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March 13, 2026

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Indiana Department of Transportation
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Dear Mr. McNeil:

RE: Emergency Amendment #26-07.1

The Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission (NIRPC) is submitting Amendment #26-07.1 to the 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) via Emergency Amendment for inclusion in the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program.

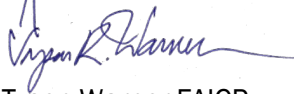
There are nine (9) projects on this amendment and the summary is as follows:

- 1901948 – Crown Point, Intersection Improvement at US 231 & 113th/South St.; Adding PE funds. An Air Quality Conformity Exempt project.
- 2101119 – Griffith, Intersection Improvement at Avenue H & Broad St.; Adding PE funds. An Air Quality Conformity Exempt project.
- 2300018 – City of La Porte, Comprehensive Plan; Adding PE funds. An Air Quality Exempt project.
- 2101711 – La Porte County, Bridge #166 Replacement; Adding RW funds. An Air Quality Exempt project.
- 1902676 – Lake County, Veteran’s Trail Bridge over St Rd 53/Broadway; Adding PE funds. An Air Quality Conformity Exempt project.
- 2101130 – Merrillville, Intersection Improvement at 69th & Mississippi St.; Adding RW funds. An Air Quality Conformity Exempt project.
- [REDACTED]
- 2003097 – INDOT, Intersection Improvement at US 231 & Iowa St.; Adding PE & RW funds. An Air Quality Exempt project.
- 2401489 – INDOT, Pavement Rehabilitation I-80; Adding PE funds. An Air Quality Exempt project.

It is necessary to submit this amendment in an expedited manner in order to allow a proper amount of time to process INDOT allocation of federal funds for these projects. According to NIRPC’s Public Participation Plan, Engage NWI, the Executive Director can authorize a TIP amendment without public process or Commission approval in two rare exceptions: life and safety, or the lapse of federal funds allocated to Northwestern Indiana. In this case, funds will become unavailable for programming after May 1, 2026, and will lapse on July 1, 2026. The attached amendment report contains the addition to be included in NIRPC’s TIP.

Should you have any questions, please contact Charles Bradsky, Transportation Projects Manager, at 219-254-2509.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Tyson Warner".

Tyson Warner FAICP
Executive Director

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1901948 (Ver 16) 26-07.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: Intersection Improvement-Roundabout US 231 & 113th **Route:** N/A
Description: Roundabout at US 231 and 113th. This will improve safety and congestion. This is an intersection project and the length is less than 0.05 miles on each leg.
Project Type: Intersection or Intersection Groups **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: increase funding for PE to \$155,056 total (\$124,045 federal) funds FY 26

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$31,011	\$168,750	\$0	\$0	\$199,761
2026	STBG Chicago UZA	\$124,045	\$393,750	\$0	\$0	\$517,795
2027	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$392,080	\$49,100	\$441,180
2027	STBG Chicago UZA	\$0	\$0	\$1,568,320	\$196,400	\$1,764,720
<2026	Prior	\$308,910	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$308,910
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$155,056	\$562,500	\$1,960,400	\$245,500	\$2,923,456
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$463,966	\$562,500	\$1,960,400	\$245,500	\$3,232,366

Region: Northwestern MPO **Lead Agency:** Crown Point

Previously Approved Version

1901948 (Ver 15) 26-03.1

Title: Intersection Improvement-Roundabout US 231 & 113th **Route:** N/A
Description: Roundabout at US 231 and 113th. This will improve safety and congestion. This is an intersection project and the length is less than 0.05 miles on each leg.
Project Type: Intersection or Intersection Groups **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Adding RW to this project.

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$0	\$168,750	\$0	\$0	\$168,750
2026	STBG Chicago UZA	\$0	\$393,750	\$0	\$0	\$393,750
2027	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$392,080	\$49,100	\$441,180
2027	STBG Chicago UZA	\$0	\$0	\$1,568,320	\$196,400	\$1,764,720
<2026	Prior	\$308,910	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$308,910
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$562,500	\$1,960,400	\$245,500	\$2,768,400
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$308,910	\$562,500	\$1,960,400	\$245,500	\$3,077,310

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Crown Point

2101119 (Ver 11) 26-07.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: Roundabout at Broad St and Ave H **Route:** N/A
Description: Broad St. and Avenue H Intersection Improvement Project (Roundabout). Total project radius is 0.04 mi.
Project Type: Intersection or Intersection Groups **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Added PE to projects \$168,068 total (\$134,454 fed) in FY 26

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$33,614	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$33,614
2026	STBG Chicago UZA	\$134,454	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$134,454
2029	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$369,761	\$90,356	\$460,117
2029	STBG Chicago UZA	\$0	\$0	\$3,174,200	\$361,423	\$3,535,623
<2026	Prior	\$205,090	\$425,000	\$0	\$0	\$630,090
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$168,068	\$0	\$3,543,961	\$451,779	\$4,163,808
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$373,158	\$425,000	\$3,543,961	\$451,779	\$4,793,898

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Griffith

Previously Approved Version

2101119 (Ver 10) 26-02.1

Title: Roundabout at Broad St and Ave H **Route:** N/A
Description: Broad St. and Avenue H Intersection Improvement Project (Roundabout). Total project radius is 0.04 mi.
Project Type: Intersection or Intersection Groups **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: New Project in 26-30 TIP; adjusted CN funding, moved CN to FY 29

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2029	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$369,761	\$90,356	\$460,117
2029	STBG Chicago UZA	\$0	\$0	\$3,174,200	\$361,423	\$3,535,623
<2026	Prior	\$205,090	\$425,000	\$0	\$0	\$630,090
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$3,543,961	\$451,779	\$3,995,740
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$205,090	\$425,000	\$3,543,961	\$451,779	\$4,625,830

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Griffith

2003097 (Ver 9) 26-07.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: District Intersection Improvement Project **Route:** N/A
Description: Intersection Improvement, Roundabout on US 231 at Iowa Street. The diameter of the project is 0.10 mi.
Project Type: Intersection Improvement, Roundabout **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Move CN \$3,600,000 from FY26 to FY27 and CE \$160,000 from FY26 to FY27; increase RW from \$25,000 to 124,000.

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	NHPP Non Interstate	\$18,300	\$124,000	\$0	\$0	\$142,300
2027	NHPP Non Interstate	\$0	\$0	\$3,600,000	\$160,000	\$3,760,000
<2026	Prior	\$270,000	\$0	\$10,000	\$0	\$280,000
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$18,300	\$124,000	\$3,600,000	\$160,000	\$3,902,300
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$288,300	\$124,000	\$3,610,000	\$160,000	\$4,182,300

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: INDOT

Previously Approved Version

2003097 (Ver 8) 26-02.1

Title: District Intersection Improvement Project **Route:** N/A
Description: Intersection Improvement, Roundabout on US 231 at Iowa Street. The diameter of the project is 0.10 mi.
Project Type: Intersection Improvement, Roundabout **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Add RW \$25,000 to FY 26

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	NHPP Non Interstate	\$18,300	\$25,000	\$3,600,000	\$160,000	\$3,803,300
2026	Prior	\$270,000	\$0	\$10,000	\$0	\$280,000
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$18,300	\$25,000	\$3,600,000	\$160,000	\$3,803,300
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$288,300	\$25,000	\$3,610,000	\$160,000	\$4,083,300

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: INDOT

2401489 (Ver 5) 26-07.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: District Pavement Project (Interstate) **Route:** N/A
Description: Structural pavement; I-80: 1.8 mi. W. of SR 51 (Clay St.) to I-80/90 Interchange (Toll Road). The length of the project is 2.5 mi.
Project Type: HMA Overlay Minor Structural **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Increase FY26 PE from \$1,200,000 to \$3,120,269.00

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	NHPP Interstate	\$3,120,269	\$20,000	\$0	\$0	\$3,140,269
2029	NHPP Interstate	\$0	\$0	\$21,962,241	\$0	\$21,962,241
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$3,120,269	\$20,000	\$21,962,241	\$0	\$25,102,510
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$3,120,269	\$20,000	\$21,962,241	\$0	\$25,102,510

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: INDOT

Previously Approved Version

2401489 (Ver 4) 26-02.1

Title: District Pavement Project (Interstate) **Route:** N/A
Description: Structural pavement; I-80: 1.8 mi. W. of SR 51 (Clay St.) to I-80/90 Interchange (Toll Road). The length of the project is 2.5 mi.
Project Type: HMA Overlay Minor Structural **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Add FY26 PE \$1,200,000.00

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	NHPP Interstate	\$1,200,000	\$20,000	\$0	\$0	\$1,220,000
2029	NHPP Interstate	\$0	\$0	\$21,962,241	\$0	\$21,962,241
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$1,200,000	\$20,000	\$21,962,241	\$0	\$23,182,241
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$1,200,000	\$20,000	\$21,962,241	\$0	\$23,182,241

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: INDOT

2300018 (Ver 5) 26-07.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: City of La Porte Comprehensive and Transportation Plan **Route:** N/A

Description: This request is to develop a comprehensive and transportation plan for the city of La Porte. The plan will focus on several important transportation, land use, housing, economic development, environmental/resiliency, quality of life, and placemaking objectives for the city. The plan will also seek to analyze alternatives for truck routes to take heavy traffic out of the downtown area, and identify and develop implementation strategies for important transportation, alternative transportation, housing, economic development, community resiliency, and quality of life and placemaking initiatives of the city.

Project Type: Planning/Study **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte

County: Laporte **Limits:** Not Location Specific

Narrative: New project in current TIP (Carry over); add PE funds of \$203,600 - total (\$162,880 - fed)

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$40,720	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$40,720
2026	STBG Mich City UZA	\$162,880	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$162,880
<2026	Prior	\$350,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$350,000
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$203,600	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$203,600
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$553,600	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$553,600

Region: Northwestern MPO **Lead Agency:** La Porte

Previously Approved Version

2300018 (Ver 4) 24-16

Title: City of La Porte Comprehensive and Transportation Plan **Route:** N/A

Description: This request is to develop a comprehensive and transportation plan for the city of La Porte. The plan will focus on several important transportation, land use, housing, economic development, environmental/resiliency, quality of life, and placemaking objectives for the city. The plan will also seek to analyze alternatives for truck routes to take heavy traffic out of the downtown area, and identify and develop implementation strategies for important transportation, alternative transportation, housing, economic development, community resiliency, and quality of life and placemaking initiatives of the city.

Project Type: Planning/Study **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte

County: Laporte **Limits:** Not Location Specific

Narrative: Increased funding for PE

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2024	Local Fund	\$130,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$130,000
2024	STBG Mich City UZA	\$220,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$220,000
2024-2028 TOTAL		\$350,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$350,000
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$350,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$350,000

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: La Porte

2101711 (Ver 5) 26-07.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: Bridge #166 Replacement **Route:** N/A
Description: Bridge #166 just east of intersection of CR 400 West and CR 1650 South in Prairie Township. The length of this project is 0.05 mi. There are no added capacity (travel lanes) on this project.
Project Type: Bridge Replacement **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Laporte **Limits:**
Narrative: reduce RW funds from \$65,000 to \$32,500, changed funding type, and moved from FY24 to 26

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$0	\$6,500	\$0	\$0	\$6,500
2026	STBG Mich City UZA	\$0	\$26,000	\$0	\$0	\$26,000
2028	Local Bridge	\$0	\$0	\$880,000	\$132,000	\$1,012,000
2028	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$220,000	\$33,000	\$253,000
<2026	Prior	\$300,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$300,000
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$32,500	\$1,100,000	\$165,000	\$1,297,500
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$300,000	\$32,500	\$1,100,000	\$165,000	\$1,597,500

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: LaPorte County

Previously Approved Version

2101711 (Ver 4) 26-00

Title: Bridge #166 Replacement **Route:** N/A
Description: Bridge #166 just east of intersection of CR 400 West and CR 1650 South in Prairie Township. The length of this project is 0.05 mi.
Project Type: Bridge Replacement **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Laporte **Limits:**
Narrative: Changed FY27 to FY28

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2028	Local Bridge	\$0	\$0	\$880,000	\$132,000	\$1,012,000
2028	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$220,000	\$33,000	\$253,000
<2026	Prior	\$300,000	\$65,000	\$0	\$0	\$365,000
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$1,100,000	\$165,000	\$1,265,000
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$300,000	\$65,000	\$1,100,000	\$165,000	\$1,630,000

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: LaPorte County

1902676 (Ver 6) 26-07.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: Veteran's Memorial Parkway Trail Bridge **Route:** N/A
Description: Veteran's Memorial Parkway Trail - Bridge over SR 53 (Broadway). The length of this project is 350 ft.
Project Type: Bridge - Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Added PE funding of \$397,696 - total (\$318,157 Fed) in FY 26

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$318,157	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$318,157
2026	Local Fund	\$79,539	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$79,539
2028	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$0	\$0	\$1,471,717	\$100,000	\$1,571,717
2028	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$622,873	\$124,420	\$747,293
<2026	Prior	\$528,600	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$528,600
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$397,696	\$0	\$2,094,590	\$224,420	\$2,716,706
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$926,296	\$0	\$2,094,590	\$224,420	\$3,245,306

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Lake County

Previously Approved Version						
1902676		(Ver 5) 26-02.1				
Title:	Veteran's Memorial Parkway Trail Bridge					Route: N/A
Description:	Veteran's Memorial Parkway Trail - Bridge over SR 53 (Broadway). The length of this project is 350 ft.					
Project Type:	Bridge - Other	AQ Exempt: Exempt			District: LaPorte	
County:	Lake	Limits:				
Narrative:	New project in 26-30 TIP, moved CN to FY 2028					
FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2028	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$0	\$0	\$1,471,717	\$100,000	\$1,571,717
2028	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$622,873	\$124,420	\$747,293
<2026	Prior	\$528,600	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$528,600
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$2,094,590	\$224,420	\$2,319,010
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$528,600	\$0	\$2,094,590	\$224,420	\$2,847,610
Region: Northwestern MPO				Lead Agency: Lake County		

2101148 (Ver 9) 26-07.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: Singing Sands Trail Phase III-D **Route:** N/A
Description: Singing Sands Trail Phase III-D (Liberty Trail to 2011 E. Hwy 12). The length of this project is approximately 0.5 mi.
Project Type: Bicycle Enhancement **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Laporte **Limits:**
Narrative: Added PE funding \$54,114 - total (\$43,291 - Fed) in FY26

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$10,823	\$20,000	\$0	\$0	\$30,823
2026	TAP Mich City UZA	\$43,291	\$80,000	\$0	\$0	\$123,291
2027	Federal Special	\$0	\$0	\$2,036,924	\$284,001	\$2,320,925
2027	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$1,302,296	\$181,574	\$1,483,870
<2026	Prior	\$82,450	\$300,000	\$0	\$0	\$382,450
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$54,114	\$100,000	\$3,339,220	\$465,575	\$3,958,909
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$136,564	\$400,000	\$3,339,220	\$465,575	\$4,341,359

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Michigan City

Previously Approved Version

2101148 (Ver 8) 26-15

Title: Singing Sands Trail Phase III-D **Route:** N/A
Description: Singing Sands Trail Phase III-D (Liberty Trail to 2011 E. Hwy 12). The length of this project is approximately 0.5 mi.
Project Type: Bicycle Enhancement **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Laporte **Limits:**
Narrative: Changed fiscal year from FY 25 to FY 26 for ROW

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$0	\$20,000	\$0	\$0	\$20,000
2026	TAP Mich City UZA	\$0	\$80,000	\$0	\$0	\$80,000
2027	Federal Special	\$0	\$0	\$2,036,924	\$284,001	\$2,320,925
2027	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$1,302,296	\$181,574	\$1,483,870
<2026	Prior	\$82,450	\$300,000	\$0	\$0	\$382,450
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$100,000	\$3,339,220	\$465,575	\$3,904,795
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$82,450	\$400,000	\$3,339,220	\$465,575	\$4,287,245

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Michigan City

Northwestern MPO TIP SUMMARY BY LEAD AGENCY

	Prior	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029	FY 2030	FY 2031	Beyond	Total
Crown Point	\$617,820	\$1,280,056	\$4,411,800	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$6,309,676
Griffith	\$1,260,180	\$168,068	\$0	\$0	\$7,991,480	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$9,419,728
INDOT	\$560,000	\$8,305,869	\$3,760,000	\$0	\$43,924,482	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$56,550,351
La Porte	\$350,000	\$553,600	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$903,600
LaPorte County	\$665,000	\$32,500	\$0	\$2,530,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,227,500
Lake County	\$1,057,200	\$397,696	\$0	\$4,638,020	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$6,092,916
Michigan City	\$764,900	\$254,114	\$7,609,590	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$8,628,604
TOTAL	\$5,275,100	\$10,991,903	\$15,781,390	\$7,168,020	\$51,915,962	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$91,132,375



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February 19, 2026

Air Quality Supporting Documentations for Amendments 26-04.1 NIRPC MPO

List of documents in order in this document.

1. AQC Exempt email requesting Informal Guidance (12/22/2025)
2. List of projects in the Amendments
3. Resolution by NIRPC Commission (2/19/2026)
4. FHWA comments (12/31/2025)(no other responses returned)
AQ Exempt Date: 01/02/2026
5. NIRPC Response (None)
6. Public Comment Report (2/19/2026)

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Cc: [Charles Bradsky](#); [Tom Vander Woude](#); [Scott Weber](#); [Stephen Hughes](#); [Kathy Luther](#); [Ann Weitgenant](#)
Subject: Air Quality Interagency Coordination - NIRPC Proposed TIP Amendment # 26-04.1 for Lake, Porter and La Porte Counties
Date: Monday, December 22, 2025 3:37:00 PM
Attachments: [26-04 Summary for ICG.pdf](#)

Members of the ICG,

Happy Holidays,

The NIRPC MPO has 10 projects on Amendments 26-04 to the FY 2026-2030 TIP for consideration by the NIRPC Commission meeting at their upcoming meeting on 2/19/2026.

The Amendment contains: Exempt projects only. There are 10 projects (6 projects by the LPAs, 4 projects by INDOT).

Our proposed schedule for these amendments is:

- 12/22/2025 – ICG email communication (informal consultation – this email)
- 1/02/2026 – deadline for ICG questions or comments on the included project amendments
- 1/02/2026 – 1/23/26 – public/ICG comment period on amendments
- 2/19/2026 – Date of NIRPC Commission Meeting. And if the Amendment is approved, documents will be shared with FHWA to initiate formal consultation (if needed).

In lieu of a conference call, we are providing an attached spreadsheet of approval and/or amendment requests for the plans/programs listed below and their exemption status.

Please consider this an informal request for review and comment regarding the need for air quality consultation for the proposed amendments. We are requesting that you reply to this email by 1/02/2026. If you have any questions, comments, or would like to request a conference call to discuss further. Per the September/2022 Interagency Consultation Group Conformity Consultation Guidance Document, no response can be interpreted as concurrence.



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Amendment 26-04.1 (Exempt Projects) Summary

Des # / Project ID	Contract Number	Sponsor	Functional Classification	Project Title	Work Type	Length	Location	AQ Exempt	County	Change Reason	Narrative
2300662		Gary	Minor Arterial	Airport Road Relocation Study	Planning/Study	N/A	Airport Rd, Gary; North of Gary/ Chicago International Airport	Exempt	Lake	Change Fiscal Year	Planning for Airport Road relocation. Planning for new road that would go around N/S runway allowing runway to be lengthened. There is no CN on this project. This is planning project only.
2501128		Griffith	N/A	Purchase Electric (Zero Emission) Vehicles	Other	N/A	N/A	Exempt	Lake	New Project	Purchase Electric (Zero Emission) Vehicles
2301203		Hobart	N/A	City of Hobart and Lake Station; Purchase HD CNG Trucks & Infrastructure (2026)	Other	N/A	N/A	Exempt	Lake	Change Fiscal Year	1- CNG Recycling Truck (2026), 2 CNG trucks (2027), 1 CNG Sewer cleaner (2028), CNG infrastructure upgrades (2028)
2101157	R-43922	INDOT	Interstate/ Principal Arterial	District Pavement Project (Interstate)	Concrete Pavement Restoration (CPR)	2.60 miles	I-80; 1.3 mi. W. of I65 (Georgia St.) to 1.8 mi. W. of SR 51 (Clay St.)	Exempt	Lake	Increase Funding; Revise Funding between Fiscal Years	Concrete Pavement Restoration (CPR) on I-80, 1.3 mi. W. of I65 (Georgia St.) to 1.8 mi. W. of SR 51 (Clay St.). The length of the project is 2.6 miles.
1902735	R-45262	INDOT	N/A	Welcome Center Renovation; Michigan City	Rest Area Modernization	N/A	I-94; Milemarker 42+81 to 43+34	Exempt	LaPorte	Add New Fund Source, Revise Funding between Phases; Add New Grant Tracking des	Michigan City Welcome Center Renovation
2401847	T-46076	INDOT	Various	Signing Installation / Repair	Signing Installation / Repair	Various	Various Location in LaPorte District	Exempt	LaPorte	New Project	Various locations in the LaPorte District
2500478	R-45818	INDOT	Interstate/ Principal Arterial	Small Structures & Drains Reconstruction, I-65	Small Structures & Drains Construction	7.95 Miles	I-65; From 0.45 mi. S. of US 30 (including Interchange) to 0.62 mi. N. of I-80/94 (Central Ave.)	Exempt	Lake	New Project	From 0.45 mi. S. of US 30 (including interchange) to 0.62 mi. N. of I-80/94 (Central Ave.). The length is 7.95 miles and will be completed in CY 2029.
1902818	R-42836	LaPorte County	Local Street	Unincorporated Union Mills- Sidewalks and ramps	Bike/Pedestrian Facilities	0.75 miles	Union Mills; along Hamilton and Water Stree	Exempt	LaPorte	Increase Funding	Sidewalks and ramps along Hamilton and Water Street. Total length is 0.75 mi.
2401544		Long Beach	Various	Pavement Markings on multiple Streets in Long Beach	Other	Various	Various	Exempt	LaPorte	Delete Project	Pavement Markings on multiple Streets in Long Beach
2501107		Porter	N/A	Purchase Electric (Zero Emission) Vehicles	Other	N/A	N/A	Exempt	Porter	Delete Project	Purchase Electric (Zero Emission) Vehicles



RESOLUTION 26-02

A RESOLUTION OF THE NORTHWESTERN INDIANA REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION AMENDING THE FY 2026-2030 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR LAKE, PORTER, AND LA PORTE COUNTIES, INDIANA AMENDMENTS NO. 26-04.1

February 19, 2026

WHEREAS, Northwest Indiana's citizens require a safe, efficient, and resource-conserving regional transportation system that maintains and enhances regional mobility and contributes to improving the quality of life in Northwest Indiana; and

WHEREAS, the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission, hereafter referred to as "the Commission", being designated the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the Lake, Porter and La Porte County Metropolitan Planning Area, has established a regional, comprehensive, cooperative, and continuing (3-C) transportation planning process to develop the unified planning work program, a transportation plan, and a transportation improvement program to facilitate federal funding for communities, counties, and transit operators, and to provide technical assistance and expertise to regional transportation interests; and

WHEREAS, the Commission performs the above activities to satisfy requirements of the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act of 2021 (PL 117-58)), applicable portions of all prior federal transportation program authorizing legislation, as well as other federal, state, and local laws mandating or authorizing transportation planning activities; and

WHEREAS, the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program is a product of a multi-modal, 3-C transportation planning process, compatible with regional goals and objectives and socio-economic and demographic factors used to form the *NWI 2050+ MTP*; and

WHEREAS, the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program implements *NWI 2050+*, is fiscally constrained, and is consistent with the State Implementation Plan for Air Quality; and

WHEREAS, the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program is developed by the Commission in coordination and cooperation with local elected and appointed highway and transit officials, special interest and service organizations, including users of public transit, the Indiana Department of Transportation, the Indiana Department of Environmental Management, the U.S. Federal Highway Administration, the U.S. Federal Transit Administration, and the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency; and

WHEREAS, the changes to the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program brought about by this amendment were reviewed by the Air Quality Conformity Task Force's Interagency Consultation Group (ICG); and

WHEREAS, the changes to the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program brought about by this amendment were made available for public comment in the manner prescribed by the 2019 Public Participation Plan, *ENGAGE NWI*; with no comments; and

WHEREAS, on February 3, 2026, the Transportation Committee recommended that the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission make these changes to the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission hereby amends the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program by adding the new projects and making other changes as shown on the attachment to this resolution.

Duly adopted by the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission, this nineteenth day of February, 2026.



Vice Chair

ATTEST:



Treasurer

2300662 (Ver 5) 26-04.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: Airport Road Relocation Study **Route:** N/A
Description: Planning for Airport Road relocation. Planning for new road that would go around N/S runway allowing runway to be lengthened. There is no CN on this project. This is planning project only.
Project Type: Planning/Study **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: accelerate \$129,800 to FY 26

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$200,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$200,000
2026	STBG Chicago UZA	\$329,800	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$329,800
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$529,800	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$529,800
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$529,800	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$529,800

Region: Northwestern MPO **Lead Agency:** Gary

Previously Approved Version

2300662 (Ver 4) 26-02.1

Title: Airport Road Relocation Study **Route:** N/A
Description: Planning for Airport Road relocation. Planning for new road that would go around N/S runway allowing runway to be lengthened. There is no CN on this project. This is planning project only.
Project Type: Planning/Study **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: New Project in 26-30 TIP Changed years for the funding.

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$167,550	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$167,550
2026	STBG Chicago UZA	\$200,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$200,000
2027	Local Fund	\$32,450	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$32,450
2027	STBG Chicago UZA	\$129,800	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$129,800
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$529,800	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$529,800
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$529,800	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$529,800

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Gary

2501128 (Ver 1) 26-04.1 STATUS **New Project** **FEDERAL**

Title: Purchase ZEV **Route:** N/A
Description: Purchase Electric (Zero Emission) Vehicles
Project Type: Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: This is a new project for the 2026-2030 TIP. This project is split from 2301103.

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	CRP Chicago UZA	\$133,120	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$133,120
2026	Local Fund	\$74,880	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$74,880
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$208,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$208,000
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$208,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$208,000

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Griffith

2301203 (Ver 5) 26-04.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: City of Hobart and Lake Station HD CNG Trucks & Infrastructure (2026) **Route:** N/A
Description: 1- CNG Recycling Truck (2026), 2 CNG trucks (2027), 1 CNG Sewer cleaner (2028), CNG infrastructure upgrades (2028)
Project Type: Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Moved FY 25 funding to FY 26

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$995,680	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$995,680
2026	Local Fund	\$255,620	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$255,620
2029	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$640,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$640,000
2029	Local Fund	\$160,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$160,000
<2026	Prior	\$1,857,900	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,857,900
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$2,051,300	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,051,300
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$3,909,200	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,909,200

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Hobart

Previously Approved Version

2301203 (Ver 4) 26-02.1

Title: City of Hobart and Lake Station HD CNG Trucks & Infrastructure (2026) **Route:** N/A
Description: 1- CNG Recycling Truck (2026), 2 CNG trucks (2027), 1 CNG Sewer cleaner (2028), CNG infrastructure upgrades (2028)
Project Type: Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: New project in 26-30 TIP, revised funding in 2026, added funding in 2029

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$481,280	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$481,280
2026	Local Fund	\$120,020	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$120,020
2029	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$640,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$640,000
2029	Local Fund	\$160,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$160,000
<2026	Prior	\$2,507,900	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,507,900
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$1,401,300	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,401,300
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$3,909,200	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,909,200

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Hobart

1902735 (Ver 6) 26-04.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: Welcome Center Renovation **Route:** I- 94
Description: Michigan City Welcome Center Renovation
Project Type: Rest Area Modernization **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Laporte **Limits:** From RP 42+81 to RF 43+34 of Distance (mile) 0.53 Milepost begins at 42.81 ends at 43.34
Narrative: revise FY25 PE funding sources and amounts - federal special is interstate maintenance - SAFETEA-LU, add FY26 PE funds \$

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	DEMO	\$0	\$0	\$517,496	\$0	\$517,496
2026	NHPP Interstate	\$975,000	\$0	\$45,482,063	\$0	\$46,457,063
<2026	Prior	\$4,739,291	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$4,739,291
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$975,000	\$0	\$45,999,559	\$0	\$46,974,559
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$5,714,291	\$0	\$45,999,559	\$0	\$51,713,850

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: INDOT

Previously Approved Version

1902735 (Ver 5) 26-00

Title: Welcome Center Renovation **Route:** I- 94
Description: Michigan City Welcome Center Renovation
Project Type: Rest Area Modernization **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Laporte **Limits:** Milepost begins at 42.81 ends at 43.34
Narrative: update prior FY PE \$, add FY25 PE, move CN from FY25 to FY26 and increase including UT, add FY26 RW & map location

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	NHPP Interstate	\$0	\$169,000	\$47,293,701	\$0	\$47,462,701
<2026	Prior	\$4,739,291	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$4,739,291
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$169,000	\$47,293,701	\$0	\$47,462,701
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$4,739,291	\$169,000	\$47,293,701	\$0	\$52,201,992

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: INDOT

2101157 (Ver 6) 26-04.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: District Pavement Project (Interstate) **Route:** N/A
Description: Concrete Pavement Restoration (CPR) on I-80, 1.3 mi. W. of I65 (Georgia St.) to 1.8 mi. W. of SR 51 (Clay St.). The length of the project is 2.6 miles.
Project Type: Concrete Pavement Restoration (CPR) **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Move CN from FY26 to FY27 and increase from \$13,060,221.00 to \$14,165,212.00

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2027	NHPP Interstate	\$0	\$0	\$14,165,212	\$900,000	\$15,065,212
<2026	Prior	\$200,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$200,000
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$14,165,212	\$900,000	\$15,065,212
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$200,000	\$0	\$14,165,212	\$900,000	\$15,265,212

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: INDOT

Previously Approved Version

2101157 (Ver 5) 26-02.1

Title: District Pavement Project (Interstate) **Route:** N/A
Description: Concrete Pavement Restoration (CPR) on I-80, 1.3 mi. W. of I65 (Georgia St.) to 1.8 mi. W. of SR 51 (Clay St.). The length of the project is 2.6 miles.
Project Type: Concrete Pavement Restoration (CPR) **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Increase CE to \$900,000.00 FY26 for des 2101157

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	NHPP Interstate	\$0	\$0	\$13,060,221	\$900,000	\$13,960,221
<2026	Prior	\$200,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$200,000
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$13,060,221	\$900,000	\$13,960,221
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$200,000	\$0	\$13,060,221	\$900,000	\$14,160,221

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: INDOT

2401847	(Ver 1) 26-04.1	STATUS New Project	STATE																												
Title:	Signing Installation / Repair		Route: N/A																												
Description:	Various locations in the LaPorte District																														
Project Type:	Signing Installation / Repair	AQ Exempt: Exempt	District: LaPorte																												
County:	Laporte	Limits:																													
Narrative:	New Project for 26-30 TIP; Add CN \$1,120,000.00 in FY28; various locations																														
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2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$1,120,000	\$0	\$1,120,000																									
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$1,120,000	\$0	\$1,120,000																									
Region: Northwestern MPO		Lead Agency: INDOT																													

2500478	(Ver 1) 26-04.1	STATUS New Project	FEDERAL																												
Title:	Small Structures & Drains Reconstruction, I-65		Route: N/A																												
Description:	From 0.45 mi. S. of US 30 (including interchange) to 0.62 mi. N. of I-80/94 (Central Ave.). The length is 7.95 miles and will be completed in CY 2029.																														
Project Type:	Small Structures & Drains Construction	AQ Exempt: Exempt	District: LaPorte																												
County:	Lake	Limits:																													
Narrative:	New Project for 26-30, Add CN in FY 2029 \$563,331.00																														
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ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$563,331	\$0	\$563,331																									
Region: Northwestern MPO		Lead Agency: INDOT																													

1902818 (Ver 8) 26-04.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: Unincorporated Union Mills- Sidewalks and ramps **Route:** N/A
Description: Sidewalks and ramps along Hamilton and Water Street. Total length is 0.75 mi.
Project Type: Bike/Pedestrian Facilities **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Laporte **Limits:**
Narrative: Increase funding for ROW LID

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$0	\$32,600	\$0	\$0	\$32,600
2026	TAP Mich City UZA	\$0	\$130,400	\$0	\$0	\$130,400
2027	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$80,000	\$11,600	\$91,600
2027	STBG Group IV	\$0	\$0	\$320,000	\$46,400	\$366,400
<2026	Prior	\$119,500	\$119,250	\$0	\$0	\$238,750
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$163,000	\$400,000	\$58,000	\$621,000
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$119,500	\$282,250	\$400,000	\$58,000	\$859,750

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: LaPorte County

Previously Approved Version

1902818 (Ver 7) 26-00

Title: Unincorporated Union Mills- Sidewalks and ramps **Route:** N/A
Description: Sidewalks and ramps along Hamilton and Water Street. Total length is 0.75 mi.
Project Type: Bike/Pedestrian Facilities **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Laporte **Limits:**
Narrative: Kathy approved for the RW Funds to be moved to FY25 and the CN funds to be moved to FY27

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2027	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$80,000	\$11,600	\$91,600
2027	STBG Group IV	\$0	\$0	\$320,000	\$46,400	\$366,400
<2026	Prior	\$119,500	\$119,250	\$0	\$0	\$238,750
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$400,000	\$58,000	\$458,000
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$119,500	\$119,250	\$400,000	\$58,000	\$696,750

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: LaPorte County

2401544		(Ver 4) 26-04.1	STATUS Deleted				STATE
Title:	Pavement Markings on multiple Streets in Long Beach					Route:	N/A
Description:	Pavement Markings on multiple Streets in Long Beach						
Project Type:	Other	AQ Exempt:	Exempt		District:	LaPorte	
County:	Laporte	Limits:					
Narrative:	This project is being eliminated, per the LPA.						
FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL	
Region: Northwestern MPO				Lead Agency: Long Beach			

Previously Approved Version							
2401544		(Ver 3) 26-02.1					
Title:	Pavement Markings on multiple Streets in Long Beach					Route:	N/A
Description:	Pavement Markings on multiple Streets in Long Beach						
Project Type:	Other	AQ Exempt:	Exempt		District:	LaPorte	
County:	Laporte	Limits:					
Narrative:	New project in 26-30 TIP (Carry Over)						
FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL	
2026	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$18,000	\$0	\$18,000	
2026	State Special Projects	\$0	\$0	\$54,000	\$0	\$54,000	
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$72,000	\$0	\$72,000	
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$72,000	\$0	\$72,000	
Region: Northwestern MPO				Lead Agency: Long Beach			

2501107 (Ver 2) 26-04.1 STATUS Deleted **FEDERAL**

Title: Purchase ZEV **Route:** N/A
Description: Purchase Electric (Zero Emission) Vehicles
Project Type: Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Porter **Limits:**
Narrative: LPA wished to not move forward and eliminate the project.

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
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Region: Northwestern MPO **Lead Agency:** Porter

Previously Approved Version

2501107 (Ver 1) 26-03.1

Title: Purchase ZEV **Route:** N/A
Description: Purchase Electric (Zero Emission) Vehicles
Project Type: Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Porter **Limits:**
Narrative: This is a new project for the 2026-2030 TIP. This project is split from 2301103.

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	CRP Chicago UZA	\$133,120	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$133,120
2026	Local Fund	\$74,880	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$74,880
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$208,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$208,000
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$208,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$208,000

Region: Northwestern MPO **Lead Agency:** Porter

Northwestern MPO TIP SUMMARY BY LEAD AGENCY

	Prior	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029	FY 2030	FY 2031	Beyond	Total
Gary	\$0	\$897,350	\$162,250	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,059,600
Griffith	\$0	\$208,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$208,000
Hobart	\$4,365,800	\$1,852,600	\$0	\$0	\$1,600,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$7,818,400
INDOT	\$9,878,582	\$108,397,481	\$15,065,212	\$1,120,000	\$563,331	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$135,024,606
LaPorte County	\$477,500	\$163,000	\$916,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,556,500
Long Beach	\$0	\$72,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$72,000
Porter	\$0	\$208,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$208,000
TOTAL	\$14,721,882	\$111,798,431	\$16,143,462	\$1,120,000	\$2,163,331	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$145,947,106

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Subject: RE: Air Quality Interagency Coordination - NIRPC Proposed TIP Amendment # 26-04.1 for Lake, Porter and La Porte Counties
Date: Wednesday, December 31, 2025 12:27:01 PM

Good afternoon Charles,

I hope this note finds you well. FHWA has reviewed and we don't have any questions or comments at this time.

Wishing you a Happy New Year!

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Members of the ICG,

Happy Holidays,

The NIRPC MPO has 10 projects on Amendments 26-04 to the FY 2026-2030 TIP for consideration by the NIRPC Commission meeting at their upcoming meeting on 2/19/2026.

The Amendment contains: Exempt projects only. There are 10 projects (6 projects by the

LPAs, 4 projects by INDOT).

Our proposed schedule for these amendments is:

- 12/22/2025 – ICG email communication (informal consultation – this email)
- 1/02/2026 – deadline for ICG questions or comments on the included project amendments
- 1/02/2026 – 1/23/26 – public/ICG comment period on amendments
- 2/19/2026 – Date of NIRPC Commission Meeting. And if the Amendment is approved, documents will be shared with FHWA to initiate formal consultation (if needed).

In lieu of a conference call, we are providing an attached spreadsheet of approval and/or amendment requests for the plans/programs listed below and their exemption status.

Please consider this an informal request for review and comment regarding the need for air quality consultation for the proposed amendments. We are requesting that you reply to this email by 1/02/2026. If you have any questions, comments, or would like to request a conference call to discuss further. Per the September/2022 Interagency Consultation Group Conformity Consultation Guidance Document, no response can be interpreted as concurrence.



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Public Comment Report

Amendment #26-04.1 to the FY 2026 - 2030 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)

Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission

February 19, 2026

Amendment #26-04.1 of the FY 2026 - 2030 Transportation Improvement Program was released for a 21-day public comment period which began on January 2, 2025, and ended on January 23, 2026. Amendment 26-04.1 is composed of infrastructure projects using FHWA (highway) funds. All projects listed are exempt from the Air Quality Conformity process.

The amendment was made available for viewing at www.nirpc.org and press releases with links were posted on several social media sites.

No comments were received.

NIRPC staff also sent the amendments to the Interagency Consultation Group (ICG) on December 22, 2025. There were no questions or comments concerning the list of projects on any of the amendments.

Concurrence was given for these projects on this amendment by members of the ICG on January 2, 2026.



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March 13, 2026

Air Quality Supporting Documentations for Emergency Amendment 26-07.1 NIRPC MPO

List of documents in order in this document.

1. AQC Exempt email requesting Informal Guidance (03/09/2026)
2. List of projects in the Amendment
3. Letter to INDOT
4. FHWA/EPA/IDEM dialogue with NIRPC (3/10-11/2026)

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Members of the ICG,

Good afternoon, The NIRPC MPO has 9 projects on an Emergency Amendment 26-07 to the FY 2026-2030.

The Amendment contains exempt projects only. There are 10 projects (7 projects by the LPAs, 2 projects by INDOT).

Our proposed schedule for these amendments is:

- 3/9/2026 – ICG email communication (informal consultation – this email)
- 3/16/2026 – deadline for ICG questions or comments on the included project amendments
- 3/16/2026 – Date of NIRPC Amendment. We do not believe a formal consultation will be required.

In lieu of a conference call, we are providing an attached spreadsheet of approval and/or amendment requests for the plans/programs listed below and their exemption status. Please consider this an informal request for review and comment regarding the need for air quality consultation for the proposed amendments. We are requesting that you reply to this email by 3/16/2026. If you have any questions, comments, or would like to request a conference call to discuss further. Per the September/2022 Interagency Consultation Group Conformity Consultation Guidance Document, no response can be interpreted as concurrence.



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1901948 (Ver 16) 26-07.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: Intersection Improvement-Roundabout US 231 & 113th **Route:** N/A
Description: Roundabout at US 231 and 113th. This will improve safety and congestion. This is an intersection project and the length is less than 0.05 miles on each leg.
Project Type: Intersection or Intersection Groups **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: increase funding for PE to \$155,056 total (\$124,045 federal) funds FY 26

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$31,011	\$168,750	\$0	\$0	\$199,761
2026	STBG Chicago UZA	\$124,045	\$393,750	\$0	\$0	\$517,795
2027	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$392,080	\$49,100	\$441,180
2027	STBG Chicago UZA	\$0	\$0	\$1,568,320	\$196,400	\$1,764,720
<2026	Prior	\$308,910	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$308,910
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$155,056	\$562,500	\$1,960,400	\$245,500	\$2,923,456
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$463,966	\$562,500	\$1,960,400	\$245,500	\$3,232,366

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Crown Point

Previously Approved Version

1901948 (Ver 15) 26-03.1

Title: Intersection Improvement-Roundabout US 231 & 113th **Route:** N/A
Description: Roundabout at US 231 and 113th. This will improve safety and congestion. This is an intersection project and the length is less than 0.05 miles on each leg.
Project Type: Intersection or Intersection Groups **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Adding RW to this project.

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$0	\$168,750	\$0	\$0	\$168,750
2026	STBG Chicago UZA	\$0	\$393,750	\$0	\$0	\$393,750
2027	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$392,080	\$49,100	\$441,180
2027	STBG Chicago UZA	\$0	\$0	\$1,568,320	\$196,400	\$1,764,720
<2026	Prior	\$308,910	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$308,910
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$562,500	\$1,960,400	\$245,500	\$2,768,400
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$308,910	\$562,500	\$1,960,400	\$245,500	\$3,077,310

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Crown Point

2101119 (Ver 11) 26-07.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: Roundabout at Broad St and Ave H **Route:** N/A
Description: Broad St. and Avenue H Intersection Improvement Project (Roundabout). Total project radius is 0.04 mi.
Project Type: Intersection or Intersection Groups **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Added PE to projects \$168,068 total (\$134,454 fed) in FY 26

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$33,614	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$33,614
2026	STBG Chicago UZA	\$134,454	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$134,454
2029	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$369,761	\$90,356	\$460,117
2029	STBG Chicago UZA	\$0	\$0	\$3,174,200	\$361,423	\$3,535,623
<2026	Prior	\$205,090	\$425,000	\$0	\$0	\$630,090
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$168,068	\$0	\$3,543,961	\$451,779	\$4,163,808
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$373,158	\$425,000	\$3,543,961	\$451,779	\$4,793,898

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Griffith

Previously Approved Version

2101119 (Ver 10) 26-02.1

Title: Roundabout at Broad St and Ave H **Route:** N/A
Description: Broad St. and Avenue H Intersection Improvement Project (Roundabout). Total project radius is 0.04 mi.
Project Type: Intersection or Intersection Groups **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: New Project in 26-30 TIP; adjusted CN funding, moved CN to FY 29

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2029	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$369,761	\$90,356	\$460,117
2029	STBG Chicago UZA	\$0	\$0	\$3,174,200	\$361,423	\$3,535,623
<2026	Prior	\$205,090	\$425,000	\$0	\$0	\$630,090
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$3,543,961	\$451,779	\$3,995,740
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$205,090	\$425,000	\$3,543,961	\$451,779	\$4,625,830

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Griffith

2003097 (Ver 9) 26-07.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: District Intersection Improvement Project **Route:** N/A
Description: Intersection Improvement, Roundabout on US 231 at Iowa Street. The diameter of the project is 0.10 mi.
Project Type: Intersection Improvement, Roundabout **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Move CN \$3,600,000 from FY26 to FY27 and CE \$160,000 from FY26 to FY27; increase RW from \$25,000 to 124,000.

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	NHPP Non Interstate	\$18,300	\$124,000	\$0	\$0	\$142,300
2027	NHPP Non Interstate	\$0	\$0	\$3,600,000	\$160,000	\$3,760,000
<2026	Prior	\$270,000	\$0	\$10,000	\$0	\$280,000
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$18,300	\$124,000	\$3,600,000	\$160,000	\$3,902,300
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$288,300	\$124,000	\$3,610,000	\$160,000	\$4,182,300

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: INDOT

Previously Approved Version

2003097 (Ver 8) 26-02.1

Title: District Intersection Improvement Project **Route:** N/A
Description: Intersection Improvement, Roundabout on US 231 at Iowa Street. The diameter of the project is 0.10 mi.
Project Type: Intersection Improvement, Roundabout **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Add RW \$25,000 to FY 26

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	NHPP Non Interstate	\$18,300	\$25,000	\$3,600,000	\$160,000	\$3,803,300
2026	Prior	\$270,000	\$0	\$10,000	\$0	\$280,000
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$18,300	\$25,000	\$3,600,000	\$160,000	\$3,803,300
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$288,300	\$25,000	\$3,610,000	\$160,000	\$4,083,300

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: INDOT

2401489 (Ver 5) 26-07.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: District Pavement Project (Interstate) **Route:** N/A
Description: Structural pavement; I-80: 1.8 mi. W. of SR 51 (Clay St.) to I-80/90 Interchange (Toll Road). The length of the project is 2.5 mi.
Project Type: HMA Overlay Minor Structural **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Increase FY26 PE from \$1,200,000 to \$3,120,269.00

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	NHPP Interstate	\$3,120,269	\$20,000	\$0	\$0	\$3,140,269
2029	NHPP Interstate	\$0	\$0	\$21,962,241	\$0	\$21,962,241
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$3,120,269	\$20,000	\$21,962,241	\$0	\$25,102,510
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$3,120,269	\$20,000	\$21,962,241	\$0	\$25,102,510

Region: Northwestern MPO **Lead Agency:** INDOT

Previously Approved Version

2401489 (Ver 4) 26-02.1

Title: District Pavement Project (Interstate) **Route:** N/A
Description: Structural pavement; I-80: 1.8 mi. W. of SR 51 (Clay St.) to I-80/90 Interchange (Toll Road). The length of the project is 2.5 mi.
Project Type: HMA Overlay Minor Structural **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Add FY26 PE \$1,200,000.00

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	NHPP Interstate	\$1,200,000	\$20,000	\$0	\$0	\$1,220,000
2029	NHPP Interstate	\$0	\$0	\$21,962,241	\$0	\$21,962,241
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$1,200,000	\$20,000	\$21,962,241	\$0	\$23,182,241
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$1,200,000	\$20,000	\$21,962,241	\$0	\$23,182,241

Region: Northwestern MPO **Lead Agency:** INDOT

2300018 (Ver 5) 26-07.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: City of La Porte Comprehensive and Transportation Plan **Route:** N/A

Description: This request is to develop a comprehensive and transportation plan for the city of La Porte. The plan will focus on several important transportation, land use, housing, economic development, environmental/resiliency, quality of life, and placemaking objectives for the city. The plan will also seek to analyze alternatives for truck routes to take heavy traffic out of the downtown area, and identify and develop implementation strategies for important transportation, alternative transportation, housing, economic development, community resiliency, and quality of life and placemaking initiatives of the city.

Project Type: Planning/Study **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte

County: Laporte **Limits:** Not Location Specific

Narrative: New project in current TIP (Carry over); add PE funds of \$203,600 - total (\$162,880 - fed)

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$40,720	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$40,720
2026	STBG Mich City UZA	\$162,880	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$162,880
<2026	Prior	\$350,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$350,000
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$203,600	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$203,600
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$553,600	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$553,600

Region: Northwestern MPO **Lead Agency:** La Porte

Previously Approved Version

2300018 (Ver 4) 24-16

Title: City of La Porte Comprehensive and Transportation Plan **Route:** N/A

Description: This request is to develop a comprehensive and transportation plan for the city of La Porte. The plan will focus on several important transportation, land use, housing, economic development, environmental/resiliency, quality of life, and placemaking objectives for the city. The plan will also seek to analyze alternatives for truck routes to take heavy traffic out of the downtown area, and identify and develop implementation strategies for important transportation, alternative transportation, housing, economic development, community resiliency, and quality of life and placemaking initiatives of the city.

Project Type: Planning/Study **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte

County: Laporte **Limits:** Not Location Specific

Narrative: Increased funding for PE

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2024	Local Fund	\$130,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$130,000
2024	STBG Mich City UZA	\$220,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$220,000
2024-2028 TOTAL		\$350,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$350,000
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$350,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$350,000

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: La Porte

2101711 (Ver 5) 26-07.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: Bridge #166 Replacement **Route:** N/A
Description: Bridge #166 just east of intersection of CR 400 West and CR 1650 South in Prairie Township. The length of this project is 0.05 mi. There are no added capacity (travel lanes) on this project.
Project Type: Bridge Replacement **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Laporte **Limits:**
Narrative: reduce RW funds from \$65,000 to \$32,500, changed funding type, and moved from FY24 to 26

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$0	\$6,500	\$0	\$0	\$6,500
2026	STBG Mich City UZA	\$0	\$26,000	\$0	\$0	\$26,000
2028	Local Bridge	\$0	\$0	\$880,000	\$132,000	\$1,012,000
2028	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$220,000	\$33,000	\$253,000
<2026	Prior	\$300,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$300,000
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$32,500	\$1,100,000	\$165,000	\$1,297,500
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$300,000	\$32,500	\$1,100,000	\$165,000	\$1,597,500

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: LaPorte County

Previously Approved Version

2101711 (Ver 4) 26-00

Title: Bridge #166 Replacement **Route:** N/A
Description: Bridge #166 just east of intersection of CR 400 West and CR 1650 South in Prairie Township. The length of this project is 0.05 mi.
Project Type: Bridge Replacement **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Laporte **Limits:**
Narrative: Changed FY27 to FY28

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2028	Local Bridge	\$0	\$0	\$880,000	\$132,000	\$1,012,000
2028	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$220,000	\$33,000	\$253,000
<2026	Prior	\$300,000	\$65,000	\$0	\$0	\$365,000
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$1,100,000	\$165,000	\$1,265,000
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$300,000	\$65,000	\$1,100,000	\$165,000	\$1,630,000

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: LaPorte County

1902676 (Ver 6) 26-07.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: Veteran's Memorial Parkway Trail Bridge **Route:** N/A
Description: Veteran's Memorial Parkway Trail - Bridge over SR 53 (Broadway). The length of this project is 350 ft.
Project Type: Bridge - Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Added PE funding of \$397,696 - total (\$318,157 Fed) in FY 26

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$318,157	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$318,157
2026	Local Fund	\$79,539	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$79,539
2028	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$0	\$0	\$1,471,717	\$100,000	\$1,571,717
2028	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$622,873	\$124,420	\$747,293
<2026	Prior	\$528,600	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$528,600
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$397,696	\$0	\$2,094,590	\$224,420	\$2,716,706
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$926,296	\$0	\$2,094,590	\$224,420	\$3,245,306

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Lake County

Previously Approved Version

1902676 (Ver 5) 26-02.1

Title: Veteran's Memorial Parkway Trail Bridge **Route:** N/A
Description: Veteran's Memorial Parkway Trail - Bridge over SR 53 (Broadway). The length of this project is 350 ft.
Project Type: Bridge - Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: New project in 26-30 TIP, moved CN to FY 2028

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2028	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$0	\$0	\$1,471,717	\$100,000	\$1,571,717
2028	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$622,873	\$124,420	\$747,293
<2026	Prior	\$528,600	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$528,600
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$2,094,590	\$224,420	\$2,319,010
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$528,600	\$0	\$2,094,590	\$224,420	\$2,847,610

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Lake County

Northwestern MPO TIP SUMMARY BY LEAD AGENCY

	Prior	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029	FY 2030	FY 2031	Beyond	Total
Crown Point	\$617,820	\$1,280,056	\$4,411,800	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$6,309,676
Griffith	\$1,260,180	\$168,068	\$0	\$0	\$7,991,480	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$9,419,728
INDOT	\$560,000	\$8,305,869	\$3,760,000	\$0	\$43,924,482	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$56,550,351
La Porte	\$350,000	\$553,600	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$903,600
LaPorte County	\$665,000	\$32,500	\$0	\$2,530,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,227,500
Lake County	\$1,057,200	\$397,696	\$0	\$4,638,020	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$6,092,916
Michigan City	\$764,900	\$254,114	\$7,609,590	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$8,628,604
TOTAL	\$5,275,100	\$10,991,903	\$15,781,390	\$7,168,020	\$51,915,962	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$91,132,375

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Good Afternoon!

IDEM has no questions or comments at this time.

Thanks...Peace...Shawn

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Thank you Charles! FHWA has no further questions or comments.

Sincerely,

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On Tue, Mar 10, 2026 at 5:13 PM Charles Bradsky <cbradsky@nirpc.org> wrote:

Erica & Tony,

Thank you for your quick responses. I appreciate it.

Erica,

There are two bridge projects on this amendment. One is adding PE funds to a new bicycle & pedestrian bridge. I am assuming that you are not asking about that project. The other project is a bridge replacement in rural La Porte County. I have reviewed the scope in RTIP and it does not include adding any travel lanes to this bridge.

Tony,

It was good to see you and talk with you at the Air Quality Conformity training last week in Chicago.



Charles Bradsky

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Sent: Tuesday, March 10, 2026 1:09 PM

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Subject: Re: Air Quality Interagency Coordination - NIRPC Proposed TIP Amendment # 26-07.1 for Lake and La Porte Counties

Thank you Charles!

Can you confirm there are no added travel lanes with the bridge replacement?



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On Tue, Mar 10, 2026 at 11:10 AM Maietta, Anthony <maietta.anthony@epa.gov>
wrote:

Hey Charles,

After reviewing the projects, EPA does not have any questions or comments, and concurs with their exempt status.

-Tony

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for Lake and La Porte Counties

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Members of the ICG,

Good morning, It has been brought to my attention that I forgot to show the two INDOT projects on the project list that was attached. Attached to this email is the corrected list of projects on this amendment.

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RESOLUTION 26-02

A RESOLUTION OF THE NORTHWESTERN INDIANA REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION AMENDING THE FY 2026-2030 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR LAKE, PORTER, AND LA PORTE COUNTIES, INDIANA AMENDMENTS NO. 26-04.1

February 19, 2026

WHEREAS, Northwest Indiana's citizens require a safe, efficient, and resource-conserving regional transportation system that maintains and enhances regional mobility and contributes to improving the quality of life in Northwest Indiana; and

WHEREAS, the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission, hereafter referred to as "the Commission", being designated the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the Lake, Porter and La Porte County Metropolitan Planning Area, has established a regional, comprehensive, cooperative, and continuing (3-C) transportation planning process to develop the unified planning work program, a transportation plan, and a transportation improvement program to facilitate federal funding for communities, counties, and transit operators, and to provide technical assistance and expertise to regional transportation interests; and

WHEREAS, the Commission performs the above activities to satisfy requirements of the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act of 2021 (PL 117-58)), applicable portions of all prior federal transportation program authorizing legislation, as well as other federal, state, and local laws mandating or authorizing transportation planning activities; and

WHEREAS, the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program is a product of a multi-modal, 3-C transportation planning process, compatible with regional goals and objectives and socio-economic and demographic factors used to form the *NWI 2050+ MTP*; and

WHEREAS, the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program implements *NWI 2050+*, is fiscally constrained, and is consistent with the State Implementation Plan for Air Quality; and

WHEREAS, the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program is developed by the Commission in coordination and cooperation with local elected and appointed highway and transit officials, special interest and service organizations, including users of public transit, the Indiana Department of Transportation, the Indiana Department of Environmental Management, the U.S. Federal Highway Administration, the U.S. Federal Transit Administration, and the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency; and

WHEREAS, the changes to the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program brought about by this amendment were reviewed by the Air Quality Conformity Task Force's Interagency Consultation Group (ICG); and

WHEREAS, the changes to the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program brought about by this amendment were made available for public comment in the manner prescribed by the 2019 Public Participation Plan, *ENGAGE NWI*; with no comments; and

WHEREAS, on February 3, 2026, the Transportation Committee recommended that the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission make these changes to the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission hereby amends the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program by adding the new projects and making other changes as shown on the attachment to this resolution.

Duly adopted by the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission, this nineteenth day of February, 2026.



Vice Chair

ATTEST:



Treasurer

2300662 (Ver 5) 26-04.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: Airport Road Relocation Study **Route:** N/A
Description: Planning for Airport Road relocation. Planning for new road that would go around N/S runway allowing runway to be lengthened. There is no CN on this project. This is planning project only.
Project Type: Planning/Study **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: accelerate \$129,800 to FY 26

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$200,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$200,000
2026	STBG Chicago UZA	\$329,800	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$329,800
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$529,800	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$529,800
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$529,800	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$529,800

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Gary

Previously Approved Version

2300662 (Ver 4) 26-02.1

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County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: New Project in 26-30 TIP Changed years for the funding.

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$167,550	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$167,550
2026	STBG Chicago UZA	\$200,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$200,000
2027	Local Fund	\$32,450	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$32,450
2027	STBG Chicago UZA	\$129,800	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$129,800
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$529,800	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$529,800
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$529,800	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$529,800

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Gary

2501128 (Ver 1) 26-04.1 STATUS **New Project** **FEDERAL**

Title: Purchase ZEV **Route:** N/A
Description: Purchase Electric (Zero Emission) Vehicles
Project Type: Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: This is a new project for the 2026-2030 TIP. This project is split from 2301103.

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	CRP Chicago UZA	\$133,120	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$133,120
2026	Local Fund	\$74,880	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$74,880
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$208,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$208,000
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$208,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$208,000

Region: Northwestern MPO **Lead Agency:** Griffith

2301203 (Ver 5) 26-04.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: City of Hobart and Lake Station HD CNG Trucks & Infrastructure (2026) **Route:** N/A
Description: 1- CNG Recycling Truck (2026), 2 CNG trucks (2027), 1 CNG Sewer cleaner (2028), CNG infrastructure upgrades (2028)
Project Type: Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Moved FY 25 funding to FY 26

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$995,680	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$995,680
2026	Local Fund	\$255,620	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$255,620
2029	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$640,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$640,000
2029	Local Fund	\$160,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$160,000
<2026	Prior	\$1,857,900	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,857,900
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$2,051,300	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,051,300
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$3,909,200	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,909,200

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Hobart

Previously Approved Version

2301203 (Ver 4) 26-02.1

Title: City of Hobart and Lake Station HD CNG Trucks & Infrastructure (2026) **Route:** N/A
Description: 1- CNG Recycling Truck (2026), 2 CNG trucks (2027), 1 CNG Sewer cleaner (2028), CNG infrastructure upgrades (2028)
Project Type: Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: New project in 26-30 TIP, revised funding in 2026, added funding in 2029

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$481,280	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$481,280
2026	Local Fund	\$120,020	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$120,020
2029	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$640,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$640,000
2029	Local Fund	\$160,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$160,000
<2026	Prior	\$2,507,900	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,507,900
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$1,401,300	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,401,300
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$3,909,200	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,909,200

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Hobart

1902735 (Ver 6) 26-04.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: Welcome Center Renovation **Route:** I- 94
Description: Michigan City Welcome Center Renovation
Project Type: Rest Area Modernization **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Laporte **Limits:** From RP 42+81 to RF 43+34 of Distance (mile) 0.53 Milepost begins at 42.81 ends at 43.34
Narrative: revise FY25 PE funding sources and amounts - federal special is interstate maintenance - SAFETEA-LU, add FY26 PE funds \$

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	DEMO	\$0	\$0	\$517,496	\$0	\$517,496
2026	NHPP Interstate	\$975,000	\$0	\$45,482,063	\$0	\$46,457,063
<2026	Prior	\$4,739,291	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$4,739,291
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$975,000	\$0	\$45,999,559	\$0	\$46,974,559
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$5,714,291	\$0	\$45,999,559	\$0	\$51,713,850

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: INDOT

Previously Approved Version

1902735 (Ver 5) 26-00

Title: Welcome Center Renovation **Route:** I- 94
Description: Michigan City Welcome Center Renovation
Project Type: Rest Area Modernization **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Laporte **Limits:** Milepost begins at 42.81 ends at 43.34
Narrative: update prior FY PE \$, add FY25 PE, move CN from FY25 to FY26 and increase including UT, add FY26 RW & map location

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	NHPP Interstate	\$0	\$169,000	\$47,293,701	\$0	\$47,462,701
<2026	Prior	\$4,739,291	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$4,739,291
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$169,000	\$47,293,701	\$0	\$47,462,701
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$4,739,291	\$169,000	\$47,293,701	\$0	\$52,201,992

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: INDOT

2101157 (Ver 6) 26-04.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: District Pavement Project (Interstate) **Route:** N/A
Description: Concrete Pavement Restoration (CPR) on I-80, 1.3 mi. W. of I65 (Georgia St.) to 1.8 mi. W. of SR 51 (Clay St.). The length of the project is 2.6 miles.
Project Type: Concrete Pavement Restoration (CPR) **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Move CN from FY26 to FY27 and increase from \$13,060,221.00 to \$14,165,212.00

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2027	NHPP Interstate	\$0	\$0	\$14,165,212	\$900,000	\$15,065,212
<2026	Prior	\$200,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$200,000
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$14,165,212	\$900,000	\$15,065,212
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$200,000	\$0	\$14,165,212	\$900,000	\$15,265,212

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: INDOT

Previously Approved Version

2101157 (Ver 5) 26-02.1

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Description: Concrete Pavement Restoration (CPR) on I-80, 1.3 mi. W. of I65 (Georgia St.) to 1.8 mi. W. of SR 51 (Clay St.). The length of the project is 2.6 miles.
Project Type: Concrete Pavement Restoration (CPR) **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Increase CE to \$900,000.00 FY26 for des 2101157

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	NHPP Interstate	\$0	\$0	\$13,060,221	\$900,000	\$13,960,221
<2026	Prior	\$200,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$200,000
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$13,060,221	\$900,000	\$13,960,221
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$200,000	\$0	\$13,060,221	\$900,000	\$14,160,221

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: INDOT

2401847		(Ver 1) 26-04.1	STATUS New Project				STATE
Title:	Signing Installation / Repair					Route:	N/A
Description:	Various locations in the LaPorte District						
Project Type:	Signing Installation / Repair	AQ Exempt:	Exempt		District:	LaPorte	
County:	Laporte	Limits:					
Narrative:	New Project for 26-30 TIP; Add CN \$1,120,000.00 in FY28; various locations						
Region:	Northwestern MPO					Lead Agency:	INDOT

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2028	HSIP State	\$0	\$0	\$1,120,000	\$0	\$1,120,000
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$1,120,000	\$0	\$1,120,000
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$1,120,000	\$0	\$1,120,000

2500478		(Ver 1) 26-04.1	STATUS New Project				FEDERAL
Title:	Small Structures & Drains Reconstruction, I-65					Route:	N/A
Description:	From 0.45 mi. S. of US 30 (including interchange) to 0.62 mi. N. of I-80/94 (Central Ave.). The length is 7.95 miles and will be completed in CY 2029.						
Project Type:	Small Structures & Drains Construction	AQ Exempt:	Exempt		District:	LaPorte	
County:	Lake	Limits:					
Narrative:	New Project for 26-30, Add CN in FY 2029 \$563,331.00						
Region:	Northwestern MPO					Lead Agency:	INDOT

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2029	NHPP Interstate	\$0	\$0	\$563,331	\$0	\$563,331
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$563,331	\$0	\$563,331
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$563,331	\$0	\$563,331

Transportation Improvement Program Fiscal Year 2026-2030 Amendment 26-04.1

10 Projects Listed

1902818 (Ver 8) 26-04.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: Unincorporated Union Mills- Sidewalks and ramps **Route:** N/A
Description: Sidewalks and ramps along Hamilton and Water Street. Total length is 0.75 mi.
Project Type: Bike/Pedestrian Facilities **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Laporte **Limits:**
Narrative: Increase funding for ROW LID

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$0	\$32,600	\$0	\$0	\$32,600
2026	TAP Mich City UZA	\$0	\$130,400	\$0	\$0	\$130,400
2027	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$80,000	\$11,600	\$91,600
2027	STBG Group IV	\$0	\$0	\$320,000	\$46,400	\$366,400
<2026	Prior	\$119,500	\$119,250	\$0	\$0	\$238,750
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$163,000	\$400,000	\$58,000	\$621,000
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$119,500	\$282,250	\$400,000	\$58,000	\$859,750

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: LaPorte County

Previously Approved Version

1902818 (Ver 7) 26-00

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Description: Sidewalks and ramps along Hamilton and Water Street. Total length is 0.75 mi.
Project Type: Bike/Pedestrian Facilities **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Laporte **Limits:**
Narrative: Kathy approved for the RW Funds to be moved to FY25 and the CN funds to be moved to FY27

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2027	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$80,000	\$11,600	\$91,600
2027	STBG Group IV	\$0	\$0	\$320,000	\$46,400	\$366,400
<2026	Prior	\$119,500	\$119,250	\$0	\$0	\$238,750
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$400,000	\$58,000	\$458,000
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$119,500	\$119,250	\$400,000	\$58,000	\$696,750

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: LaPorte County

2401544		(Ver 4) 26-04.1	STATUS Deleted				STATE
Title:	Pavement Markings on multiple Streets in Long Beach					Route:	N/A
Description:	Pavement Markings on multiple Streets in Long Beach						
Project Type:	Other	AQ Exempt:	Exempt		District:	LaPorte	
County:	Laporte	Limits:					
Narrative:	This project is being eliminated, per the LPA.						
FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL	
Region: Northwestern MPO				Lead Agency: Long Beach			

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2401544		(Ver 3) 26-02.1					
Title:	Pavement Markings on multiple Streets in Long Beach					Route:	N/A
Description:	Pavement Markings on multiple Streets in Long Beach						
Project Type:	Other	AQ Exempt:	Exempt		District:	LaPorte	
County:	Laporte	Limits:					
Narrative:	New project in 26-30 TIP (Carry Over)						
FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL	
2026	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$18,000	\$0	\$18,000	
2026	State Special Projects	\$0	\$0	\$54,000	\$0	\$54,000	
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$72,000	\$0	\$72,000	
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$72,000	\$0	\$72,000	
Region: Northwestern MPO				Lead Agency: Long Beach			

2501107 (Ver 2) 26-04.1 STATUS Deleted **FEDERAL**

Title: Purchase ZEV **Route:** N/A
Description: Purchase Electric (Zero Emission) Vehicles
Project Type: Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Porter **Limits:**
Narrative: LPA wished to not move forward and eliminate the project.

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
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Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Porter

Previously Approved Version

2501107 (Ver 1) 26-03.1

Title: Purchase ZEV **Route:** N/A
Description: Purchase Electric (Zero Emission) Vehicles
Project Type: Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Porter **Limits:**
Narrative: This is a new project for the 2026-2030 TIP. This project is split from 2301103.

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	CRP Chicago UZA	\$133,120	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$133,120
2026	Local Fund	\$74,880	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$74,880
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$208,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$208,000
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$208,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$208,000

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Porter

Northwestern MPO TIP SUMMARY BY LEAD AGENCY

	Prior	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029	FY 2030	FY 2031	Beyond	Total
Gary	\$0	\$897,350	\$162,250	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,059,600
Griffith	\$0	\$208,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$208,000
Hobart	\$4,365,800	\$1,852,600	\$0	\$0	\$1,600,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$7,818,400
INDOT	\$9,878,582	\$108,397,481	\$15,065,212	\$1,120,000	\$563,331	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$135,024,606
LaPorte County	\$477,500	\$163,000	\$916,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,556,500
Long Beach	\$0	\$72,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$72,000
Porter	\$0	\$208,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$208,000
TOTAL	\$14,721,882	\$111,798,431	\$16,143,462	\$1,120,000	\$2,163,331	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$145,947,106



RESOLUTION 26-02

A RESOLUTION OF THE NORTHWESTERN INDIANA REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION AMENDING THE FY 2026-2030 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR LAKE, PORTER, AND LA PORTE COUNTIES, INDIANA AMENDMENTS NO. 26-04.1

February 19, 2026

WHEREAS, Northwest Indiana's citizens require a safe, efficient, and resource-conserving regional transportation system that maintains and enhances regional mobility and contributes to improving the quality of life in Northwest Indiana; and

WHEREAS, the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission, hereafter referred to as "the Commission", being designated the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the Lake, Porter and La Porte County Metropolitan Planning Area, has established a regional, comprehensive, cooperative, and continuing (3-C) transportation planning process to develop the unified planning work program, a transportation plan, and a transportation improvement program to facilitate federal funding for communities, counties, and transit operators, and to provide technical assistance and expertise to regional transportation interests; and

WHEREAS, the Commission performs the above activities to satisfy requirements of the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act of 2021 (PL 117-58)), applicable portions of all prior federal transportation program authorizing legislation, as well as other federal, state, and local laws mandating or authorizing transportation planning activities; and

WHEREAS, the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program is a product of a multi-modal, 3-C transportation planning process, compatible with regional goals and objectives and socio-economic and demographic factors used to form the *NWI 2050+ MTP*; and

WHEREAS, the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program implements *NWI 2050+*, is fiscally constrained, and is consistent with the State Implementation Plan for Air Quality; and

WHEREAS, the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program is developed by the Commission in coordination and cooperation with local elected and appointed highway and transit officials, special interest and service organizations, including users of public transit, the Indiana Department of Transportation, the Indiana Department of Environmental Management, the U.S. Federal Highway Administration, the U.S. Federal Transit Administration, and the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency; and


WHEREAS, the changes to the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program brought about by this amendment were reviewed by the Air Quality Conformity Task Force's Interagency Consultation Group (ICG); and

WHEREAS, the changes to the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program brought about by this amendment were made available for public comment in the manner prescribed by the 2019 Public Participation Plan, *ENGAGE NWI*; with no comments; and

WHEREAS, on February 3, 2026, the Transportation Committee recommended that the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission make these changes to the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission hereby amends the FY 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program by adding the new projects and making other changes as shown on the attachment to this resolution.

Duly adopted by the Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission, this nineteenth day of February, 2026.



Vice Chair

ATTEST:



Treasurer

2501128 (Ver 1) 26-04.1 STATUS **New Project** **FEDERAL**

Title: Purchase ZEV **Route:** N/A
Description: Purchase Electric (Zero Emission) Vehicles
Project Type: Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: This is a new project for the 2026-2030 TIP. This project is split from 2301103.

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	CRP Chicago UZA	\$133,120	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$133,120
2026	Local Fund	\$74,880	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$74,880
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$208,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$208,000
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$208,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$208,000

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Griffith

2301203 (Ver 5) 26-04.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: City of Hobart and Lake Station HD CNG Trucks & Infrastructure (2026) **Route:** N/A
Description: 1- CNG Recycling Truck (2026), 2 CNG trucks (2027), 1 CNG Sewer cleaner (2028), CNG infrastructure upgrades (2028)
Project Type: Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Lake **Limits:**
Narrative: Moved FY 25 funding to FY 26

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$995,680	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$995,680
2026	Local Fund	\$255,620	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$255,620
2029	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$640,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$640,000
2029	Local Fund	\$160,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$160,000
<2026	Prior	\$1,857,900	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,857,900
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$2,051,300	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,051,300
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$3,909,200	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,909,200

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: Hobart

Previously Approved Version							
2301203		(Ver 4) 26-02.1					
Title:	City of Hobart and Lake Station HD CNG Trucks & Infrastructure (2026)					Route: N/A	
Description:	1- CNG Recycling Truck (2026), 2 CNG trucks (2027), 1 CNG Sewer cleaner (2028), CNG infrastructure upgrades (2028)						
Project Type:	Other	AQ Exempt: Exempt				District: LaPorte	
County:	Lake	Limits:					
Narrative:	New project in 26-30 TIP, revised funding in 2026, added funding in 2029						
FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL	
2026	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$481,280	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$481,280	
2026	Local Fund	\$120,020	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$120,020	
2029	CMAQ Chicago UZA	\$640,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$640,000	
2029	Local Fund	\$160,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$160,000	
<2026	Prior	\$2,507,900	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,507,900	
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$1,401,300	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,401,300	
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$3,909,200	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,909,200	
Region: Northwestern MPO				Lead Agency: Hobart			

2401847	(Ver 1) 26-04.1	STATUS New Project	STATE																												
Title:	Signing Installation / Repair		Route: N/A																												
Description:	Various locations in the LaPorte District																														
Project Type:	Signing Installation / Repair	AQ Exempt: Exempt	District: LaPorte																												
County:	Laporte	Limits:																													
Narrative:	New Project for 26-30 TIP; Add CN \$1,120,000.00 in FY28; various locations																														
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Region: Northwestern MPO		Lead Agency: INDOT																													

2500478	(Ver 1) 26-04.1	STATUS New Project	FEDERAL																												
Title:	Small Structures & Drains Reconstruction, I-65		Route: N/A																												
Description:	From 0.45 mi. S. of US 30 (including interchange) to 0.62 mi. N. of I-80/94 (Central Ave.). The length is 7.95 miles and will be completed in CY 2029.																														
Project Type:	Small Structures & Drains Construction	AQ Exempt: Exempt	District: LaPorte																												
County:	Lake	Limits:																													
Narrative:	New Project for 26-30, Add CN in FY 2029 \$563,331.00																														
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Region: Northwestern MPO		Lead Agency: INDOT																													

1902818 (Ver 8) 26-04.1 STATUS Programmed **FEDERAL**

Title: Unincorporated Union Mills- Sidewalks and ramps **Route:** N/A
Description: Sidewalks and ramps along Hamilton and Water Street. Total length is 0.75 mi.
Project Type: Bike/Pedestrian Facilities **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Laporte **Limits:**
Narrative: Increase funding for ROW LID

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2026	Local Fund	\$0	\$32,600	\$0	\$0	\$32,600
2026	TAP Mich City UZA	\$0	\$130,400	\$0	\$0	\$130,400
2027	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$80,000	\$11,600	\$91,600
2027	STBG Group IV	\$0	\$0	\$320,000	\$46,400	\$366,400
<2026	Prior	\$119,500	\$119,250	\$0	\$0	\$238,750
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$163,000	\$400,000	\$58,000	\$621,000
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$119,500	\$282,250	\$400,000	\$58,000	\$859,750

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: LaPorte County

Previously Approved Version

1902818 (Ver 7) 26-00

Title: Unincorporated Union Mills- Sidewalks and ramps **Route:** N/A
Description: Sidewalks and ramps along Hamilton and Water Street. Total length is 0.75 mi.
Project Type: Bike/Pedestrian Facilities **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Laporte **Limits:**
Narrative: Kathy approved for the RW Funds to be moved to FY25 and the CN funds to be moved to FY27

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
2027	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$80,000	\$11,600	\$91,600
2027	STBG Group IV	\$0	\$0	\$320,000	\$46,400	\$366,400
<2026	Prior	\$119,500	\$119,250	\$0	\$0	\$238,750
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$400,000	\$58,000	\$458,000
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$119,500	\$119,250	\$400,000	\$58,000	\$696,750

Region: Northwestern MPO

Lead Agency: LaPorte County

2401544		(Ver 4) 26-04.1	STATUS Deleted				STATE
Title:	Pavement Markings on multiple Streets in Long Beach					Route:	N/A
Description:	Pavement Markings on multiple Streets in Long Beach						
Project Type:	Other	AQ Exempt:	Exempt		District:	LaPorte	
County:	Laporte	Limits:					
Narrative:	This project is being eliminated, per the LPA.						
FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL	
Region: Northwestern MPO				Lead Agency: Long Beach			

Previously Approved Version							
2401544		(Ver 3) 26-02.1					
Title:	Pavement Markings on multiple Streets in Long Beach					Route:	N/A
Description:	Pavement Markings on multiple Streets in Long Beach						
Project Type:	Other	AQ Exempt:	Exempt		District:	LaPorte	
County:	Laporte	Limits:					
Narrative:	New project in 26-30 TIP (Carry Over)						
FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL	
2026	Local Fund	\$0	\$0	\$18,000	\$0	\$18,000	
2026	State Special Projects	\$0	\$0	\$54,000	\$0	\$54,000	
2026-2030 TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$72,000	\$0	\$72,000	
ALL YEARS TOTAL		\$0	\$0	\$72,000	\$0	\$72,000	
Region: Northwestern MPO				Lead Agency: Long Beach			

2501107 (Ver 2) 26-04.1 STATUS Deleted **FEDERAL**

Title: Purchase ZEV **Route:** N/A
Description: Purchase Electric (Zero Emission) Vehicles
Project Type: Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Porter **Limits:**
Narrative: LPA wished to not move forward and eliminate the project.

FED FY	REVENUE SOURCE	PE	RW	CN	CE	TOTAL
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Region: Northwestern MPO **Lead Agency:** Porter

Previously Approved Version

2501107 (Ver 1) 26-03.1

Title: Purchase ZEV **Route:** N/A
Description: Purchase Electric (Zero Emission) Vehicles
Project Type: Other **AQ Exempt:** Exempt **District:** LaPorte
County: Porter **Limits:**
Narrative: This is a new project for the 2026-2030 TIP. This project is split from 2301103.

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Region: Northwestern MPO **Lead Agency:** Porter

Northwestern MPO TIP SUMMARY BY LEAD AGENCY

	Prior	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029	FY 2030	FY 2031	Beyond	Total
Gary	\$0	\$897,350	\$162,250	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,059,600
Griffith	\$0	\$208,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$208,000
Hobart	\$4,365,800	\$1,852,600	\$0	\$0	\$1,600,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$7,818,400
INDOT	\$9,878,582	\$108,397,481	\$15,065,212	\$1,120,000	\$563,331	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$135,024,606
LaPorte County	\$477,500	\$163,000	\$916,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,556,500
Long Beach	\$0	\$72,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$72,000
Porter	\$0	\$208,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$208,000
TOTAL	\$14,721,882	\$111,798,431	\$16,143,462	\$1,120,000	\$2,163,331	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$145,947,106