

**AGENDA ITEM #9: FY 2015-2018 TIP REVISION – RSTP TRANSFER REQUEST**  
***Dawn Odom, VDOT***

Attached is a request from the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) to transfer a total of \$1,000,000 in Regional Surface Transportation Program (RSTP) funds from one canceled project to the HRTPO RSTP Reserve Account. The specifics of the request are described below:

- Route 58 Lane Reversal Study (UPC 95050) in Suffolk and Chesapeake
  - Project canceled
  - Transfer \$1,000,000 FY 2011 RSTP allocation to HRTPO RSTP Reserve Account

Should the HRTPO Board approve the RSTP fund transfer described above, the FY 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) will be amended to update the funding information associated with the project. This request has been made available for public review and comment from August 30, 2017 through September 13, 2017.

**Ms. Dawn Odom, VDOT Hampton Roads District Planning and Investment Manager, will brief the TTAC on this item.**

Attachment 9

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Recommend HRTPO Board approval of the RSTP fund transfer and the associated TIP amendment.



## COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
HAMPTON ROADS DISTRICT  
1700 NORTH MAIN STREET  
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**Charles A. Kilpatrick, P.E.**  
Commissioner

August 3, 2017

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

Dear Mr. Crum,

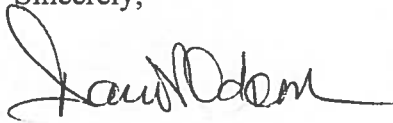
This letter serves to inform the Hampton Roads Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO) that VDOT has cancelled the Route 58 Lane Reversal project, UPC 95050, and that \$1 million of RSTP funding is available for transfer to another project or balance entry account. The project was canceled based on a scope of work that is now obsolete due to regional interstate projects currently underway. Please see a summary of the project below.

- The Route 58 Lane Reversal project (UPC 95050) was programmed in the FY2010 SYIP update and the preliminary engineering (PE) phase was fully funded in FY2015 at \$600,000
- The scope of work was to install median crossovers at three locations in Chesapeake, Portsmouth and Suffolk. The scope included installation of gates, signs, guardrail, and widening Route 58/Pruden Boulevard exit ramp.
- In the early planning stages PE was accelerated and began in September 2011. To date \$747,157 has been spent on PE, plans are 90% complete.
- The project was never funded for construction.
- Subsequent to the design of this project, the Hampton Roads Region prioritized and funded several major interstate projects, such as the I64 Southside Widening and High Rise Bridge. Construction of this widening on I64 renders the scope of work under UPC 95050 obsolete.
- VDOT has cancelled UPC 95050 and the project is ready for closeout. The PE expenditures have been covered with state funds and the \$1,000,000 of RSTP funding is available for transfer.

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Please contact this office if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dawn Odom". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Dawn" being more prominent than the last name "Odom".

Dawn Odom  
Planning & Investment Manager

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