

To: Transportation Technical Committee
From: Michael Maddox, AICP – Senior Transportation Planner
Date: May 6, 2022
Re: **2022-2025 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Amendment #4**

The Fargo-Moorhead Metropolitan Council of Governments (Metro COG) will hold a virtual public hearing via Zoom Video Communications on Thursday, May 19, 2022 at 4:00 p.m. to consider public comments regarding a proposed amendment to the 2022-2025 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for the FM Metropolitan Area. The proposed amendment to the 2022-2025 TIP reflects a new federally funded project within the Metropolitan Planning Area (MPA).

A public notice was published in The Forum of Fargo-Moorhead on Wednesday, May 4, 2022, which advertised the public hearing, detailed how to request more information, and provided information on how to make public comment regarding the proposed amendment. The public notice advertised that public comments will be accepted until 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Thursday, May 19, 2022. As of the writing of this memo, no written comments have been received.

The proposed amendment to the 2022-2025 TIP is as follows:

1. **Addition of Project 9224001:** Preliminary Engineering (PE) phase of an upcoming reconstruction project of the I-29/CR 20 Interchange. The PE phase of the project has a budget of \$3,000,000, of which \$2,700,000 (90%) will be provided through federal Interstate Maintenance (IM) funds, and \$300,000 (10%) will be provided by NDDOT for the required local match.

The reconstruction of the I-29 interchange with CR 20 is not currently programmed within Metro COG's 2022-2025 TIP. It is estimated that this project would take place sometime in the 2026-2028 timeframe. A specific construction year has not been determined. Metro COG will work with NDDOT to determine when the reconstruction of the interchange will be programmed within Metro COG's TIP and when the project will be ultimately be constructed.

See **Attachment 1** for more detailed project information.

Requested Action: Recommend approval of Amendment #4 of the Metro COG 2022-2025 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) to the Policy Board.

Lead Agency	Metro COG ID State Number	Project Year	Project Location	Length	Project Limits		Project Description	Improvement Type	Total Project Cost	Federal Revenue Source	Other Revenue Source	Revenue
					From	To						
AMENDMENT 4 - 2022-2025 METRO COG TIP												
Moorhead Transit												
Fargo Transit												
City of Fargo												
City of Moorhead												
City of West Fargo												
North Dakota Department of Transportation												
NDDOT	9224001 23596	2022	I-29		I-29 and CR 20 Interchange		Preliminary Engineering Only	Reconstruction	\$ 3,000,000	IM	State	\$ 2,700,000 \$ 300,000
Cass County												
Minnesota Department of Transportation												
Clay County												