In all, they are requesting to add two new projects and add one new scoping project. This memo outlines the requested changes.

**Missouri New Projects**

Olivette and Washington recently received funding through MoDOT’s Cost Share Program. Cost Share projects are selected following a statewide solicitation. MoDOT intends to use advance construction for these projects, 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
Olivette/ 7324A-24	MO 340 at N. Price Rd/Dielman Industrial Dr	Intersection improvements	St. Louis	\$0	\$1,600,000
Washington/ 7324C-24	MO 100 at Oldenburg Industrial Park	Add turn lanes	Franklin	\$0	\$1,625,000
<b>TOTAL:</b>				<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$3,225,000</b>

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**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). MoDOT intends to use advance construction for this project.

The new scoping project is summarized on the following table:

<b>New Scoping Project - Missouri</b>				
<b>Sponsor / TIP #/ Sponsor #</b>	<b>Limits/Description of Work</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Fed Cost for Design</b>	<b>Total Cost for Design</b>
MoDOT / 7322E-24/ SL0183	I-70 Outer Road – Cave Springs Rd to 0.2 miles west of Point West Blvd	St. Charles	\$0	\$100,000

**Staff Recommendation:** Staff recommends that the FY 2024-2027 TIP, *Connected 2050*, and related Air Quality Conformity Determination be revised to add two new projects and add one new scoping project as summarized above and detailed in the attachment. These projects are exempt (40 CFR 93.127) or not regionally significant with respect to air quality in accordance with federal regulations.

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**Amendment #** 1023-003  
**TIP #** 7324A-24  
**Sponsor #** SL0181

**PROJECT SPONSOR:** Olivette

**ACTION REQUESTED:** Revise FY 2024, FY 2025, & FY 2026 of the FY 2024-2027 TIP to add a project

**TITLE:** MO 340

**LIMITS:** At N. Price Rd/Dielman Industrial Dr

**DESCRIPTION:** Intersection improvements

**COUNTY:** St. Louis

**FUNDING SOURCE:** State Advance Construction (STAC\*)

	<b>Federal</b>	<b>Match</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>PE</b>	\$0	\$90,000	\$90,000
<b>ROW</b>	\$0	\$838,000	\$838,000
<b>Implementation</b>	\$0	\$672,000	\$672,000
<b>Total</b>	\$0	\$1,600,000	\$1,600,000

\*Anticipated converted to STBG federal funding: \$631,500

**AIR QUALITY CONFORMITY:** Exempt – Intersection channelization projects (§ 93.127)

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION:** Approval



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**Amendment #** 1023-004  
**TIP #** 7324C-24  
**Sponsor #** SL0180

**PROJECT SPONSOR:** Washington

**ACTION REQUESTED:** Revise FY 2024 of the FY 2024-2027 TIP to add a project

**TITLE:** MO 100

**LIMITS:** At Oldenburg Industrial Park

**DESCRIPTION:** Add turn lanes

**COUNTY:** Franklin

**FUNDING SOURCE:** State Advance Construction (STAC\*)

	<b>Federal</b>	<b>Match</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>PE</b>	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>ROW</b>	\$0	\$25,000	\$25,000
<b>Implementation</b>	\$0	\$1,600,000	\$1,600,000
<b>Total</b>	\$0	\$1,625,000	\$1,625,000

\*Anticipated converted to STBG federal funding: \$1,610,000

**AIR QUALITY CONFORMITY:** Exempt – Intersection channelization projects (§ 93.127)

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION:** Approval

FISCAL YEARS 2024-2027  
**TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM**  
 EWG BOARD ACTION - OCTOBER 2023

COUNTY: FRANKLIN

ID	ORGANIZATION NAME/PROJECT TITLE/DESC	FUNDING CAT	IMPROVEMENTS		2024-2027 TOTAL	2024	2025	2026	2027
7324C-24	WASHINGTON - SL0180 MO 100 AT OLDENBURG INDUSTRIAL PARK ADD TURN LANES LENGTH (mi): 0.1 AIR QUALITY STAT: Exempt - 93.127 PROJ PURPOSE: Goods Movement	STAC*	Intersection Improvement	PE	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
				ROW	\$40,000	\$40,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
				IMPL	\$1,585,000	\$1,585,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
			Federal: \$0	TOTAL	\$1,625,000	\$1,625,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
			State: \$1,625,000	ESTIMATED TOTAL PROJECT COST: \$1,625,000					
			Local: \$0						

FISCAL YEARS 2024-2027  
**TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM**  
 EWG BOARD ACTION - OCTOBER 2023

COUNTY: ST. CHARLES

ID	ORGANIZATION NAME/PROJECT TITLE/DESC	FUNDING CAT	IMPROVEMENTS		2024-2027 TOTAL	2024	2025	2026	2027
7322E-24	MODOT - SL0183 I-70 OUTER ROAD CAVE SPRINGS RD TO 0.2 MILES W/O POINT WEST BLVD DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS	STAC*	Drainage Correction	PE	\$100,000	\$20,000	\$80,000	\$0	\$0
	LENGTH (mi): 0.27		Federal: \$0	ROW	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	AIR QUALITY STAT: Not Regionally Significant		State: \$100,000	IMPL	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	PROJ PURPOSE: Preservation		Local: \$0	TOTAL	\$100,000	\$20,000	\$80,000	\$0	\$0
					ESTIMATED TOTAL PROJECT COST: \$100,000				

FISCAL YEARS 2024-2027  
**TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM**  
 EWG BOARD ACTION - OCTOBER 2023

COUNTY: ST. LOUIS

ID	ORGANIZATION NAME/PROJECT TITLE/DESC	FUNDING CAT	IMPROVEMENTS		2024-2027 TOTAL	2024	2025	2026	2027
7324A-24	OLIVETTE - SL0181	STAC*	Intersection Improvement	PE	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
	MO 340			ROW	\$838,000	\$0	\$838,000	\$0	\$0
	AT N. PRICE RD/DIELMAN INDUSTRIAL DR			IMPL	\$672,000	\$0	\$0	\$672,000	\$0
	INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS								
	LENGTH (mi): 0.5		Federal: \$0	TOTAL	\$1,600,000	\$90,000	\$838,000	\$672,000	\$0
	AIR QUALITY STAT: Exempt - 93.127		State: \$644,000						
	PROJ PURPOSE: Congestion		Local: \$956,000						
					ESTIMATED TOTAL PROJECT COST: \$1,600,000				