

GREATER BRIDGEPORT AND VALLEY METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION

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DATE: January 29, 2016

RE: Resolutions Adopted at January 29, 2016 MPO Meeting

Attached, please find copies of the resolutions adopted by the Greater Bridgeport and Valley MPO at its January 29, 2015 meeting. The resolutions adopted by the MPO were:

- **Resolution 2016-01 – Amendment of the FFY 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Program, Federal Highway Administration Programs**

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The above resolutions were adopted and endorsed by the GBVMPO at a regular meeting at which a quorum was present and after adhering to the public involvement process, as stipulated in the MPO's public participation program handbook. If you have any questions or comments regarding the MPO's action of January 29th or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact the appropriate RPO.

RESOLUTION 2016-01

**AMENDMENT
FFY 2015-2018 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM
FHWA PROGRAMS**

WHEREAS, the Greater Bridgeport and Valley Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) is authorized by the **Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act (FAST Act)** and related US Department of Transportation regulations to prepare, endorse; and periodically amend a short range Transportation Improvement Program for the 10-town MPO area within the Bridgeport-Stamford Urbanized Area;

WHEREAS, the MPO endorsed the *FFY 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Program for the Greater Bridgeport and Valley Planning Regions (TIP)* at its July 13, 2015, meeting; and the US Department of Transportation (Federal Highway Administration and Federal Transit Administration) have approved the *State FFY 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Program (STIP)*;

WHEREAS, the *FAST Act* allocates funds to the State of Connecticut under various federal transportation assistance programs administered by the Federal Highway Administration;

WHEREAS, the *FAST Act* planning guidelines require the *TIP/STIP* to be fiscally constrained to available program funds;

WHEREAS, the Connecticut Department of Transportation is requesting amendments to the *TIP/STIP* to add program funding to continue on-going projects listed in the current *TIP/STIP*;

WHEREAS, these amendments represent minor modifications of the *TIP/STIP* and involve projects that are exempt from the regional emissions analyses and do not necessitate a new air quality analysis;

WHEREAS, the public notification and review of these proposed amendments was consistent with and followed the procedures set forth in the MPO's *Public Participation Program Handbook*, as amended, and the proposed amendments are consistent with the goals and objectives of the long-range transportation plans of the Greater Bridgeport and Valley Planning Regions.

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NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Greater Bridgeport and Valley MPO endorses the amendment of the *FFY 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Program* to include the projects as described and listed in the attachment to this resolution.

This resolution shall become effective as of January 29, 2016.

We, the undersigned co-secretaries of Greater Bridgeport and Valley Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO), Connecticut, do hereby certify that the resolution adopted by the MPO at a public meeting held on January 29, 2016, at which a quorum was present and that the same is a correct and true transcript from the original thereof.

Respectfully submitted,



Brian Bidolli, Executive Director
GBRC – MPO Co-Secretary



Richard T. Dunne, Executive Director
NVCOG – MPO Co-Secretary

DATE: January 29, 2016

**AMENDMENTS (FHWA)
FFY 2015-2018 TIP/STIP**

Region	FACode	Proj#	AQCd	Rte/Sys	Town	Description	Phase	Year	Tot\$(000)	Fed\$(000)	Sta\$(000)	Loc\$(000)	Comments	code for change
06	NHPP-BRX	0126-0170	X6	RT 8	SHELTON	FULL PAINTING AND STEEL REHAB OF BR 00571 OVER RT 10 & HOUSATONIC RV	CON	2016	0	0	0	0	ADD FFY '16 AC ENTRY	07
06	NHPP-BRX	0126-0170	X6	RT 8	SHELTON	FULL PAINTING AND STEEL REHAB OF BR 00571 OVER RT 10 & HOUSATONIC RV	CON	2016	48,600	38,880	9,720	0	ADD FFY '16 AC CONVERSION	07
07	TIGER	0015-0373	CC	NHL-ML	BRIDGEPORT	BARNUM RAILROAD STATION - BRIDGEPORT - TIGER	PE	2016	18,500	10,000	8,500	0	NEW PROJECT	05
07	FBD	0015-0312	X6		BRIDGEPORT	HIGH SPEED FERRY TERMINAL	CON	2018	2,708	2,166	542	0	NEW PROJECT	05
07	HPPS	0015-0312	X6		BRIDGEPORT	HIGH SPEED FERRY TERMINAL	CON	2018	3,375	2,700	675	0	NEW PROJECT	05
07	STPB	0015-0368	CC	LAFAYETTE CIRCLE	BRIDGEPORT	REALIGNMENT OF LAFAYETTE CIRCLE & IMPROVEMENTS ON SR700	PD	2016	750	600	75	75	NEW PROJECT	05
07	STPB	0015-0368	CC	LAFAYETTE CIRCLE	BRIDGEPORT	REALIGNMENT OF LAFAYETTE CIRCLE & IMPROVEMENTS ON SR700	FD	2017	750	600	75	75	NEW PROJECT	05
07	STPB	0015-0368	CC	LAFAYETTE CIRCLE	BRIDGEPORT	REALIGNMENT OF LAFAYETTE CIRCLE & IMPROVEMENTS ON SR700	ROW	2017	1,400	1,120	140	140	NEW PROJECT	05
07	STPB	0015-0368	CC	LAFAYETTE CIRCLE	BRIDGEPORT	REALIGNMENT OF LAFAYETTE CIRCLE & IMPROVEMENTS ON SR700	CON	FYI	8,900	5,520	690	2,690	NEW PROJECT	05
73	NHPP	0173-0472	X6	CT 15	VARIOUS	SIGN UPDATES ON ROUTE 15, EXITS 27-53	CON	2017	3,500	3,500	0	0	NEW PROJECT	05