

November 16, 2011

Mr. Jerry Halperin  
MPO Coordinator  
INDOT, IGC N955  
100 N. Senate Avenue  
Indianapolis, IN 46204

Dear Mr. Halperin:

Please amend the FY2012-2015 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and the FY 2012 – 2015 Indiana Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the following:

**LAPORTE DISTRICT**

**Locally Initiated – Resolution 50-11**

A. South Bend      Amendment      Exempt Project in St. Joseph County, IN  
Resolution 50-11      Delete Project      Phase: CN  
Des #: 1006380      **Location: Western Ave at Chapin St – Pedestrian Pushbutton**  
                                 **Local Safety Project**      SFY: 2012  
Total: \$70,000      Federal: \$63,000 (HSIP)      Local: \$7,000

B. South Bend      Amendment      Exempt Project in St. Joseph County, IN  
Resolution 50-11      Delete Project      Phase: CN  
Des #: 1006381      **Location: Western Ave at Chapin St – Pedestrian Warning Flashers**  
                                 **Local Safety Project**      SFY: 2012  
Total: \$30,000      Federal: \$27,000 (HSIP)      Local: \$3,000

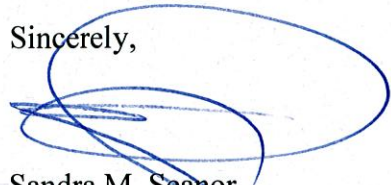
C. Marshall County      Amendment      Exempt Project in Marshall County, IN  
Resolution 50-11      Add Project      Phase: CN  
Des #: 1173280      **Location: Bridge carrying 7<sup>th</sup>(a) Rd over Elmer Seltenright Ditch**  
                                 **Local Bridge Project**      SFY: 2014  
Total: \$630,000      Federal: \$0.00      Local: \$630,000

The Michiana Area Council of Governments, as the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization for the South Bend and Elkhart/Goshen, Indiana Urbanized Areas, is hereby submitting an amendment to the FY2012-2015 TIP and the 2012-2015 STIP for Intergovernmental Review under the provisions of Executive Order 1271. The document has been reviewed and endorsed by the MACOG Policy Board on November 16, 2011.

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,



Sandra M. Seanor  
Executive Director

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Enclosure

Cc: Justin Sergent  
Joyce Newland  
Lisa Shrader  
Marcia Blansett

**RESOLUTION NO. 50-11**  
**A RESOLUTION ENDORSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE SOUTH BEND AND**  
**ELKHART/GOSHEN FY2012-2015 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 a FY2012-2015 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) which consists 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 FY2012-2015 TIP will be amended to include the following:

**Amend the FY2012-2015 Transportation Improvement Plan**

**Emergency TIP Amendment**

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**Local Bridge Project SFY: 2014**  
Total: \$630,000 Federal: \$0.00 Local: \$630,000

Emergency Resolution approved this 18<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2011.


Michiana Area Council of Governments



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Sandra M. Seanor, Executive Director

RESOLVED THIS 16<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2011.

Michiana Area Council of Governments



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Frank Lucchese, Chairman

Resolution 50-11

| DES # / Grant # | Contract # | Corridor ID | Sponsor      | Amendment        | Road |      | Project Description/Location   | Project Category                      | MACOG Letting Date | SFY  | LRP Open to Traffic Date | Phase | Type I | Federal I    | Type II | Federal II | State       | Local        | Total        |
|-----------------|------------|-------------|--------------|------------------|------|------|--|---------------------------------------|--------------------|------|--------------------------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| 0902235         | R-33241    | -           | Culver       | Nov 74-10 p879   |      |      | Main St Enhancements from Madison St to Washington St  | Transp. Enhancement                   | April-13           | 2013 |                          | CN    | TE     | \$ 361,200   |         |            |             | \$ 96,000    | \$ 457,200   |
| 1006376         | R-34128    | -           | Culver       | Aug 37-11 p986   |      |      | Culver Community Schools SRTS Infrastructure   | Bike/Pedestrian Facility              | Dec-11             | 2012 |                          | CN    | SRTS   | \$ 250,000   |         |            |             | \$ 13,330    | \$ 263,330   |
| 0810140         | -          | -           | Marshall Co. | Nov 55-11 pXX    |      |      | 7th (a) Rd from Michigan St to new US-31 interchange to Linden Trl                             | New Road Construction                 | 2012               | 2012 |                          | RW1   | Local  | \$ -         |         |            |             | \$ 500,000   | \$ 500,000   |
| 0810140         | -          | -           | Marshall Co. | Nov 55-11 pXX    |      |      | 7th (a) Rd from Michigan St to new US-31 interchange to Linden Trl                             | New Road Construction                 | January-14         | 2014 |                          | CN    | Grp IV | \$ 3,996,772 |         |            |             | \$ 5,324,951 | \$ 9,321,723 |
| 1173280         | -          | -           | Marshall Co. | Nov 50-11 pXX    |      |      | Bridge carrying 7th(a) Rd over Elmer Selttenright Ditch  | New Bridge Construction               | January-14         | 2014 |                          | CN    | Local  | \$ -         |         |            |             | \$ 630,000   | \$ 630,000   |
| 0600381         | R-33140    | -           | Plymouth     | Sept 44-11 p997  |      |      | South Gateway Improvements - Plymouth  | Enhancement                           | March-12           | 2012 |                          | CN    | TE     | \$ 916,800   |         |            |             | \$ 229,200   | \$ 1,146,000 |
| 0501169         | -          | -           | Plymouth     | Apr 25-10 p733   |      |      | Hoham Drive Extension  | Other Project Type                    | TBD                | 2012 |                          | CN    | CHPP   | \$ 500,000   |         |            |             | \$ -         | \$ 500,000   |
| 0400808         | -          | -           | INDOT        |                  | SR   | 10   | 1.43 miles W of W jct SR 17  | Small Structure Replacement           |                    | 2013 |                          | CN    | ST STP | \$ 122,000   |         |            | \$ 30,500   |              | \$ 152,500   |
| 0400532         | -          | -           | INDOT        |                  | US   | 30   | 1.09 miles W of SR 17  | Small Structure Replacement           |                    | 2013 |                          | CN    | ST STP | \$ 235,000   |         |            | \$ 58,750   |              | \$ 293,750   |
| 0710743         | IR-30124   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | NB bridge over CSX RR  | New Road Construction Project         | November-11        | 2012 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 1,212,234 |         |            | \$ 303,058  |              | \$1,515,292  |
| 0710744         | IR-30124   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | SB bridge over CSX RR  | New Road Construction Project         | November-11        | 2012 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 1,212,234 |         |            | \$ 303,058  |              | \$1,515,292  |
| 0710745         | IR-30124   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | NB bridge over Lehman Ditch  | New Road Construction Project         | November-11        | 2012 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 573,600   |         |            | \$ 143,400  |              | \$717,000    |
| 0710746         | IR-30124   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | SB bridge over Lehman Ditch  | New Road Construction Project         | November-11        | 2012 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 573,600   |         |            | \$ 143,400  |              | \$717,000    |
| 0710757         | IR-30129   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 6    | From 3400' W of US 31 to 500' E of N Lilac Road (New alignment, from station 229+00 to 407+90) | Road Reconstruction (3R/4R Standards) | December-11        | 2012 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 5,000,000 |         |            | \$1,250,000 |              | \$ 6,250,000 |
| 0710767         | IR-30136   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | IR   | 1001 | From Maple Road to W 2C Road   | New Road Construction                 | October-11         | 2012 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 2,300,000 |         |            | \$ 575,000  |              | \$ 2,875,000 |
| 0710768         | IR-30136   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | IR   | 1001 | Local Service Rd over Elmer Selttenright Ditch   | New Bridge, Other                     | October-11         | 2012 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 650,000   |         |            | \$ 162,500  |              | \$ 812,500   |
| 0710769         | IR-30136   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | From existing US 31 at Elmer Selttenright Ditch to 2000ft N of US 6                            | New Road Construction                 | October-11         | 2012 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$17,000,000 |         |            | \$4,250,000 |              | \$21,250,000 |
| 0710770         | IR-30136   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | Bridge over West 3A  | New Bridge, Other                     | October-11         | 2012 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 1,000,000 |         |            | \$ 250,000  |              | \$ 1,250,000 |
| 0710771         | IR-30136   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | Nb Bridge over Elmer Selttenright Ditch  | New Bridge, Other                     | October-11         | 2012 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 1,000,000 |         |            | \$ 250,000  |              | \$ 1,250,000 |
| 0710772         | IR-30136   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | Sb Bridge over Elmer Selttenright Ditch  | New Bridge, Other                     | October-11         | 2012 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 750,000   |         |            | \$ 187,500  |              | \$ 937,500   |
| 0710773         | IR-30129   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | NB US 31 bridge over US 6  | New Bridge, Other                     | December-11        | 2012 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 1,300,000 |         |            | \$ 325,000  |              | \$ 1,625,000 |
| 0710776         | IR-30141   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | 7th Road Interchange   | New Road Construction                 | October-12         | 2013 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 9,500,000 |         |            | \$2,375,000 |              | \$11,875,000 |
| 0710777         | IR-30141   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | 7th Road over US 31  | New Bridge, Other                     | October-12         | 2013 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 3,000,000 |         |            | \$ 750,000  |              | \$ 3,750,000 |
| 0710778         | IR-30141   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | From US 30 interchange to Elmer Selttenright Ditch   | rface PCC Pavement (Partial 3/R Stand | 2012               | 2012 |                          | RW    | MMP    | \$ 609,500   |         |            | \$ 152,375  |              | \$ 761,875   |
| 0710778         | IR-30141   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | From US 30 interchange to Elmer Selttenright Ditch   | rface PCC Pavement (Partial 3/R Stand | October-12         | 2013 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 3,000,000 |         |            | \$ 750,000  |              | \$ 3,750,000 |
| 0710779         | IR-30141   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | NB bridge over Yellow Creek  | Bridge Deck Overlay                   | October-12         | 2013 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 100,000   |         |            | \$ 25,000   |              | \$ 125,000   |
| 0710780         | IR-30141   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | NB bridge over Elmer Selttenright Ditch  | Bridge Deck Overlay                   | October-12         | 2013 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 100,000   |         |            | \$ 25,000   |              | \$ 125,000   |
| 0710781         | IR-30136   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | IR   | 1001 | 4A From US 31 to Maple Road  | New Road Construction                 | October-11         | 2012 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 2,450,000 |         |            | \$ 612,500  |              | \$ 3,062,500 |
| 0710782         | IR-30136   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | West 4A over US 31   | New Bridge, Other                     | October-11         | 2012 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 1,500,000 |         |            | \$ 375,000  |              | \$ 1,875,000 |
| 0710842         | IR-30141   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | SB bridge over Yellow Creek  | New Bridge, Other                     | October-12         | 2013 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 100,000   |         |            | \$ 25,000   |              | \$ 125,000   |
| 0710843         | IR-30141   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | SB bridge over Elmer Selttenright Ditch  | New Bridge, Other                     | October-12         | 2013 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 100,000   |         |            | \$ 25,000   |              | \$ 125,000   |
| 0810356         | IR-30129   | 231         | INDOT        |                  | US   | 31   | SB US 31 bridge over US 6  | New Bridge, Other                     | December-11        | 2012 |                          | CN    | MMP    | \$ 1,300,000 |         |            | \$ 325,000  |              | \$ 1,625,000 |
| 1173191         |            |             | INDOT        | Sept 44-11 p1001 |      |      | Various locations in St Joseph & Marshall Counties   | Lighting Maintenance                  |                    | 2012 |                          | CN    |        |              |         |            | \$ 65,000   |              | \$ 65,000    |