

**G. FY 2021-2024 TIP Amendment: Request to Transfer RSTP Funds from the HRTPO RSTP Reserve Account: Gloucester County  
UPC 110627 – George Washington Highway (Route 17) Widening – Phase 1**

Attached is a request from Gloucester County to amend the FY 2021-2024 HRTPO Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) to revise the cost estimate and to transfer a total of \$8,320,582 in Regional Surface Transportation Program (RSTP) funds from the HRTPO RSTP Reserve Account to UPC 110627. With the passage of the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA), more funding was made available for the Regional Surface Transportation Program (RSTP) for FY 2022-2028. These funds are currently in the HRTPO RSTP Reserve Account and will address project cost overruns, primarily due to inflation. The specifics of the request are described below:

- **UPC 110627 – George Washington Highway (Route 17) Widening – Phase 1**
  - Revise Cost Estimate as follows:
    - Preliminary Engineering (PE): \$4,428,564
    - Right of Way (RW): \$21,529,808
    - Construction (CN): \$35,198,900
    - Total Cost Estimate: \$61,157,272
  - Revise Allocations as follows:
    - Receive FY 2027 RSTP allocation of \$3,618,233, plus \$904,558 RSTP match from the HRTPO RSTP Reserve Account
    - Receive FY 2028 RSTP allocation of \$3,038,233, plus \$759,559 RSTP match from the HRTPO RSTP Reserve Account

UPC 110627 is a regionally significant project for air quality conformity and was included in the Regional Conformity Assessment (RCA) for the FY 2021-2024 TIP and the 2045 LRTP that received a conformity finding from the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and Federal Transit Administration (FTA) on August 17, 2022. The actions in this TIP Amendment are not regionally significant in nature, and therefore, do not require a new conformity determination.

This request is being made available for public review and comment from January 25, 2023 through February 8, 2023.

Attachment 7G

**A representative from Gloucester County will be available to answer questions on this item.**

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Recommend HRTPO Board approval of the RSTP funding transfers and the associated TIP amendment.



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January 23, 2023

Mr. Robert A. Crum, Jr.  
Executive Director  
Hampton Roads Transportation Planning Organization  
723 Woodlake Drive  
Chesapeake, VA 23320

Re: Hampton Roads FY 2021-2024 TIP Amendment: Request to Transfer RSTP Funding from the HRTPO RSTP Reserve Account: UPC 110627

Dear Mr. Crum:

Gloucester County requests an amendment to the FY 2021-2024 HRTPO Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) to revise the cost estimate and to transfer a total of \$8,320,582 in Regional Surface Transportation Program (RSTP) funds from the HRTPO RSTP Reserve Account to UPC 110627. With the passage of the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA), more funding was made available for the Regional Surface Transportation Program (RSTP) for FY 2022-2028. These funds are currently in the HRTPO RSTP Reserve Account and will address project cost overruns, primarily due to inflation. Therefore, the County requests the following revisions as detailed below:

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Current cost estimates, allocations, obligations, expenditures, and funds available for transfer associated with the subject projects have been confirmed with the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT).

Sincerely,



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