



Announcement of public comment period

Amendment to 2020-2024 Transportation Improvement Program

The Syracuse Metropolitan Transportation Council (SMTC) is seeking public comment on the proposed amendments relative to the 2020-2024 Transportation Improvement Program. This action includes the following:

Addition of Federal Transit Administration Section 5310 funds

- Following the 2020 Section 5310 solicitation administered by the New York State Department of Transportation (NYSDOT), three applicants in Onondaga County are recommended for receipt of funding. The applicants are listed below, followed by their recommended total and federal costs. Funding to be programmed in Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 19/20.
 - Loretto Independent Living Services – purchase 6 accessible vehicles (\$452,718 total, \$362,174 federal)
 - St. Camillus Residential Health Care Facility – purchase 2 accessible vehicles (\$137,582 total, \$110,066 federal)
 - Onondaga County Department of Adult & Long Term Care Services – operational assistance to several non-profit agencies (\$636,004 total, \$318,002 federal)

Change in cost

- PIN 380764 (REHAB/REPLACE CONTRACT, REGIONAL CULVERTS, ONONDAGA & OSWEGO CO).
 - Sponsor NYSDOT. The NYSDOT is proposing to add additional funding to the Detailed Design and Right of Way Acquisition phases in FFY 19/20 utilizing \$80,000 NHPP and \$44,000 STBG-Urban federal funds respectively; while also proposing to increase the Construction and Inspection phases in FFY 20/21 by \$1,333,000 NHPP and \$134,000 NHPP federal funds respectively. Compensating offset provided by PIN 380621 (Regional Retaining Wall Contract, Onondaga County) that moves off the current multi-year TIP to FFY 24/25.

Changes to schedule

- PIN 328723 (ONONDAGA LAKE PARKWAY SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS, OLD LIVERPOOL TO I-81 RAMP, TN OF SALINA, ONON CO).
 - Sponsor NYSDOT. The NYSDOT is proposing to add funds to a Preliminary Design phase in FFY 19/20 utilizing \$831,000 HSIP and also delay the Detailed Design phase from FFY 19/20 to FFY 20/21. Offset for the Preliminary Design phase is provided by the delay of the Detailed Design phase (\$453,000 HSIP) and funds from outside the SMTC area (\$378,000). Additionally, the offset for the Detailed Design phase is provided by the project's Construction phase in FFY 20/21.
- PIN 395074 (CREEKWALK IMPROVEMENT, BRIDGE-WALK MAINTENANCE, SYRACUSE, ONON CO).
 - Sponsor City of Syracuse (City). The City is proposing to delay the Right of Way Acquisition phase from FFY 19/20 to FFY 20/21. No offset necessary.



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Although written comments may be submitted via postal mail, at this time staff are recommending comments be submitted via e-mail to mcolone@smtcmpo.org.

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The public comment period is currently underway and comments are due by 12 p.m. Thursday, July 9.