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January 6, 2015

Larry Buckel, Manager
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100 North Senate Avenue, Room N955-LP
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Re: FY2014-2017 Indiana Transit STIP Amendment #31, dated December 18, 2014
FY2014-2017 Indiana Transit STIP Amendment #32, dated December 22, 2014
FY2014-2017 Indiana Transit STIP Amendment #33, dated December 23, 2014

Dear Mr. Buckel:

We have reviewed the State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) amendment requests you submitted via correspondence dated December 18, 2014, December 22, 2014, and December 23, 2014. These requests add projects pursuant to changes made to the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for the Michiana Area Council of Governments (MACOG), the Indianapolis MPO (IMPO), and the Fort Wayne MPO, Northeastern Indiana Regional Coordinating Council (NIRCC).

The amended TIP has been endorsed by the appropriate Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPOs). The projects listed in the attached STIP amendment table (Attachment 1) are eligible for FTA funding.

We have determined that the amendments to the TIP and STIP are financially constrained and consistent with the relevant MPO and statewide transportation plans. The projects were developed in accordance with the requirements of 23 CFR 450, and are exempt from the air quality conformity determination process. The project additions are approved for the FY2014-2017 STIP.

If you have any questions concerning this STIP amendment approval, please contact Reginald Arkell at (312) 886-3704. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Sheila Clements
Director, Office of Planning & Program Development

Attachment: FY2014-2017 INDOT STIP Table Amendment #31, #32, #33

Cc: James Turnwald, Executive Director, Michiana Area Council of Governments
Anna Gremling, Executive Director, Indianapolis MPO
Daniel S. Avery, Executive Director, Northeastern Indiana Regional Coordinating Council

INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
 FY2014-2017 STIP Amendment #31, #32, #33
 January 6, 2014

Number	DES	MPO	Sponsor Name	Project Description	Fiscal Year	Total	Federal	Local	Federal Funding Source	FY Grant Number	FY 2014	Date	Comments
112	1401754	MACOG	Transpo	Purchase up to 9 less than 30 ft vehicles	2015	\$500,000	\$400,000	\$100,000	STP		Pending	1/6/2015	STIP amend #31 - New Project
113	1401755	MACOG	Transpo	Purchase up to 4 greater than 30 ft vehicles	2015	\$1,000,000	\$800,000	\$200,000	CMAQ		Pending		STIP amend #31 - New Project
114	1401756	MACOG	Transpo	CNG Station	2015	\$2,000,000	\$1,600,000	\$400,000	STP		Pending		STIP amend #31 - New Project
59	1401608	Indianapolis	IndyGo	Transit Buses	2016	\$3,437,500	\$2,750,000	\$687,500	STP		Pending		STIP Amend #32 - New Project
60	1401386	Indianapolis	IndyGo	Red Line TIGER VI Planning	2017	\$1,567,500	\$1,250,000	\$312,500	STP		Pending		STIP Amend #32 - New Project
61	1401695	Fort Wayne	CBlink-CTN	Section S310 Operating Assistance	2015	\$3,168,000	\$2,073,200	\$1,094,800	TIGER		Pending		STIP Amend #32 - New Project
62	1401695	Fort Wayne	CBlink-CTN	Section S310 Operating Assistance	2016	\$204,500	\$102,250	\$102,250	S310		Pending		Amend #33 - Add a new S310 Project (FY15)
					2016	\$204,500	\$102,250	\$102,250	S310		Pending		Amend #33 - Add a new S310 Project (FY16)



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Michael R. Pence, Governor
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December 23, 2014

Ms. Marisol R. Simon
Regional Administrator
Federal Transit Administration
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RE: FY2014 - FY2017 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) Transit Amendment #33

Dear Ms. Simon;

Please find attached a Metropolitan Planning Organization TIP amendment which must be approved and included into the FY 2014 State Transportation Improvement Program. We will reflect by reference the 2014-2017 federal aid projects covered by this approval in our 2014 - 2017 STIP. The Amendment is for the Fort Wayne MPO. The Amendment was approved on December 22, 2014 by the Fort Wayne MPO.

We have determined that the proposed amendments are: 1) consistent with the transportation plan; 2) the TIP remains fiscally constrained in that federal funding resources are sufficient to support the new or modified projects and 3) conform to state and national air quality standards as required by the Federal Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990.

We request your review and approval of the subject amendment. Please contact me at (317) 232-5292 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Larry Buckel
Manager
Office of Transit

CC: Reggie Arkell, FTA
Tony Greep, FTA

Northeastern Indiana Regional Coordinating Council



December 22, 2014

Jerry Halperin
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RE: Approval of Amendment 14-104 to the 2014-2017 NIRCC TIP

Dear Jerry,

This is to inform you of the approval of amendment 14-104 to the 2014-2017 Northeastern Indiana Regional Coordinating Council's (NIRCC) Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). The amendment was approved by the Urban Transportation Advisory Board (UTAB) on November 4, 2014. I have included, as an attachment, the INDOT spreadsheet and the NIRCC A-M spreadsheet to detail the project amendment for the following projects:

- DES #1401695 CTN – Operating Funds - 5310

A hard copy of this notice will NOT be sent. The revised 2014-2017 NIRCC TIP will be available on NIRCC.com. Please contact me if you have any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

Stacey Gorsuch
Principal Transportation Planner

cc: David Armstrong
Mike Rauch
Michael McNeil
Larry Buckel

Attachments

