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## Public Comment Report

### Air Quality Conformity Determination Report for *NWI 2050+* Amendment No. 2 and 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)

#### Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission Transportation Committee Meeting

May 6, 2025

The Air Quality Conformity Determination Report for *NWI 2050+* Amendment No. 2 and the 2026-2030 Transportation Improvement Program was released for a 30-day public comment period which began on March 22, 2025, and ended April 20, 2025. The document was made available at [www.nirpc.org](http://www.nirpc.org). Two comments that pertained to the Air Quality Conformity Determination Report from the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) were received on April 8, 2025. These comments and NIRPC staff's response to these comments are noted in the table below:

Commenter	Comment	Significant Comment	NIRPC Staff Response
FHWA	Project list does not include sufficient descriptive material (i.e. type of work, termini, and <u>length</u> ) to identify project or project phase (23 CFR 450.326 (g)(1))	No	A column of length (in miles) was added to the Regionally Significant Project List in Table 5.9.
FHWA	Confirm that all regionally significant projects in short term (FY26-30) have been included in TIP	No	Yes, all regionally significant projects in the short term (FY 2026-2030) are included in the TIP.

NIRPC did not receive any comments from members of the Interagency Consultation Group on Air Quality (ICG) during the 7-day informal comment period between March 24, 2025, and March 31, 2025. According to the September 2022 *Indiana Air Quality Conformity Interagency Consultation Group Guidance*, no response from the ICG member agencies can be interpreted as concurrence.