

Northeastern Indiana Regional Coordinating Council



April 8, 2026

April Leckie
Office of Asset Planning & Management
Indiana Department of Transportation
100 N. Senate Ave. RM N955-PL
Indianapolis, IN 46204

RE: Approval of Group Project Administrative Modification to the 2026-2030 NIRCC TIP

Dear April,

This is to inform you of the approval of the Group Project Administrative Modification 26-107m to the 2026-2030 Northeastern Indiana Regional Coordinating Council's (NIRCC) Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). I have included the TIP sheet and the INDOT spreadsheet to detail the project.

- SR 37 #2200030 – INDOT, STBG – 26-107m
 - Adding RW phase
 - Conformity date: 10-2-25, exempt

A hard copy of this notice will NOT be sent. The revised 2026-2030 NIRCC TIP is available on NIRCC.com. Please contact me if you have any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

Stacey Gorsuch
Principal Transportation Planner

Attachments

2026-2030 TIP
Group Project Administrative Modification - April 3, 2026

Project Information: Route Location Work Type	DES #	Contract #	Phase	Fiscal Years & Cost Estimates					Other Year	Federal Funds	State Funds	AM #	Contract # Funding Letting	Conformity Date AQ Finding	Comments
				2026	2027	2028	2029	2030*							
SR 37	2200030	R-44528	PE	\$711,492						\$569,194	\$142,298	26-107g 26-57a	R-44528	10/2/2025	Adding RW phase to project
SR 37 from 0.2 mi n/o I-469 to 5.8 mi n/o I-469			RW		\$3,422,000					\$2,737,600	\$684,400		STP		
			CN		\$16,787,936					\$13,430,349	\$3,357,587			exempt	
Shoulder Rehabilitation and Repair										\$0	\$0		9/2/2026		
Total cost for project:	\$20,921,428		Totals	\$711,492	\$20,209,936	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$16,737,143	\$4,184,285				
SR 37	2200030	R-44528	PE	\$711,492						\$569,194	\$142,298	26-57a	R-44528	10/2/2025	
SR 37 from 0.2 mi n/o I-469 to 5.8 mi n/o I-469										\$0	\$0		STP		
			CN		\$16,787,936					\$13,430,349	\$3,357,587			exempt	
Shoulder Rehabilitation and Repair										\$0	\$0		9/2/2026		
Total cost for project:	\$17,499,428		Totals	\$711,492	\$16,787,936	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$13,999,543	\$3,499,885				

RESOLUTION NO. 8-26
A RESOLUTION ENDORSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE
FORT WAYNE-NEW HAVEN-ALLEN COUNTY
FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2026-2030
TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Northeastern Indiana Regional Coordinating Council (NIRCC) is the organization designated by the Governor as the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) responsible, together with the State, for carrying out the provisions of 23 U.S.C. 134 (Federal-Aid Highway planning requirements), and capable of meeting the requirements of 49 U.S.C. 5303 (Federal Transit planning requirements) in the Fort Wayne-New Haven-Allen County Metropolitan Planning Area; and

WHEREAS, the Urban Transportation Advisory Board serves as the Metropolitan Planning Organization policy body for the Northeastern Indiana Regional Coordinating Council; and

WHEREAS, all federally funded highway and transit improvements within Allen County must be included in the MPO Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) prior to the expenditure of federal funds; and

WHEREAS, the MPO consulted with the Interagency Consultation Group (ICG) and the agencies concurred the proposed TIP amendment includes only exempt projects; no new conformity determination is required, the amendment meets transportation conformity requirements under Section 176(C) of the Clean Air Act and 40 CFR Parts 51.390 and 93, and there is no need to update the conformity analysis or issue a new conformity finding; and

WHEREAS, upon review of the amendments below, the Urban Transportation Advisory Board here within finds that they are consistent with the 2045 Transportation Plan and its corresponding conformity analysis; and

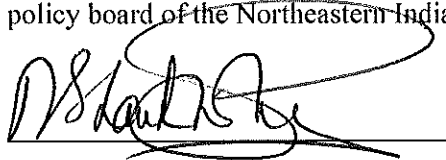
WHEREAS, the NIRCC Participation Plan does not require a separate public involvement meeting for TIP amendments, and the public participation procedure was followed; and

WHEREAS, this amendment will result in a TIP that remains fiscally constrained; and

WHEREAS, the Urban Transportation Advisory Board of the Fort Wayne-New Haven-Allen County Metropolitan Planning Organization from time to time amends its TIP; and

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, that the Fort Wayne-New Haven-Allen County Metropolitan Planning Organization's FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program is amended as presented in the attached.

ADOPTED by the Urban Transportation Advisory Board, as the Metropolitan Planning Organization policy board of the Northeastern Indiana Regional Coordinating Council on this 7th day of April 2026.



Shan Gunawardena, Chairperson
Urban Transportation Advisory Board

2026-2030 TIP
UTAB - April 7, 2026
Exempt Projects

Project Information: Route Location Work Type	DES #	Phase	Fiscal Years & Funding Amounts					Other Year	Federal Funds	Local Funds	Priority	LPA	Contract # Funding Letting	Conformity Date AQ Finding	Comments
			2026	2027	2028	2029	2030*					AM#			
Monroeville Road Bridge #295 Bridge over Flatrock Creek, 0.10 mi e/o SR 101 Bridge Replacement	2501384	PE RW CN		\$780,000		\$105,000		2031	\$624,000 \$84,000 \$2,986,400	\$156,000 \$21,000 \$746,600	2 4 6	AC 26-98a	B-46645 STBG (INDOT)	3/19/2026 exempt	new project, PE FY27, RW FY29, CN FY31
Total cost for project:	\$4,618,000		\$0	\$780,000	\$0	\$105,000	\$0		\$3,694,400	\$923,600					
Homestead Road over the Graham McColluch Ditch Bridge Rehabilitation or Repair	2501381	PE RW CN		\$526,000		\$45,000	\$2,467,000		\$420,800 \$36,000 \$1,973,600	\$105,200 \$9,000 \$493,400	2 4 5	AC 26-99a	B-46646 STBG (INDOT)	3/19/2026 exempt	new project, PE FY27, RW FY29, CN FY30
Total cost for project:	\$3,038,000		\$0	\$526,000	\$0	\$45,000	\$2,467,000		\$2,430,400	\$607,600					
Tile Mill Road & Brobst Road Multi-use path along Tile Mill Road and Brobst Road Bike/Pedestrian Facilities	2501461	PE RW UT RR CN CE		\$385,000		\$110,000		2032 2032 2032 2032	\$308,000 \$88,000 \$20,000 \$240,000 \$1,063,030 \$170,085	\$77,000 \$22,000 \$5,000 \$60,000 \$265,758 \$42,521	2 4 7 7 7	WB 26-100a	R-46644 INDOT TA	3/16/2026 exempt	New Project
Total cost for project:	\$2,361,394		\$0	\$385,000	\$0	\$110,000	\$0		\$1,889,115	\$472,279					

26-98a, 99a, 100a	Amendment
	Modification
	Grouped Project

NIRCC
4/8/2026

NIRCC AM#	Sponsor	STIP Request Type for INDOT	Lead DES	Contract #	Secondary Des #'s	Project Grouping Number *ALL Des #'s must be in a Grouping Work Type*	Route	Work Type	Location	Type of Change	Phase	Federal	Match	2026	2027	2028	2029
26-98a	Allen	Amendment	2501384	B-46645	n/a	N/A	Monroeville Rd Bridge #295	Bridge Replacement	Bridge over Flatrock Creek, 0.10 mi e/o SR 101	New Project	PE	\$ 624,000	\$ 156,000		\$ 780,000		
	Allen	Amendment	2501384	B-46645	n/a	N/A	Monroeville Rd Bridge #295	Bridge Replacement	Bridge over Flatrock Creek, 0.10 mi e/o SR 101	New Project	RW	\$ 84,000	\$ 21,000				\$ 105,000
	Allen	Amendment	2501384	B-46645	n/a	N/A	Monroeville Rd Bridge #295	Bridge Replacement	Bridge over Flatrock Creek, 0.10 mi e/o SR 101	New Project	CN	\$ 2,986,400	\$ 746,600				
26-99a	Allen	Amendment	2501381	B-46646	n/a	N/A	Homestead Road	Bridge Rehabilitation Or Repair	over the Graham McColluch Ditch	New Project	PE	\$ 420,800	\$ 105,200		\$ 526,000		
	Allen	Amendment	2501381	B-46646	n/a	N/A	Homestead Road	Bridge Rehabilitation Or Repair	over the Graham McColluch Ditch	New Project	RW	\$ 36,000	\$ 9,000				\$ 45,000
	Allen	Amendment	2501381	B-46646	n/a	N/A	Homestead Road	Bridge Rehabilitation Or Repair	over the Graham McColluch Ditch	New Project	CN	\$ 1,973,600	\$ 493,400				
26-100a	Woodburn	Amendment	2501461	R-46644	n/a	N/A	Tile Mill Rd & Brobst Rd	Bike/Pedestrian Facilities	Multi-use path along Tile Mill Road and Brobst Road	New Project	PE	\$ 308,000	\$ 77,000		\$ 385,000		
	Woodburn	Amendment	2501461	R-46644	n/a	N/A	Tile Mill Rd & Brobst Rd	Bike/Pedestrian Facilities	Multi-use path along Tile Mill Road and Brobst Road	New Project	RW	\$ 88,000	\$ 22,000				\$ 110,000
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	Woodburn	Amendment	2501461	R-46644	n/a	N/A	Tile Mill Rd & Brobst Rd	Bike/Pedestrian Facilities	Multi-use path along Tile Mill Road and Brobst Road	New Project	CN	\$ 1,063,030	\$ 265,758				
	Woodburn	Amendment	2501461	R-46644	n/a	N/A	Tile Mill Rd & Brobst Rd	Bike/Pedestrian Facilities	Multi-use path along Tile Mill Road and Brobst Road	New Project	CE	\$ 170,085	\$ 42,521				

Total Project Cost	Specific change to project (Please include Phase, FY and Amount increase/decrease) *If multiple des #'s, please state the specific Des #(s) being updated*	Air Quality information (if applicable)
\$ 4,618,000.00	new project, PE FY27	AQC date: 3-19-26, exempt finding
\$ 4,618,000.00	new project, RW FY29	AQC date: 3-19-26, exempt finding
\$ 4,618,000.00	new project, CN FY31	AQC date: 3-19-26, exempt finding
\$ 3,038,000.00	new project, PE FY27	AQC date: 3-19-26, exempt finding
\$ 3,038,000.00	new project, RW FY29	AQC date: 3-19-26, exempt finding
\$ 3,038,000.00	new project, CN FY30	AQC date: 3-19-26, exempt finding
\$ 2,361,394	New project, PE FY27	AQC date: 3-16-26, exempt finding
\$ 2,361,394	New project, RW FY29	AQC date: 3-16-26, exempt finding
\$ 2,361,394	New project, UT FY32	AQC date: 3-16-26, exempt finding
\$ 2,361,394	New project, RR FY32	AQC date: 3-16-26, exempt finding
\$ 2,361,394	New project, CN FY32	AQC date: 3-16-26, exempt finding
\$ 2,361,394	New project, CE FY32	AQC date: 3-16-26, exempt finding

	Amendment
	Modification
26-107g	Grouped Project

STIP AMENDMENT and/or MODIFICATION REQUEST

Date: 4/2/2026
Requestor: Fort Wayne District

NIRCC #	Sponsor	STIP Request Type for INDOT	Lead DES	Contract #	Secondary Des #'s	Project Grouping Number *ALL Des #'s must be in a Grouping Work Type*	Route	Work Type	Location	County	District	Miles	Federal Category	Type of Change	Phase	Federal	Match	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	Total Project Cost	Specific change to project (Please include Phase, FY and Amount increase/decrease) *If multiple des #'s, please state the specific Des #(s) being updated*	Air Quality information (if applicable)
26-107g	INDOT	Amendment	2200030	R-44528	2200640, 2200642, 2200645, 2200646, 2200647, 2200648, 2200927, 2400067, 2401323, 2500481		SR37	Shoulder Rehabilitation	SR 37 From 0.2 miles N of I-469 to 5.8 miles N of I-469	Allen	Ft Wayne	5.52	STBG	New Phase	RW	\$ 2,737,600	\$ 684,400		\$ 3,422,000				\$ 30,596,301.00	Adding RW	AQC date: 10-2-25, exempt finding

STIP A26-MPO 9 NIRCC
Air Quality IGC Documentation

AQ Exempt 3-19-26

3-12-26 NIRCC Notification to ICG

Project List

3-12-26 FHWA Response:

"FHWA has reviewed and has no questions or comments at this time."

3-12-26 FHWA Response II

"Would you please provide the attachment outlining the project?"

3-12-26 FHWA Response III

"FHWA has reviewed and has no questions or comments at this time."

3-12-26 NIRCC Response to FHWA

"Sorry, here's the attachment."

3-12-26 EPA's Response

"No comments or questions on this project from EPA."

3-12-26 IDEM's Response

"Based on the information provided, IDEM concurs that these projects appear to be exempt for transportation conformity purposes."

2026-2030 TIP
ICG - March 12, 2026

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From: Story, Paige <paige.story@dot.gov>
Sent: Thursday, March 12, 2026 11:20 AM
To: Maietta, Anthony
Cc: Jeff Bradtmiller; Anthony Greep; CALLAHAN, BRIAN; Cecilia Crenshaw; Plattner, Dana; Baukert, Frank; FERRIS, GALE; Kaiser, Jason; Mitchell, Jay; John Metzinger; Cales, Michael; SEALS, SHAWN; Belch, Stephanie; Susan Weber (susan.weber@dot.gov); Tait, Erica (FHWA); Stacey Gorsuch
Subject: Re: ACTION REQUESTED - ICG Communication - 3-9-26 NIRCC Transportation Conformity AM #26-100a

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Good morning Jeff,

FHWA has reviewed and has no questions or comments at this time.

Best,



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On Tue, Mar 10, 2026 at 10:56 AM Maietta, Anthony <Maietta.Anthony@epa.gov> wrote:

Hey again Jeff,

EPA concurs that the project is exempt. No other comments or questions on this project amendment.

-Tony

Anthony Maietta

EPA Region 5

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From: Jeff Bradtmiller <Jeff.Bradtmiller@allencounty.in.gov>

Sent: Monday, March 9, 2026 10:29 AM

To: Anthony Greep <anthony.greep@dot.gov>; BCALLAHA@idem.IN.gov; Cecilia Crenshaw <Cecilia.Crenshaw@dot.gov>; DPLATTNER@indot.IN.gov; Frank Baukert <FBAUKERT@indot.IN.gov>; Gale Ferris <GFERRIS@idem.IN.gov>; Jason Kaiser <JASONKAISER@indot.IN.gov>; Jay Mitchell <jaymitchell@indot.in.gov>; John Metzinger <JKM@fwcitilink.com>; Mike Cales <mcales@indot.in.gov>; Paige Story <Paige.story@dot.gov>; sseals@idem.in.gov; Stephanie Belch <sbelch@indot.in.gov>; Susan Weber (susan.weber@dot.gov) <susan.weber@dot.gov>; Tait, Erica (FHWA) <erica.tait@dot.gov>; Maietta, Anthony <Maietta.Anthony@epa.gov>

Cc: Stacey Gorsuch <Stacey.Gorsuch@allencounty.in.gov>

Subject: ACTION REQUESTED - ICG Communication - 3-9-26 NIRCC Transportation Conformity AM #26-100a

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Hello ICG members,

NIRCC has one project amendment to the FY 2026-2030 TIP for consideration by the Urban Transportation Advisory Board (UTAB) at the upcoming meeting on 4-7-26. The project has been determined as exempt by NIRCC.

Our proposed schedule for this amendment is:

- 3-9-26 – ICG email communication (informal consultation – this email)
- 3-16-26 – deadline for ICG questions or comments on the included project amendments
- 3-9-26 to 3-24-26 – public comment period on amendment
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26-100a

DES #2501491

Contract TBD

Tile Mill & Bobst Road

TA (INDOT)

Bike/Pedestrian Facilities

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Thanks,

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Subject: RE: ACTION REQUESTED - ICG Communication - 3-12-26 NIRCC Transportation Conformity (AM 26-99a)
Attachments: AM 26-99a Homestead Road ICG 3-12-26.pdf

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26-99a

DES #2501381

Homestead Road

STBG (INDOT)

Bridge Rehabilitation or Repair

Exempt

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26-98a

DES #2501384

Monroeville Road Bridge #295

STBG (INDOT)

Bridge Replacement

Exempt

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Cc: Stacey Gorsuch
Subject: RE: ACTION REQUESTED - ICG Communication - 3-12-26 NIRCC Transportation Conformity (AM 26-98a)

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Hey Jeff,

No comments or questions on this project from EPA.

-Tony

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26-98a
DES #2501384
Monroeville Road Bridge #295
STBG (INDOT)
Bridge Replacement
Exempt

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Mitchell, Jay

From: SEALS, SHAWN
Sent: Thursday, March 12, 2026 12:47 PM
To: Jeff Bradtmiller; Story, Paige
Cc: Anthony Greep; CALLAHAN, BRIAN; Cecilia Crenshaw; Plattner, Dana; Baukert, Frank; FERRIS, GALE; Kaiser, Jason; Mitchell, Jay; John Metzinger; Cales, Michael; Belch, Stephanie; Susan Weber (susan.weber@dot.gov); Tait, Erica (FHWA); Tony Maietta; Stacey Gorsuch
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Greetings,

Based on the information provided, IDEM concurs that these projects appear to be exempt for transportation conformity purposes.

Thanks...Peace...Shawn

From: Jeff Bradtmiller <Jeff.Bradtmiller@allencounty.in.gov>
Sent: Thursday, March 12, 2026 11:41 AM
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From: Story, Paige <paige.story@dot.gov>
Sent: Thursday, March 12, 2026 11:23 AM

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Good morning Jeff,

Would you please provide the attachment outlining the project?

Best,



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On Thu, Mar 12, 2026 at 11:14 AM Jeff Bradtmiller <Jeff.Bradtmiller@allencounty.in.gov> wrote:

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26-99a
DES #2501381
Homestead Road
STBG (INDOT)
Bridge Rehabilitation or Repair
Exempt

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Subject: Re: ACTION REQUESTED - ICG Communication - 3-9-26 NIRCC Transportation Conformity AM #26-100a
Date: Thursday, March 12, 2026 11:20:47 AM
Attachments: [noname](#)

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Good morning Jeff,

FHWA has reviewed annd has no questions or comments at this time.

Best,



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On Tue, Mar 10, 2026 at 10:56 AM Maietta, Anthony <Maietta.Anthony@epa.gov> wrote:

Hey again Jeff,

EPA concurs that the project is exempt. No other comments or questions on this project amendment.

-Tony

Anthony Maietta

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- 3-9-26 – ICG email communication (informal consultation – this email)
- 3-16-26 – deadline for ICG questions or comments on the included project amendments
- 3-9-26 to 3-24-26 – public comment period on amendment
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26-100a

DES #2501491

Contract TBD

Tile Mill & Bobst Road

TA (INDOT)

Bike/Pedestrian Facilities

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