

H. Amended 2045 Long-Range Transportation Plan (LRTP) and FY 2021-2024 Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP) Regional Conformity Assessment Report

The *Regional Conformity Assessment (RCA) for the Amended 2045 LRTP and FY 2021-2024 TIP* has been completed, following applicable federal guidance as well as local consultation procedures. A finding of conformity for the Amended 2045 LRTP and FY 2021-2024 TIP is proposed, as all applicable EPA and local conformity criteria have been met. The RCA (see link below) was made available for public review from October 27, 2021 through November 9, 2021. No public comments were received.

The Transportation Technical Advisory Committee (TTAC) has recommended Board approval of the *RCA for the Amended 2045 LRTP and FY 2021-2024 TIP*.

Upon HRTPO Board approval, VDOT will transmit the final RCA to the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) to initiate the 45-day federal review and approval process by FHWA in coordination with the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) and consultation with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

The *Hampton Roads Regional Conformity Assessment: Amended 2045 Long-Range Transportation Plan and Fiscal Year 2021-2024 Transportation Improvement Program* can be viewed at: https://www.hrtpo.org/uploads/docs/DRAFT_HR_RCA_2045LRTP_FY21-24TIP.pdf

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Approve the Regional Conformity Assessment and finding of conformity for the Hampton Roads Amended 2045 LRTP and FY 2021-2024 TIP.