

## WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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Thomas J. Smith, P. E. Secretary of Transportation/ Commissioner of Highways

March 23, 2017

Mr. John Tuggle
Executive Director
Fayette Raleigh Metropolitan
Planning Organization
885 Broad Street, Suite 100
Summersville, West Virginia 26651

Dear Mr. Tuggle:

Jim Justice

Governor

This letter documents my approval, as Governor Jim Justice's designee, of an amendment to revise the project content for the Fayette Raleigh Metropolitan Planning Organization (FRMPO) planning area's FY 2015-2019 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP).

These TIP amendments were endorsed via resolution adopted by FRMPO on March 3, 2017. A copy of the resolution and additional project information are enclosed for the benefit of other parties receiving a copy of this letter.

The revisions incorporated in the TIP amendment are hereby included in the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP). Federal approval of an amended STIP will be requested in the near future.

We appreciate your cooperation in amending your FY 2015-2019 TIP. Should you have any questions, please contact Mr. Robert Watson, P. E., Regional Planning Engineer within our Planning Division, at (304) 558-9623 or by email at robert.c.watson@wv.gov.

Best regards,

Thomas J. Smith, P. E.

Secretary of Transportation/ Commissioner of Highways

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**Enclosures** 

cc: Ms. Chandra Inglis-Smith – Federal Highway Administration, w/attachments

Ms. Michele DeAngelis – Federal Transit Administration, w/attachments

Mr. William F. Durham - WVDEP, Division of Air Quality, w/attachments

## RESOLUTION

## Amendment #5 to the 2015-2019 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)

WHEREAS,	The Fayette/Raleigh Metropolitan Planning Organization has been designated as
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the Metropolitan Planning Organization for Beckley, West Virginia by the

Governor of West Virginia; and

WHEREAS, The Fayette/Raleigh Metropolitan Planning Organization has adopted a 2015-

2019 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and 2040 Long Range

Transportation Plan (LRTP); and

WHEREAS, The West Virginia Department of Transportation has requested revisions to the

2015-2019 TIP and the 2040 LRTP; and

WHEREAS, The FY 2015-2019 TIP is consistent with the 2040 Fayette/Raleigh Metropolitan

Planning Organization's Long-Range Transportation Plan; and

WHEREAS, The project information was available for public review and received no

comments.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Fayette/Raleigh Metropolitan Planning Organization

adopts the attached project list as Amendment #5 to the 2015-2019 TIP and

Amendment #5 to the 2040 LRTP pending no comments are received during the

open comment period.

So resolved this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March 2017.

Detlef Ulfers, Chairman

Fayette/Raleigh Metropolitan Planning Organization

Project Name