

April 9, 2008

MACOG

Mr. Jerry Halperin
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Indianapolis, IN 46204

Dear Jerry:

Amend the FY2008-2012/modify the FY2009-2013 Transportation Improvement Program to include the following:

Exempt Projects

Des #0300115 – SR13 – Bridge over Elkhart River, 4.09 mi N of US33 – Bridge Replacement
INDOT Request - Elkhart County – Fort Wayne District - STP
CN 2009 Total - \$1,512,250 Federal - \$1,209,800 State - \$302,450

Des #0013200 – US33 – Over Hire Ditch, 0.19 mi N of SR13 – Small Structure Replacement
INDOT Request – Elkhart County – Fort Wayne District - NHS
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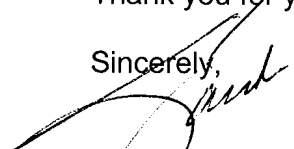
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The Michiana Area Council of Governments, as the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization for the South Bend and Elkhart, Indiana Urbanized Areas, is hereby submitting an amendment to the FY2008-2012 TIP and a modification to the FY2002-2013 TIP for Intergovernmental Review under the provisions of Executive Order 1271. The document has been reviewed and endorsed by the MACOG Policy Board on April 9, 2008.

We are, therefore, offering our assurance that the document has been developed with and reviewed by the appropriate jurisdictions and governmental agencies within the South Bend and Elkhart/Goshen Urbanized Areas. This includes the Indiana Department of Transportation and member jurisdictions and governmental agencies of the MACOG Policy Board.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please contact this agency if you need further information.

Sincerely,


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Executive Director

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RESOLUTION NO. 29-08
A RESOLUTION ENDORSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE SOUTH BEND AND
ELKHART/GOSHEN FY2008-2012 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM
AND MODIFICATION TO THE FY2009-2013 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the SAFETEA-LU Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy of Users (2005) designating joint Federal Highway Administration/Federal Transit Administration rules and regulations, under Section 134, Title 23 of the US Code (h) and CFR, Part 450, Sub-part A, of the previous STAA act require the annual preparation of a Transportation Improvement Program by the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization(s) as a part of the transportation planning process in urbanized areas of 50,000 or more population; and

WHEREAS, the Michiana Area Council of Governments (MACOG) being the duly designated Metropolitan Planning Organization for the South Bend and Elkhart/ Goshen Urbanized Areas, in cooperation with local governmental units and implementing agencies within the urbanized areas, has prepared FY2008-2012 and FY2009-2013 Transportation Improvement Programs (TIPs), which consist of improvements recommended in the MACOG Region.

WHEREAS, the MACOG Policy Board from time to time receives and amends/modifies its Transportation Improvement Programs.

WHEREAS, the MACOG consulted with the Interagency Consultation Group and the agencies concurred in the MPO finding that the TIP amendment projects are exempt, per 40 CFR 93.126 & 127, and there is no need to update the conformity analysis or issue a new conformity finding.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, that the South Bend and Elkhart/Goshen FY2008-2012 TIP will be amended and the FY2009-2013 TIP will be modified to include the following:

Amend the FY2008-2012/Modify the FY2009-2013 Transportation Improvement Program

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RESOLVED THIS 9th Day of April, 2008

Michiana Area Council of Governments


John Letherman, Chairman

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Federal Aid Projects for MACOG - FY 2008 FY 2013**ELKHART COUNTY, INDIANA***This page sorted by column C*

DES #	KIN #	Sponsor	Road	Project Description/ Location	
0100566	4673	Elkhart		Hively Ave - Oxbow Park Bike Ped Phase II 0088180	
0200912		Elkhart		S.R. Miller Auto Museum -New Elkhart Automobile Museum	
0400744		Elkhart		Bristol at Johnson Street	Int
0600447		Elkhart		Christiana Creek Greenway	Bi
0600463		Elkhart		Prairie Ave and NS RR underpass construction	RF
0600463		Elkhart		Prairie Ave and NS RR underpass construction between Main and Middlebury Sts	N
0089280		Elkhart		Rehabilitation of old NYC Railroad Depot	
9680680		Elkhart		Hively Avenue - SR19 to Benham Avenue	
TBA		Elkhart		Flex to FTA New Route Operations	I
TBA		Elkhart		Flex to FTA Trolley Bus Capital Purchase	Cap
0400363		Elkhart Co.		CR 15 at CR 45	
0401066		Elkhart Co.		Pumpkinvine Trail - Ph 3; SR13 to LaGrange Co line (Res. 10-08)	Bi
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0500536		Elkhart Co.		CR 18, CR 13 and CR 115, 860 ft N of US 20	Int
0501070		Elkhart Co.		CR 32 at CR 17	Int
0600444		Elkhart Co.		Buggy Lanes - Middlebury to Lagrange Co	
0600470		Elkhart Co.		Inspection/re-inspections of bridges 20 feet and greater in length	
0101164	0101165	Elkhart Co.		CR17 frm CR28 to SR119 includes bridges 30 and 32	N
0501128	600555	Elkhart Co.		CR17 frm SR119 to CR 142	N
0710953		Elkhart Co.		Indiana Ave Bridge Painting and Rehab	
0800045		Elkhart Co.		Fiber Optic Signal Interconnect along Mishawaka Ave. - Phase I (Res. 09-08)	
0800054		Elkhart Co.		Fiber Optic Signal Interconnect along Mishawaka Ave. - Phase II (Res. 09-08)	
0088180	4673	Goshen		CR 45 to Oxbow Park Bike Ped (Phase VI) 0100566	Bi
0100562	9981510	Goshen		Goshen Riverwalk	Bi
0500181		Goshen		3 Way Signal College Ave @ SR15	Int
0501071		Goshen		Main Street (US 33) at Madison St (US 15)	Int
0600456		Goshen		Plymouth Ave Bike and Pedestrian underpass	Bi
0600457		Goshen		Winona Trail Bike and Ped Underpass RR near Goshen College	Bi
0710203		Goshen		Parkside School sidewalk project - Safe Routes to Schools	
0710203		Goshen		Parkside School sidewalk project	
0710209		Goshen		Goshen School non-infrastructure project (Res. 14-08)	
9880690		Goshen		Rogers Pk/Chicago Ave CR45 Bike/Ped (Phase V)	
9981510	0100562	Goshen		Millrace Powerhouse Preservation of Mill along Elkhart Riv	
TBA		Goshen		Flex to FTA Trolley Bus Capital Purchase	Cap
0100565		Nappanee		Bike and Pedestrian Facility frm CR101 to SR19	Bi
0400021		Nappanee		Landscaping and scenic beatification - Downtown Nappanee	
0401406		Nappanee		North Oakland Avenue from US 6 (Market St) to CR 52 (Woodlawn Dr)	F
0501255		Nappanee		Landscaping - scenic beautification - Nappanee CBD Phase 2	Bi
0710989		Middlebury		Wayne Street, Middlebury South/Southwest at Spring St. - Bike Path	Bi
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0710584		INDOT		Various Roads - District Pavement Marking Project	C
0000260		INDOT	US 6	At SR 15 (Incls Channelization)	
0002910	3828	INDOT	US 33	From 0.5 km E of US 20 bypass to 2.8 km E of US 20 bypass	N
0003010	3828	INDOT	US 33	At Sunnyside Ave, 1.5 km S of US 20 - (Res 29-08)	
0003110	3828	INDOT	US 33	At Mishawaka Rd (CR 20), 2.1 km S of US 20 bypass	
0003210	3828	INDOT	US 33	At Lewis Ave, 2.4 km S of US 20 bypass (Res 29-08)	
0003310	3828	INDOT	US 33	From Sunnyside Ave to CR 15 - (Res 29-08)	Clo
0003410	3828	INDOT	US 33	Bridge ovr Yellow Crk/Leedy Ditch, 0.95 km S of US 20 bypass	E
0011940		INDOT	SR 19	At CR 26, 0.5 mile S of US 20	Int
0013120	4303	INDOT	SR 15	At W jct with SR 120 in Bristol	Int
0013120	4303	INDOT	SR 15	At W jct with SR 120 in Bristol	Int
0013180		INDOT	SR 15	Over Branch of Preston Miles Ditch, 0.5 km S of US 6	Sr

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0013200	Res 29-08	INDOT	US 33	Over Hire Ditch, 0.19 miles N of SR 13	SR
0100044	4639	INDOT	I 90	Bridge ovr CR 25 & St. Joseph Rvr, milepost 100.14 EB W of SR 15	
0100045	4639	INDOT	I 90	Bridge ovr CR 25 & St. Joseph Rvr, milepost 100.14 EB W of SR 15	
0100648	4287	INDOT	SR 19	At Bristol and Cassopolis Streets, 1.98 miles S of I-80/I-90	Int
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0101500		INDOT	US 6	Over Branch of Kieffer Ditch, 0.82 mile E of SR 15	SR
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0101501	Res 24-08	INDOT	US 6	Over Christopher Ditch, 0.1 mile S of SR119 - (Res. 24-08)	SR
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0101520		INDOT	SR 13	Bridge over Little Elkhart River, 1.73 miles N of US 20	R
0101525	Res 07-08	INDOT	US 33	Bridge over Elkhart River, 4.44 mi N of SR13	
0101525	Res 07-08	INDOT	US 33	Bridge over Elhart River, 4.44 mi N of SR13	
0101525	Res 07-08	INDOT	US 33	Bridge over Elkhart River, 4.44 miles N of SR 13	
0200850		INDOT	US 6	Over Keiffer Ditch, 0.27 mile E of SR 15	SR
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0200921		INDOT	SR 15	Bridge over Keiffer Ditch, 0.62 mile N of US 6	
0200930	4358	INDOT	SR 19	SB Bridge over Toll Road (I-90), 9.15 miles N of US 20	
0200931	4358	INDOT	SR 19	NB Bridge over Toll Road (I-90), 9.15 miles N of US 20	
0200960	Res 29-08	INDOT	RR NS	NS Crossing at Sunnyside Avenue	RR
0200976		INDOT	US 20	From 4.2 miles E of SR 15 to 4.4 miles E of SR 15	Dr
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0300115		INDOT	SR 13	Bridge over Elkhart River, 4.09 miles N of US 33	
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0300360	4303	INDOT	SR 15	At W jct with SR 120	
0301141		INDOT	SR 19	Over Miller Ditch, 0.5 miles N of SR19	Sma
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0400243		INDOT	IR 1021	Maple Rd at NS in Bristol	
0400910	2175	INDOT	IR 1025	From 1.5 mile N of US 6/ CR 127 intersection	Er
0401186		INDOT		SR119 at CR38 - Congestion Project (minor)	
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0500630	4719	INDOT	SR 4	1.36 mile E of US 33/SR 15 to SR 13	HM
0500653	4657	INDOT	US 6	At SR 13 W jct	
0500681		INDOT	VA VARI	At 13 locations throughout the Fort Wayne District	Tra
0500782	4717	INDOT	SR 15	Carter Rd to US 33 in Goshen	Pr
0500788	4731	INDOT	US 20	SR 15 to Lagrange County Line	
0500835	2175	INDOT	SR 15	From 0.34 mile S of US 20 to a point 1.92 miles N of US 20	
0500846	4713	INDOT	SR 4	US 33/SR 15 to 1.36 mile E of US 33/SR 15	Pr
0500847	4713	INDOT	SR 4	US 33/SR 15 to 1.36 mile E of US 33/SR 15	A
0500849	4717	INDOT	SR 15	Carter Street to US 33 in Goshen	A
0500861	4719	INDOT	SR 4	4.18 mile E of US 33/SR 15- 3' Wide Shoulder	S
0500928	4731	INDOT	US 20	US 20 and Orpha Ave- replacing Video Signal Detection Loops	Tra
0501219		INDOT	SR 15	US 6 to Carter Street	Pr
0600158	4800	INDOT	US 33	At Wal-Mart, S entrance	
0600159	4800	INDOT	SR 19	At Nelson's Parkway	
0600240	4789	INDOT	SR 19	At CR 46	
0600346		INDOT	SR 13	From US33 to SR 4 - District Paving Project	Pr
0600365		INDOT	US 20	Elkhart/St. Joe County Line to end of 4-Lane Section	
0600692		INDOT	SR 15	55561, Bristol, IN 46507-9505. N of US 20, just S of CR 112,	