



## **Public Notice**

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### **FY2024-2027 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Amendment**

Dear Pavithra Parthasarathi,

The Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation (DRPT) requests to add STIP ID FACT001 to the TIP for the addition of state-administered transit funds to the Hampton Roads FY2024-2027 TIP. The amendment is for the new FTA 5310 Human Services project(s) approved for funding by DRPT in its Six-Year Improvement Program (SYIP) for Federal Fiscal Year 2025/State Fiscal Year 2026. DRPT would like to request that Hampton Roads add the project(s) and funding below to its FY2024-2027 TIP:

STIP ID: FACT001

Title: Paratransit Vehicles

Recipient: Families of Autistic Children of Tidewater, Inc.

- Add FY25 State Funding: \$59,382
- Add FY25 Federal 5310 Funding: \$475,052
- Add FY25 Local Funding: \$59,382

Please consider these requests at an upcoming Technical Advisory Committee meeting with later approval by the Policy Board. It is confirmed that TIP changes should be approved and transmitted to DRPT as soon as possible after the July 17, 2025 HRTPO Board Meeting. Please include the signed HRTPO Board Action Letter, revised TIP sheet, and supporting STIP action forms by this date. If there are any questions, please contact me at (804) 965-3514 or [tiffany.dubinsky@drpt.virginia.gov](mailto:tiffany.dubinsky@drpt.virginia.gov).

Sincerely,

Tiffany Dubinsky  
Director of Transit Planning  
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### **FY2024-2027 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Amendment**

Dear Pavithra Parthasarathi,

The Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation (DRPT) requests to add STIP ID HRT0128 to the TIP for the addition of state-administered transit funds to the Hampton Roads FY2024-2027 TIP. The amendment is for the new FTA 5310 Human Services project(s) approved for funding by DRPT in its Six-Year Improvement Program (SYIP) for Federal Fiscal Year 2025/State Fiscal Year 2026.

DRPT would like to request that Hampton Roads add the project(s) and funding below to its FY2024-2027 TIP:

STIP ID: HRT0128

Title: Contracted Paratransit Services

Recipient: Hampton Roads Transit

- Add FY25 Federal 5310 Funding: \$3,200,000
- Add FY25 Local Funding: \$800,000

Please consider these requests at an upcoming Technical Advisory Committee meeting with later approval by the Policy Board. It is confirmed that TIP changes will be approved and transmitted to DRPT as soon as possible after the July 17, 2025 HRTPO Board Meeting. Please include the signed HRTPO Board Action Letter, revised TIP sheet, and supporting STIP action forms by this date. If there are any questions, please contact me at (804) 965-3514 or [tiffany.dubinsky@drpt.virginia.gov](mailto:tiffany.dubinsky@drpt.virginia.gov).

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### **FY2024-2027 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Amendment**

Dear Pavithra Parthasarathi,

The Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation (DRPT) requests to revise STIP ID SSV0003 in the TIP for the addition of state-administered transit funds to the Hampton Roads FY2024-2027 TIP and with the additional funds, the cost estimate increase is outside the FTA's Sliding Scale. The amendment is for new FTA 5310 Human Services project(s) approved for funding by DRPT in its Six-Year Improvement Program (SYIP) for Federal Fiscal Year 2025/State Fiscal Year 2026. DRPT would like to request that Hampton Roads revise the project(s) and funding below in its FY2024-2027 TIP:

STIP ID: SSV0003

Title: Operating Assistance

Recipient: Senior Services of Southeastern Virginia

- Revise FY25 State Funding: \$59,382
- Revise FY25 Federal 5310 Funding: \$475,052
- Revise FY25 Local Funding: \$59,382

Please consider these requests at an upcoming Technical Advisory Committee meeting with later approval by the Policy Board. It is confirmed that TIP changes should be approved and transmitted to DRPT as soon as possible after the July 17, 2025 HRTPO Board Meeting. Please include signed HRTPO Board Action Letter, revised TIP sheet, and supporting STIP action forms by this date. If there are any questions, please contact me at (804) 965-3514 or [tiffany.dubinsky@drpt.virginia.gov](mailto:tiffany.dubinsky@drpt.virginia.gov).

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June 11, 2025

Mr. Robert A. Crum, Jr.  
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RE: FY 2024 - 27 HRTPO TIP Amendment UPC 123173

Dear Mr. Crum,

The Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) requests a TIP Amendment from the Hampton Roads Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO) to add UPC 123173, #SMART24 West Queen Street Corridor Improvements, in the FY 2024-27 TIP. The project proposes to improve bike and pedestrian connections on W. Queen St in the City of Hampton by adding a 10' shared use path and missing sidewalk segments. The work will take place within the existing right of way, utilizing a road diet. The existing 4-lane undivided facility will be reduced to 2-lanes, with the existing north side lanes being converted to a 10' shared use path. The proposed roadway configuration results in one lane in each direction. The 10' shared use path will be located on the north side of W. Queen St. Sidewalks will be introduced on the south side of Queen St from St. Johns Drive to Power Plant Parkway. Additional segments of sidewalk will be added in missing sections. On the western terminus of Queen St, the shared use path will transition to a 5' sidewalk from Weaver Rd to Power Plant Parkway. Project also includes mill and overlay, restriping of pavement markings and connections to the Power Plant Parkway Sidewalk project. Fiscal constraint of the project is demonstrated outside of the current TIP years, but within the FY 2025-2030 SYIP. To that end, we request UPC 123173 be added to the FY 2024-27 TIP including the following information:

- UPC 123173 – #SMART24 West Queen Street Corridor Improvements
  - Non-Federal Oversight
  - FY Previous Obligations
    - No Previous Obligations
  - Add FY 24 - 27 Obligations:
    - PE (FY25) Federal – Other \$612,022

June 11, 2025

- Cost Estimate \$4,544,804

Phase	Cost Estimate	Start Date	End Date	Status
<b>PE</b>	\$612,022	08/01/2025	12/17/2027	FY25
<b>RW</b>	\$0	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>CN</b>	\$3,932,782	12/17/2027	12/04/2028	FY27

- Add FY Previous and FY 24 - 27 Allocations:

Fund Name	Previous Allocations	FY2024	FY2025	FY2026	FY2027	TOTAL
DGP Supp- State	\$0	\$0	\$200,000	\$35,000	\$400,000	\$635,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$200,000</b>	<b>\$35,000</b>	<b>\$400,000</b>	<b>\$635,000</b>

The Department is requesting that the staff of the Hampton Roads TPO process this TIP Amendment at your next meeting. Attached is the proposed TIP workup sheet for your reference. Thank you for your support in this effort.

Sincerely,

**Angela Effah-Amponsah**

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Re: Hampton Roads FY 2024-2027 TIP Amendment  
UPC T22709 – Victoria Boulevard Facility Upgrades – Phase 2

Dear Mr. Crum:

The Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) requests a TIP Amendment from the Hampton Roads Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO) to add the Construction Phase, and revise the cost estimate, schedule, allocations, and obligations for UPC T22709. Any other funds pertaining to this project are attached to the STIP ID portion of the project, HRT0082, which is also located in Section X – Public Transportation System Projects – in the TIP. Fiscal constraint of the project is demonstrated with the TIP years.

Please note that the allocations pertaining to FY 2024 and FY 2025 Carbon Reduction Program (CRP) funds are already listed in VDOT's Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP). However, the allocations are necessary in this request letter as the funds are not yet reflected in the Hampton Roads FY 2024-2027 TIP.

The specific details of the request are as follows:

- **UPC T22709 – Victoria Boulevard Facility Upgrades – Phase 2**
  - Revise Cost Estimate as follows:
    - Preliminary Engineering (PE): \$10,100,000
    - Right of Way (RW): \$0
    - Construction (CN): \$897,100
    - Total Cost Estimate: \$10,997,100
  - Revise Schedule as follows:
    - PE Start: 10/1/2024; End: 3/31/2027
    - RW: N/A
    - CN Start: 1/1/2027; End: 3/31/2029
  - Allocations as follows:
    - Add FY 2024 Carbon Reduction Program (CRP) allocation of \$80,000, plus \$20,000 CRP match
    - Add FY 2025 CRP allocation of \$717,680, plus \$179,420 CRP match

Crum – FY 2024-27 HRTPO TIP Administrative Modification UPC T22709  
May 9, 2025

- Revise Obligations as follows:
  - Add FY 2025 PE Phase RSTP obligation of \$4,368,409, plus \$1,092,102 RSTP match
  - Add FY 2025 PE Phase CRP obligation of \$80,000, plus \$20,000 CRP match
  - Add FY 2025 CN Phase CRP obligation of \$717,680, plus \$179,420 CRP match

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RE: FY 2024 - 27 HRTPO TIP Amendment UPC 121187

Dear Mr. Crum,

The Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) requests a TIP Amendment from the Hampton Roads Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO) revise the schedule, cost estimate, allocations, and obligations for UPC 121187, Independence at Baxter Ped Improvements – App ID 8081, in the FY 2024-27 TIP. This project will provide an at-grade pedestrian crossing at the South Independence Boulevard and Baxter Road/South Boulevard intersection, with two crosswalk legs, ADA ramps, pedestrian signal heads and pushbuttons, and a 6' pedestrian refuge in the median on South Independence Boulevard. Fiscal constraint of the subject project is demonstrated. To that end, we request UPC 121187 be revised in the FY 2024-27 TIP including the following information:

- UPC 121187 – UPC 121187, Independence at Baxter Ped Improvements – App ID 8081
  - Non-Federal Oversight
  - FY Previous Obligations
    - PE Federal – TAP/F \$87,197
    - PE Federal – TAP/F (M) \$21,799
  - Replace FY 24 - 27 Obligations with the following:
    - PE (FY25) Federal – TAP/F \$15,281
    - PE (FY25) Federal – TAP/F (M) \$3,820
    - CN (FY27) Federal – TAP/F \$176,179
    - CN (FY27) Federal – TAP/F (M) \$44,045
    - CN (FY27) Federal – Other \$279,704

- Estimate \$628,025 (Increased)

Phase	Cost Estimate	Start Date	End Date	Status
PE	\$128,098	06/07/2023	02/19/2027	Underway
RW	\$0	N/A	N/A	N/A
CN	\$499,927	02/19/2027	09/06/2028	FY27

- FY Previous and FY 24 - 27 Allocations:

Fund Name	Previous Allocations	FY2024	FY2025	FY2026	FY2027	TOTAL
TAP	\$278,657	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$278,657
LOC	\$125,193	\$0	\$224,175	\$0	\$0	\$349,368
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$403,850</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$224,175</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$628,025</b>

The Department is requesting that the staff of the Hampton Roads TPO process this TIP Amendment at your next meeting. Attached is the proposed TIP workup sheet for your reference. Thank you for your support in this effort.

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RE: FY 2024 - 27 HRTPO TIP Amendment UPC 115378

Dear Mr. Crum,

The Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) requests a TIP Amendment from the Hampton Roads Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO) to add UPC 115378, Five (5) Bus Replacement, in the FY 2024-27 TIP. The project states that five of WATA's 35-foot buses are due to be replaced. The buses which will have met their useful life prior to FY 2025 would be replaced with new more efficient and sustainable buses. Fiscal constraint of the project is demonstrated. To that end, we request UPC 115378 be added to the FY 2024-27 TIP including the following information:

- UPC 115378 – Five (5) Bus Replacement
  - Non-Federal Oversight
  - FY Previous Obligations
    - No Previous Obligations
  - Cost Estimate \$2,925,000

Phase	Cost Estimate	Start Date	End Date	Status
PE	\$0	02/19/2025	05/23/2025	FY25
RW	\$0	N/A	N/A	N/A
CN	\$2,925,000	05/23/2025	05/20/2027	FY25

- Add FY Previous and FY 24 - 27 Allocations:

Fund Name	Previous Allocations	FY2024	FY2025	FY2026	FY2027	TOTAL
CMAQ	\$0	\$0	\$129,499	\$0	\$2,923,637	\$3,053,136
CMAQ (M)	\$0	\$0	\$517,997	\$0	\$730,909	\$1,248,906
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$647,496</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$3,654,546</b>	<b>\$4,302,042</b>

The Department is requesting that the staff of the Hampton Roads TPO process this TIP Amendment at your next meeting. Attached is the proposed TIP workup sheet for your reference. Thank you for your support in this effort.

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June 20, 2025

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Re: Hampton Roads FY 2024-2027 TIP Amendment  
UPC 127832 – CRP Electric/Hybrid Expansion Support Vehicle

Dear Mr. Crum:

The Williamsburg Area Transit Authority (WATA) requests a TIP Amendment from the Hampton Roads Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO) to amend the FY 2024-2027 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) to add UPC 127832, a WATA project. Any other funds associated with UPC 127832 will be reflected on STIP ID WAT0073, which is being added simultaneously to the TIP. Both projects will be located in Section X – Public Transportation System Projects, of the FY 2027-2027 TIP.

The specific details of the request are as follows:

- **UPC 127832 – CRP Electric/Hybrid Expansion Support Vehicle**
  - Add project to TIP.
  - Description: Purchase electric/hybrid vehicle for maintenance, repairs, and improvements associated with bus stops.
  - Length: N/A
  - Termini: N/A
  - System: Public Transportation
  - Scope: Transit
  - Oversight: Federal Oversight
  - Administered by: WATA-DRPT
  - Regionally Significant for Air Quality: No
  - CMAQ: No
  - RSTP: No
  - CRP: Yes
  - Cost Estimate as follows:
    - Preliminary Engineering (PE): \$110,000
    - Right of Way (RW): \$0
    - Construction (CN): \$0
    - Total Cost Estimate: \$110,000



- Schedule as follows:
  - PE Start: 7/1/2025; End: 6/30/2026
  - RW: N/A
  - CN: N/A
- Allocations as follows:
  - Add FY 2024 Carbon Reduction Program (CRP) allocation of \$88,000, plus \$22,000 CRP match

Current cost estimate, schedule, and allocations have been confirmed with VDOT, DRPT, and HRTPO staff. Fiscal constraint of the project is demonstrated, and all funding has been identified.

Sincerely,

*Timothy Sullivan*

Timothy Sullivan,  
Budget Management Specialist



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STIP ID WAT0073 – CRP Electric/Hybrid Expansion Support Vehicle

Dear Mr. Crum:

The Williamsburg Area Transit Authority (WATA) requests a TIP Amendment from the Hampton Roads Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO) to amend the FY 2024-2027 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) to add STIP ID WAT0073, a WATA DRPT-Administered project. The Carbon Reduction Program (CRP) funds associated with STIP ID WATA0073 will be reflected on UPC 127832 in order to individually track these funds. UPC 127832 is being added simultaneously to the TIP and both projects will be located in Section X – Public Transportation System Projects, of the FY 2027-2027 TIP.

The specific details of the request are as follows:

- **STIP ID WAT0073 – CRP Electric/Hybrid Expansion Support Vehicle**
  - Add project to TIP
  - Add FY 2025 Local funding of \$5K

Current allocations have been confirmed with DRPT, and fiscal constraint of the project is demonstrated, and all funding has been identified.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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